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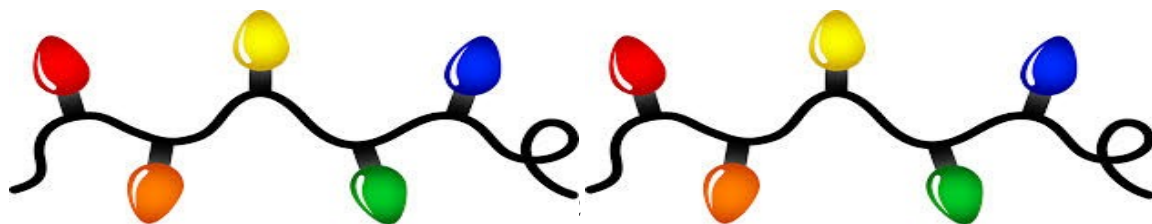
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## Medicare Deadline Extended

**Medicare Provider Options:** Under a final rule issued on May 19, 2014, by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), dentists who treat or refer Medicare enrollees or prescribe medication to Medicare patients through the Part D Medicare drug program must either enroll in Medicare as a provider, or opt-out of enrollment by June 1, 2016. While compliance has been moved to a later date, CMS cautions that its processing of enrollment forms or opt-out affidavits may take as long as four months. To assure one's status with Medicare and ensure patients' Medicare benefits do not lapse, provide sufficient time for CMS to process whichever form is submitted to Medicare forms or opt-out affidavits may take as long as four months.

### CDA Presents Anaheim registration now open

Dentists can now register for *CDA Presents The Art and Science of Dentistry* in Anaheim set to be held on May 12 to 14 at the Anaheim Convention Center.

Registration for *CDA Presents*, which will feature stimulating C.E., world-renowned speakers and 135,000 square feet of dental innovation, is open at [cdapresents.com](http://cdapresents.com).

Dentists can download the *CDA Journal* ePub app at [cda.org/apps](http://cda.org/apps) to view the *CDA Presents Program*, which includes information on featured speakers and courses as well as tiered pricing for those who register early. Watch for the printed version of the *CDA Presents Program* in the December issue of the *CDA Journal*.

*CDA Presents* is a dentist's ticket to up-to-date clinical and technological advancements, an extensive exhibit hall — hosting as many as 600 companies — C.E. opportunities, networking and fun. The *CDA Presents* team scouts national dental meetings to create a speaker circuit unlike any other. The convention is the best way to stay on the cutting edge of dentistry.

### **Registration improvements**

Attendees can look forward to a smooth registration process for *CDA Presents* Anaheim. The *CDA Presents* team has created a meeting schedule, staffing and registration locations to support a quick and easy badge pick up for attendees.

"We realize there were a few hiccups with registration at *CDA Presents* in Anaheim last year, and we are doing everything we can to make sure the process is streamlined this year," said Gary Ackerman, DDS, chair of the *CDA Presents* Board of Managers.

For more information on *CDA Presents*, visit [cdapresents.com](http://cdapresents.com)



## Upcoming CDA Cares Clinics

### Ventura

April 16 & 17, 2016  
Ventura County Fairgrounds

### Stockton

October 15 & 16, 2016  
San Joaquin County Fairgrounds

### San Mateo

April 22 & 23, 2017  
San Mateo Event Center

### Bakersfield

October 6 & 7, 2017  
Kern County Fairgrounds

## Join us

Each CDA Cares event relies on the time and talents of hundreds of volunteers from both the dental profession and the greater community. Dental and health professionals including general dentists, oral surgeons, hygienists, assistants, lab technicians, physicians, nurses and pharmacists are needed throughout the clinic. Community volunteers are needed to register patients and volunteers, to help set up, enter treatment data, escort patients, interpret and more.



## Denti-Cal rate cut reversal approved

In a significant victory for CDA advocacy, the California Department of Health Care Services has announced that the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) has approved the 10 percent rate cut reversal for dental services that was included in the 2015-16 California budget.

CDA strongly advocated for the rate cut reversal, which applies to Denti-Cal and not broadly to all Medi-Cal providers. The new change exempts dental services provided on or after July 1, 2015, from the Medi-Cal 10 percent provider payment reductions that were implemented in 2013. The state's reversal of the rate cuts is a positive first step in ensuring access to care for Denti-Cal patients.

According to the Denti-Cal *Bulletin*, the increase in provider payments will be reflected in checks issued on Nov. 19. The state is expected to reassess all claims for services from July 1 to determine underpayments and issue reimbursements to affected providers. If providers have any questions about the rate cut reversal, contact the Provider Customer Service line at 800.423.0507 or CDA's Director of Public Policy Nicette Short at 916.554.4970.



## Online Dues Renewal Now Open



Online dues renewal for CDA members is now open. Members can renew their dues in full or enroll in the electronic dues payment program (EDP) and pay in equal monthly installments automatically deducted from a designated checking account.

With membership in organized dentistry, dentists are ensuring that their voices and the needs of the profession are represented on every level. CDA provides education, practice support, protection and a stronger voice in government.

Members also enjoy these benefits:

- Waive the \$890 registration fee to [CDA Presents](#), the twice-yearly convention in Anaheim and San Francisco. You can also access free C.E. units and receive discounted pricing on dental equipment and supplies. New to *CDA Presents* in Anaheim is the laser certification course and the recommended course listings for new dentists.
- CDA has a dedicated team of professionals whose sole purpose is to advocate for the profession and for patients. In recent years, CDA has successfully sponsored new laws improving and dentists' and patients' rights in working with their dental benefit plans. In recent years, CDA has successfully advocated for lawmakers to reverse a 10 percent Denti-Cal budget reimbursement rate cut, making dentists the only health care providers to receive additional funding in the state budget.
- Access [cda.org/practicesupport](http://cda.org/practicesupport) to view more than 600 valuable resources to help you better manage the business side of dentistry. CDA Practice Support has resources that include customizable sample letters, forms, checklists, FAQs and agreements. Some of the top resources include Sample Employee Manual, Sick Leave FAQs, New Patient Forms, Informed Consent Forms, Dental Benefit Plan Handbook, Regulatory Compliance Manual, Guide for the New Dentist and Legal Reference Guide. With unlimited phone support, CDA Practice Support analysts specialize in dental benefit plans, regulatory compliance, employment practice and practice management that can answer your everyday questions. Ask an Expert is another channel of support. Ask a question on [cda.org/practicesupport](http://cda.org/practicesupport) and an expert will respond within one business day.
- Get rewarded for your loyalty with substantial multipolicy discounts with the TDIC Optimum Bundle. Bundle your Professional Liability, Commercial Property and Workers' Compensation coverage and save.
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## Covered California dental enrollee numbers hit 60,000

The open enrollment period for health and dental coverage offered through Covered California, California's benefit marketplace created by the federal Affordable Care Act continues through Jan. 31. Since open enrollment began on Nov. 1, more than 60,000 enrollees have selected dental coverage through Covered California's Family Dental Plans or California Covered for Small Business. Adult dental coverage has been the most requested benefit by Covered California enrollees since the marketplace launched three years ago. For the first time, Covered California has made it available for the 2016 benefit year.

Dental practices report they are receiving patient inquiries regarding Covered California dental plan participation. Covered California dental coverage is only available to people who have purchased health coverage through Covered California.

Consumers who would like their coverage in place by Jan. 1, 2016, will need to complete their enrollment by Dec. 15. Consumers can reach Covered California at 800.300.1506 or visit [coveredca.com](http://coveredca.com) for more information regarding enrollment options, health and dental plan availability in their area as well as utilize a shop-and-compare tool to evaluate plans and premiums.

Additionally, there are few key points dentists should know regarding the dental coverage offered through Covered California. Unlike the health plans, dental plans participating in Covered California have not established separate dental provider networks for the Covered California products they offer — dental health maintenance organization (DHMO) or dental preferred provider organization (DPPO) plans. However, dentists are encouraged to verify the reimbursement schedule for treating Covered California enrollees when verifying patient eligibility and benefits.

The following plans are offering dental coverage either through embedded dental plans for children or through the family dental plan. However, all plans are not available in all areas of the state. Dentists participating as contracted providers with these plans will be treating Covered California enrollees as in-network providers:

- Access Dental Plan DHMO
- Anthem Blue Cross DHMO or DPPO
- California Dental Network DHMO
- Delta Dental of California DPPO or DHMO
- Dental Benefit Providers DPPO or DHMO
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### **Details Dentists Need to Know**

- Preventive and diagnostic services are covered at no cost for both adults and children under the family dental plan and these services are not subject to the medical deductible for embedded children's coverage.
- Basic and major treatment services are covered for both adults and children at shared cost.
- Comparable to other commercial coverage, some adult plans have limitations on what the plan will pay for in a year.
- Waiting periods and annual limits exist under the family dental plan. Out-of-network benefits are exceptionally limited.
- Family dental plans include an out-of-pocket maximum of \$350 per child per year and \$700 per family if more than one child is enrolled.
- When children have dual coverage through an embedded dental plan and a family dental plan, the embedded dental plan is primary when coordinating benefits.



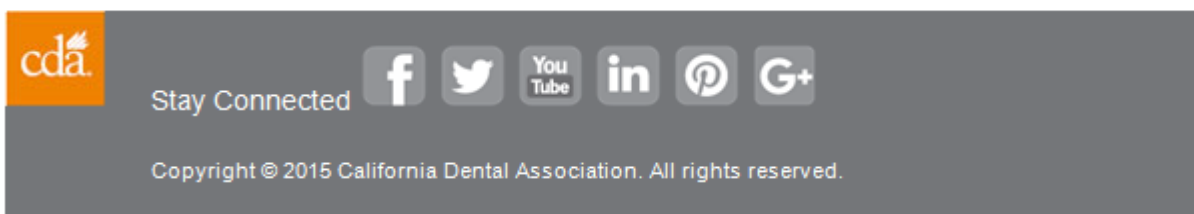


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### Dr Harry B Moordigian January 14, 1939-November 11, 2015

Dr Harry Moordigian, a graduate of Sanger High School and Fresno State, served in the US Army for two years in Korea and went on to obtain a Doctorate of Dental Surgery at Washington University Dental School in St Louis, MO in 1969. He retired in 2011 from a 41 year successful dental practice and was an active member of the Fresno Madera Dental Society during his entire career.



Dr Moordigian actively supported Fresno State for many years where his contributions supported numerous programs including the Armenian Studies Department and Bulldog athletics. Dr Moordigian's latest gift established an endowment to enhance the Jordan Agriculture Research Center's microbiology lab.

His life will be celebrated in the spring prior to the ribbon cutting ceremony for the lab. Remembrances may be made in Harry's honor to Fresno State's Agriculture Department and Education Department or the California Armenian Home.

*Welcome New Members***Brenda J Salazar DDS**

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610 W Yosemite Ave  
Madera, CA 93637  
559 673-9000

1998 Graduate Universidad de San Carlos de Guatemala

**Navneet Kaur DDS**

Hanford Family Dentistry  
425 W 7th St Suite 104  
Hanford, CA 93230  
559 530-8080

2015 Graduate of Boston Dental College

**Varun Mallela DDS**

Affinity Dental  
5690 N Fresno St Suite 101  
Fresno, CA 93710  
559 435-3470

2015 Graduate of UCSF School of Dentistry

## The Fresno Madera Dental Society is now at 501 members!

There's strength in numbers. As a member of organized dentistry, you're ensuring that your voice and the needs of the profession are being represented on every level. There are many changes facing our profession-Let your voice be heard!



**CDA Cares Ventura**  
April 16-17, 2016  
Ventura County Fairgrounds





**Important Contacts:** (New listings in red)**Fresno Madera Dental Society**

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fmdds@cvip.net

**American Dental Association**

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www.ada.org

**California Dental Association**

(800) 736-8702 Operator

(800) 736-7071 Voicemail

www.cda.org

**CDA Practice Support Center/Compass**

(866) 232-6362

www.cdacompass.com

**CDA Peer Review (Complaints)**

(800) 232-7645

**CA Poison Control System**

(800) 876-4766

www.calpoison.org

**Consumer Hotlines**

(800) 927-4357 Dept of Insurance

(616) 445-5544 Insurance Commissioner

**Dental Board of California**

www.dbc.ca.gov

**Denti-Cal Provider Locator**

(800) 322-6384

**Department of Public Health**

Radiologic Health

(916) 322-2073 Equipment Registration

**HMO Consumer Complaint Hotline**

(800) 400-0815

**NPI-National Provider Identifier**

(800) 465-3203

www.nnppes.cms.hhs.gov

**TDIC The Dentists Insurance Company**

(800) 733-0634

**US Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA)**

(800) 882-9539

**Free Social Media Workshop!**

Top Hand Media specializes in social media marketing for dentists in the Central Valley and have kindly offered to put on a free social media workshop for our members in January at the Fresno Madera Dental Society business office.

**Details:** This will be a 1 on 1 workshop. Send someone from your office, and Top Hand Media's Social Media Director, Mike Bowman,, will sit down and discuss how you can improve your online presence. Their goal is to get your office starting out the new year RIGHT on social media. They urge you to come with ALL of your questions, so you can leave with answers. Questions can range from:

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A guy goes to visit his grandmother and he brings his friend with him. While he's talking to his grandmother, his friend starts eating the peanuts in a bowl on the coffee table, and finishes them off.

As they're leaving, his friend says to his grandmother, "Thanks for the peanuts." She says, "Yeah, since I lost my dentures I can only suck the chocolate off 'em."

Remember your toothbrush is green, mine is blue.



Bob would learn the hard way that dogs are color-blind.



A dinner speaker was in such a hurry to get to the hotel that when he arrived and sat down at the head table, he suddenly realized that he had forgotten to get his false teeth. Turning to the man next to him he said, "I forgot my teeth." The man said, "No problem." With that he reached into his pocket and pulled out a pair of false teeth.

"Try these," he said. The speaker tried them. "Too loose," he said. The man then said, "I have another pair...try these." The speaker tried them and responded, "Too tight." The man was not taken back at all. He then said, "I have one more pair...try them." The speaker said, "They fit perfectly." With that he ate his meal and gave his address.

After the dinner meeting was over, the speaker went over to thank the man who had helped him. "I want to thank you for coming to my aid. Where is your office? I've been looking for a good dentist." The man replied, "I'm not a dentist. I'm the local undertaker."



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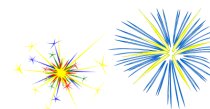
Apparently, YOU told Santa that you have been GOOD this year ...



*He died laughing*



## A Blast From the Past



### 60 Years Ago

The formation of the California Dental Corporation has been authorized by the necessary 25% of the licensed dentists in California. Those responsible for the Corporation deserve a great vote of thanks and gratitude. The task they undertook was far greater than the general practitioner can imagine. Due to the division of California into two separate dental associations, it was felt we would be wise to confine our efforts to the CSDA. Therefore, one-fourth of the licensed dentists in our state represented nearly eighty percent of our membership. You can well imagine the magnitude of the task in trying to convince 80% of any membership on the importance of the formation of a new body which represented a completely new political and social idea. For those who took the time to read the literature sent out by the Association, there could be no other answer than the immediate formation of the California Dental Corporation. It is our answer to socialized dentistry. With the corporation we can maintain the same standards of dentistry and dental health it has taken us so long to achieve. While it is perfectly legal to bargain as an individual with a union or any other like association to contract for dentistry, it soon becomes apparent, even to the most naïve, that individual bargaining power is next to useless.

Those of you who are still hesitant, I would suggest you join up now. You are no longer needed to help your fellow dentists, but at least you can enjoy the fruits of their labors. As we understand the bylaws—a non member cannot participate in the program. For those of you who are still under the delusion “it can’t happen here” —Now hear this—Only last week an advertising dentist in Fresno, yes your own home town, offered the two thousand plus employees the North American Aviation Company contract dentistry—two fillings (restorations) and a cleaning

### 50 Years Ago

#### Space for Lease

A limited offering to lease space in a soon to be completed office building, with a touch of tomorrow in everything but the rent. On North Fresno St near Community Hospital.  
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### 40 Years Ago

#### CSUF Students Have Impressive Acceptance Rate Into Highly Selective Dental Schools\*

Last year, CSUF student Gerry Shinkawa was among 127 selected from nearly 1400 who applied to the University of Pacific’s dental school. And this year, CSUF student Stephen Sasai was one of 138 chosen from 3318 applicants there.

\*Excerpted from original December 1975 Bulletin

### 30 Years Ago

#### New Applicants

##### **Kenneth O Crosby DDS**

1985 UCSF Graduate  
VMC Resident

##### **Emilio Garcia DDS**

1985 UCLA Graduate  
VMC Resident

#### New Members

##### **David Rich DMD**

1985 Washington School of Dentistry Graduate  
General Practice-Madera

##### **Bryan Fung DDS**

1985 UOP Graduate  
General Practice-Fresno

##### **Michael Stevinson DDS**

1985 UOP Graduate  
General Practice-Madera

### 20 Years Ago

#### **December FMDS Board**

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## ADA News

Articles on this page reprinted from ADA publications

### ***Dentist Ranked #1 Job In America By U.S. News & World Report.***

The [Houston Chronicle](#) (12/3) reports that [U.S. News & World Report](#) recently compiled a list of the best jobs of 2015 based on “specific measurements of future job creation, average salary, job prospects, stress level, work-life balance and employment rate.” According to the [report](#), dentist not only takes the top spot for best job in the healthcare industry, but also ranks first as the best job overall. The report states that, in addition to caring for dental health, dentists “might also notice signs of undiagnosed diabetes, oral cancer and heart disease during a dental exam.”

### **The Elderly Face Additional Challenges When Visiting The Dentist.**

The [Washington Post](#) (12/8, Gorman) carried a Kaiser Health News story reporting that “good dental hygiene is important to overall health, and chronic illnesses and medications can worsen oral health,” but “providing dental care to seniors...is fraught with challenges.” According to the American Dental Association, “a fifth of people age 75 and older haven’t seen a dentist in the past five years.” The Washington Post points out that “many older patients are resistant because of fear or years of neglect – or they have impaired cognitive skills and don’t understand the need,” and “others are not mobile enough to get to a dental office.” Additionally, “paying for [care] can be a problem,” as Medicare “doesn’t include routine dental care, and many seniors lose coverage through other insurance plans when they retire.” Judith Jones, an elder-care spokeswoman for the ADA, said that poor oral hygiene can lead to infection and the inability to eat. Jones said that some elderly people “have maintained their oral health their entire lives, only to see it go down the tubes in six to eight months.” The ADA “recently started offering [online training](#)” for dentists specifically aimed at improving care for the elderly.



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### Associate Dentist Wanted

We are a well established, growing pediatric dental practice known for providing excellent quality dental care to children of all ages. We prioritize quality dental care and consistently exceed customer service expectations. With the expansion of our practice, opening a second office, we are currently seeking Full Time/Part Time associates in the Central Valley area with a willingness to contribute to our continued growth. We are looking for associates who are flexible and outgoing to work alongside our amazing staff. The owner is happy to mentor a less experienced dentist but previous experience is preferred. Applicants must be licensed to practice dentistry in California, have a Oral Conscious Sedation Permit and be a Denti-Cal provider . Bilingual Spanish helpful. If interested please email resume to: [tammyb@drelick.com](mailto:tammyb@drelick.com)

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### General Dentist Needed in Fresno

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### Dentist Needed

A Fresno general dental practice is looking for a full-time associate with rapid partnership potential. Please send resume to [brooke@wppps.com](mailto:brooke@wppps.com)

### Associate Pedodontist Opportunity

Associate Pedodontist opportunity available in a growing, established practice in the central valley. We have one day per week, doctor must be a participating team player with our supportive clinical and administrative staff. Please contact Joanna at 559 782-8930 or email [sandhuddsinc@att.net](mailto:sandhuddsinc@att.net)

## Associate Wanted

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General dentist needed in Madera. A great opportunity to work in a private practice that is FFS/PPO and has an excellent staff. Applicant must have excellent chairside demeanor and communications skills. Compensation negotiable. Send resume to [purewaldds@gmail.com](mailto:purewaldds@gmail.com)

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## Associate Wanted

### Associate General Dentist Wanted in Fresno

Amazing Associate Dentist opportunity to join a growing family practice located in Fresno. New, state-of-the-art equipment, digital x-ray and cone beam 3D technology at your fingertips. Within our dental practice, you can expect to see a steady flow of new patients every day that are ready to get their smile back. Proficiency in performing full dental services including extractions, molar endo, crown/bridge, oral surgery, cosmetic dentistry, and must possess the willingness to learn and grow with our practice. Must be highly ethical, positive, have outgoing chairside demeanor and be a team player with our fabulous and supportive staff. This is an ideal opportunity for the right hardworking candidate. Compensation package includes incentives. Contact Tracey Anderson-Director of Human Resources 559 475-6881

### Associate Dentist Wanted

Seeking experienced dentist for a busy, established, rapidly growing dental practice. Part time or full time position available. Beautiful 4 operator, high tech office, Cone Beam CT available on premises. Friendly and helpful staff available. Candidate must be very personable and people oriented and must be knowledgeable in all areas of dentistry. Please send your resume to: mrs.sandoval86@gmail.com



## Offices for Lease or Rent

### Dental Office for Lease

Dental office for lease. 1319 sq ft, 4 operatories. Room for possibly 2 dentists or a dentist and hygienist. Many new exterior improvements. 1060 E. Shields Fresno, CA (Shields & College-East of Maroa) Please do not disturb current dentist occupant-Drive by only. Please call/e-mail for showings. (559) 999-6165

### North Fresno Dental Office for Lease

North Fresno Dental office for lease. Located on Fresno Street, just north of Shaw Avenue. Newly remodeled with 3 operatories, interior restroom, lab-storage-sterilization area, reception-waiting area, break room and doctor's private office. Plumbed for 4th operator. \$1780 per month. Contact owner-agent, Jeff Davis at 559 281-2000 or email: [jeffdavis@pacbell.org](mailto:jeffdavis@pacbell.org)

### Dental Office for Lease in Auberry

Rural dental office in the center of Auberry between Clovis, CA and Shaver Lake. Approximately 2000 sq ft. Includes 4 plumbed operatories, lab, reception area and two private restrooms. Contact Earl Dunn 559 855-2119

## Offices to Share

### New Office to Share

Newly constructed dental office for sub-lease. Located close to the corner of Blackstone Ave & Herndon Ave. High visibility shopping center location. Five operatories, laboratory and sterilization area. Separate waiting room, private office and mechanical room. 3000 total sq ft.

If interested, please contact Atif Rana (559) 289-2313

### Northeast Dental Office to Share

Beautiful detailed office located in Northeast Clovis to share with Dental Specialty. Includes 8 operatories fully equipped with state of the art equipment. Large reception area, break room, storage and lab available. Excellent location and close to shopping center and Fwy 168. 4000 sq ft.

Contact e-mail [jenniferpham70@yahoo.com](mailto:jenniferpham70@yahoo.com) or phone (559) 300-8299



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## Office for Sale

### NW Fresno dental office condo for Sale

NW Fresno dental office condo available for sale. Approx 2476 sq ft. Asking price \$385,000

Located near Herndon and Brawley Avenues with Herndon Avenue exposure. The layout includes 8 operatories, interior restroom, reception and waiting area, private offices, lounge, lab, x-ray & storage.

For information, please contact Beau Plumlee at 559 256-2443 or [beau.plumlee@colliers.com](mailto:beau.plumlee@colliers.com) (CA BRE#01269167)

### Dental Building in Sanger for Sale

The only orthodontist in Sanger has retired and is selling his office. Great location and opportunity for orthodontist, general dentist or other professional who would like to practice or expand into Sanger. Equipment and furniture included at no value. Property is a condominium development. 1446 sq ft \$173,500

Mike Hannigan Universal Lending and Real Estate  
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559 260-5858 or  
[email mikehannigan098@gmail.com](mailto:mikehannigan098@gmail.com)



**Practices for Sale****Practice for Sale in Fresno**

General practice dental office in Fresno, CA. Approximately 1200 square foot office with 3 plumbed operatories and updated equipment, reception area, private bathroom, sterilization area and a small lab. Our practice operates Easy Dental and the computers have been updated. The practice is growing, receiving over 50 new patients per month. The practice is projected to collect over \$500K in 2014 while working 28 hours per week. Send CV to ddsfresnoc@gmail.com

**Associateship Leading to Ownership**

A busy Fresno area dental office is looking for a dentist interested in an associateship that could lead to ownership. This busy practice welcomes approximately 60 new patients per month. The practice is computerized and has digital radiography. Our practice also boasts a great dental team. For more information and details, please send inquiries and CV to: centralvalleydds@gmail.com

**Great Opportunity-Great Bargain**

Satellite practice in the peaceful community of Reedley. Wonderful patients, equipped for 2 operatories plus an extra operatory-already plumbed. Great for a young dentist as a starter practice or a dentist looking for extra income. Rent \$850 Contact Dr Sandoval (661) 323-9421 or (661) 428-2186

**Equipped & Furnished Dental Office Available**

Equipped & furnished dental office available. Take over current lease, recently renewed, in the 1st year of a 3 year, with a 3 year option to renew. Great terms & conditions, very affordable. 3 operatories, 2 equipped. Good neighborhood location in Old Fig with 1st class neighboring tenants.

Office is currently a 5 year old dental sleep medicine practice. Charts can stay or be relocated. Training in sleep dentistry is available, if desired. Previous patients starting to turn over, requiring new appliances. Owner retiring.

For details, contact John Cahill (510) 844-0330  
e-mail wps@succeed.net

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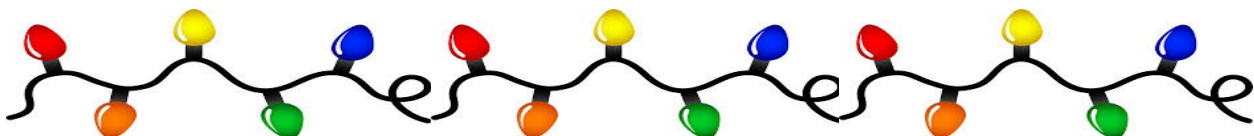
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## 2016 FMDS Event/CE Schedule

### **Winter CCDC**

Friday January 29, 2016

8:30 a.m. until 4:00

6 CEUs

OSHA, Infection Control & the CA Dental Practice Act  
Clovis Veteran's Memorial Building

### **General Meeting/Staff Night/Installations**

Tuesday February 23, 2016

5:00 p.m. until 8:30 p.m.

2.5 CEUs

"The Perfect Morning Huddle "  
Leslie Canham RDH  
TorNino's

### **General Meeting/Nominations**

Tuesday March 15, 2016

5:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

2.5 CEUs

Topic TBA

Craig Strong of the CA Employers Association  
*Dentist & Spouse only*

### **Member Social Event**

Thursday April 14, 2016

Time & Place TBA

### **General Meeting/Elections**

Tuesday May 17, 2016

5:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

2.5 CEUs

"Throwdown Tuesday!"

June, July & August

No Meetings

### **Fall CCDC**

Friday September 23, 2016

8:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.

7 CEUs

"Your Patient's Medical History:  
What You Don't Know, Can Hurt You"  
Alan L Felsenfeld DDS

### **General Meeting**

Tuesday October 18, 2016

5:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

2.5 CEUs

"Market Trends and Common Dental Benefit Issues"  
Greg Alterton CDA Dental Benefit Plan Specialist  
TorNino's

### **General Meeting**

Tuesday November 8, 2016

5:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

2.5 CEUs

Ergonomics & Personal Health Concerns  
Nancy Dewhirst RDH  
TorNino's

December No Meeting