



ADS MEMBERSHIP 2021 AND 2022

Annual Meeting

After a moratorium on face to face meetings for most of 2020 and the first months of 2021 we were able to host a face to face annual meeting in 2021 in Talkeetna. We had two days of clinical speakers, a good selection of vendors and fun social events. Join us in Anchorage May 13 and 14 in 2022.



COVID

The ADS and the ADA continue to bring you the most current information on practice resources and ever changing guidelines. Members with specific questions or issues should reach out to the ADS office for assistance. The ADA worked on helping insure the PPE supply chain remains open and providing member information on PPP loan forgiveness and other federal programs.

Legislative

The ADA was busy in 2021, fighting against dentistry being included in Medicare Part B and getting the McCarren-Ferguson repealed. The ADA also changed their policy for ADPAC donations after the Capitol building incident last year and subsequent examination of previous donations to Rep. Gosar.

Your newest membership benefit – significant savings on HIPAA Compliance

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Dental Access

The ADS offers members several ways to give back to their community. Project Access continues to grow in the Anchorage area. The requirement that recipients do community service for the donated care has been a popular feature appreciated by the volunteer dentists. Dental Lifeline continues to provide care through volunteer dentists and labs to people with disabilities or who are elderly or medically fragile. Anchorage and Juneau have begun Give Kids a Smile programs and do several events in February.

Dental License Renewal

Current dental licenses will expire in February 2023. CE used to fulfill the last licensing cycle requirements may not be used in the current cycle. Remember you will need 32 hours of CE by February 2023. You always need a current CPR certification and a current PDMP account if you have a DEA license regardless of the year licenses renew.



Members' Only Access

Membership unlocks services and resources that make your life easier and add up to valuable savings. Your dues deliver, bringing you assistance with dental benefits and access to the latest science and clinical decision-making tools.

Exclusive Discounts

Make business and finance decisions easier by accessing exclusive discounts from vetted companies and experts, benefiting from the leveraged purchasing power of 163,000+ dentists

ADS Benefits

- Discounts to CE, and annual meetings.
- Placement lists for dental hygienists, assistants, front desk and locums tenen.
- Access to Alaska Update, a monthly journal. Free classified ads in AK Up-date and ADS website.
- Peer Review.

Third party payer help

MEMBER COST:

\$0

POTENTIAL MEMBER SAVINGS:

\$400,000

One member saved nearly \$400,000 with the ADA's Third Party Payer Concierge™. Get to dental benefit solutions faster with one-on-one help from the ADA.



Access to scientific journals

MEMBER COST:

\$0

POTENTIAL MEMBER SAVINGS:

\$1,600

Keep your clinical knowledge up to date with full-text access to more than 10,000 of the latest scientific journals and textbooks.



Annual survey of dental fees

MEMBER COST:

\$0

SAVINGS:

\$200

Want to know the fees most often charged for 269 different dental procedures in regions across the U.S.? You can get this information at no charge.



DynaMed®

MEMBER COST:

\$0

SAVINGS:

\$200

Get accurate clinical and drug information at your fingertips with this evidence-based decision support tool.



Practice Loans

POTENTIAL MEMBER SAVINGS:

\$23,000

Members get an additional 0.5% discount on practice loans through BMO Harris. So on a 10-year, fixed rate loan of \$750,000 through our program, you could save just over \$23,000¹.



Student Loan Refinancing

POTENTIAL SAVINGS:

\$34,500

Members get an additional 0.25% discount when refinancing with Laurel Road. Reducing your rate by 3% on a \$200,000 10 year loan by refinancing into a similar term loan with Laurel Road, you could save as much as \$34,500².



Amalgam Separators

POTENTIAL MEMBER SAVINGS:

50%

The compliance date for the EPA amalgam separator rule is around the corner (July 14, 2020). Don't worry; your office can save 50% off the Rebec high-quality separator.



Luxury Cars

POTENTIAL MEMBER SAVINGS:

\$4,000

It's your career journey. Make sure your ride is comfortable. You can save up to \$4,000 on Mercedes-Benz leases³.



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