



Arizona
DENTAL HYGIENISTS'
ASSOCIATION

The graphic features the adha logo and the text 'Arizona DENTAL HYGIENISTS' ASSOCIATION'. It highlights the event as a 'LIVE & IN-PERSON ARIZONA'S DENTAL HYGIENE EVENT OF THE YEAR!' held from 'August 23-25' at the 'LOEWS VENTANA CANYON RESORT TUCSON, AZ'. The theme is '2024 IMPACT CONFERENCE' with the tagline 'Thrive Live Caring for You... Caring for Our Profession'. A grid of speaker portraits includes Larry Ambrose, Lynn Atkinson, Carol Jahn, Tricia Osuna, Heather Rogers, Ann Spolarich, and Andrea Keefer. There are also 'CERTIFIED' and 'AUTHENTIC' seals and a 'SAVE THE DATE' stamp.

Time is Running Out—Become a Dental Superhero Today!

Transform your career at the Arizona Dental Hygienist’s Association 2024 Impact Conference—your gateway to professional excellence!

Dates: August 23–25, 2024

Location: The breathtaking Loews Ventana Canyon Resort in Tucson, AZ—where luxury meets learning.

Don't Miss Out:

- **Game-Changing Speakers:** Be inspired by the top minds in the industry, ready to supercharge your practice.
- **Unparalleled Networking:** Forge powerful connections with over 300 fellow professionals and industry leaders.
- **Career Elevation:** Equip yourself with the latest knowledge and skills to ascend to new professional heights.

The clock is ticking—this opportunity won't wait. **Register now** and ensure you're part of the revolution in dental hygiene.

Bring a Friend: Extend the invitation to a non-member and magnify your impact. Together, we can push the boundaries of innovation and growth.

This is your moment. Take the leap and lead the future of dental hygiene—before it's too late!



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Registration fees Include all general session lectures, light breakfast, lunch, and two breaks each day.

NOTE: Due to the recent launch of our new membership page on the AzDHA website, you will need to create a new password. This will gain you exclusive access to the Members Only page. This step is essential in ensuring your eligibility for member pricing at the Impact Conference. If you are unable to register as a member, please call 813.444.1011 to have your new password request text resent.

Venue
Loews Ventana Canyon Resort
7000 North Resort Drive, Tucson, AZ 85750

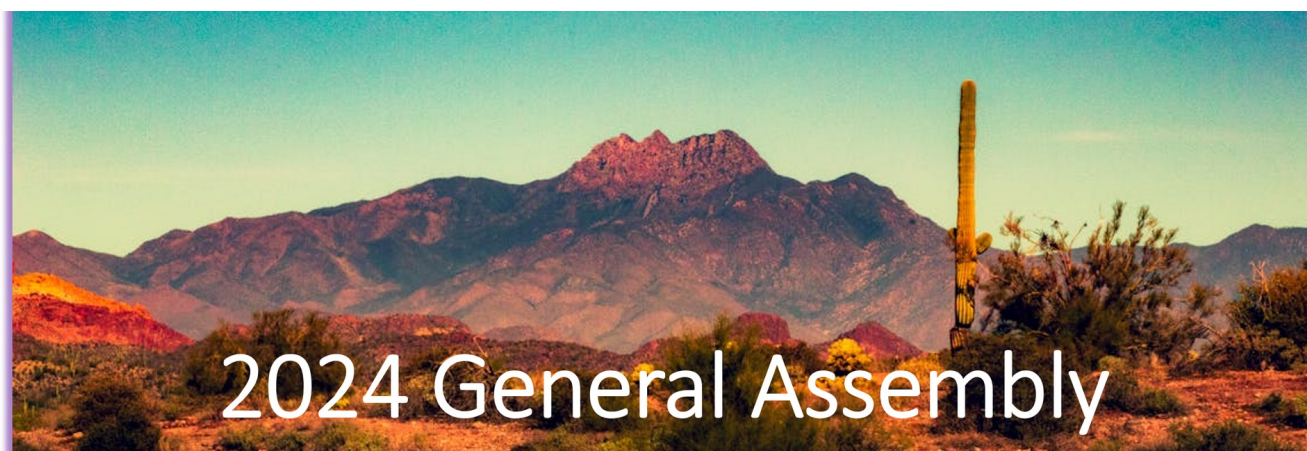


RESERVE YOUR ROOM TODAY

EXCLUSIVE HOTEL PERKS!

Escape to luxury with our exclusive hotel package: no resort fee, free self-parking, and incredible discounts. Enjoy a \$94 greens fee including cart and a \$10 club handling fee (mention AzDHA), plus 10% off spa treatments (mention AzDHA). Treat yourself to these amazing perks and soak in the beauty from our gallery.

Indulge in Luxury: Embrace the breathtaking beauty and exclusive benefits – book your stay and elevate your conference experience! Book now and elevate your stay!



VIRTUAL

Saturday, October 12th 2024

9am – 12pm

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Membership Information for the Annual General Assembly

ARTICLE IV MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS

Section 1. Annual meeting.

An annual meeting of the voting members of the Association shall be held at such time and place as determined by the BOD. This annual convening of the membership shall be called the General Assembly.

Section 2. Authority and Responsibility.

The General Assembly (GA) shall be the principal body within the Association responsible for establishing policy and providing direction for matters relating to the practice of dental hygiene. In addition to such other duties set forth in these bylaws, the GA (i) shall amend, alter, or repeal the bylaws in accordance with Article XV of these bylaws (ii) shall vote on all matters properly brought before the GA and (iii) shall elect the directors and ADHA delegates and alternates of the Association.

Section 6. Notice.

Notice of any annual or special meetings of the voting members shall state the time, date, place and purpose of the meeting and shall be delivered to all voting members at least ten (10) and no more than sixty (60) days prior to the date of the meeting, unless otherwise required by applicable law.

The AzDHA 2024 General Assembly

Saturday, October 12, 2024

Virtual Meeting! All members encouraged to attend.

9 AM to 12 PM

Candidate Guidelines, Election Procedures and Results:

15. A call for nominations for elected AzDHA positions shall be announced to the members via appropriate media no later than 60 days prior to the Member General Assembly.

16. Any qualified AzDHA member may declare their candidacy for an elected position at any time until nominations are closed.

17. Candidates shall be invited to submit a completed professional summary limited to 200 words and a platform statement limited to 400 words prior to the General Assembly for inclusion in the posted materials. A photo is optional.

18. A member of the Board of Directors shall read the slate of candidates during the General Assembly and then call for additional nominations from the floor.

19. Nominations from the floor must be made with the nominee's prior consent. In the event of nominations from the floor, candidates are encouraged to provide copies of their professional summary and platform statement for distribution to the voting members.

20. During the Candidates' Forum each candidate is allowed one speech not to exceed three (3) minutes. After all candidates for a position have spoken, questions/answers from the Assembly will be allowed of all candidates for this position not to exceed 10 minutes. Candidates who cannot be present may submit a pre-recorded speech for the forum.

For the 2024 General Assembly the positions open are as follows:

Board of Directors:

There are four (4) director positions open.

Each is a 2-year term from 2025-2026.

These positions are based on a Calendar year.

Section 6. Terms.

A. Directors shall serve terms of two (2) years.

B. The terms for each director shall begin January 1st following their election and continue until such time as their successors are duly elected and assume their position.

C. Directors shall be elected in such a manner that their terms expire in alternate years.

D. Directors may not serve more than three (3) consecutive terms.

Following three (3) terms of service, a director may be elected to serve another term after a period of one (1) year. Directors serving more than one year shall be deemed to have served a full term for the purpose of term limits.

ADHA District XI Delegates:

There are 2 delegate positions open.

Each is a 2-year term from 2024-2026.

These positions go from GA to GA.

All nominations are for delegates. Out of all the nominations, the top two (2) chosen are elected as delegates and all the rest are elected as alternate delegates. It is important that everyone running is willing to serve as a delegate or alternate. Everyone running will be elected.

Section 3. Qualifications.

Only voting members who have held membership in this Association for at least one year shall be eligible for election as delegates or alternate delegates.

Section 4. Term of Office.

Delegates shall serve a term of two (2) years, with tenure limited to two (2) consecutive terms. Following two (2) terms of service, delegates may be elected to serve another term after a period of one year. Alternates shall

serve a term of one (1) year and may serve additional terms. The terms for delegates and alternates shall begin following the close of the GA at which they are elected.

Section 8. Duties.

A. Delegates and alternates shall represent this Association at all business meetings held prior to and during ADHA's Annual Conference. Attendance at other forums, updates, and workshops may be required as determined by the BOD.

B. Delegates and alternates shall follow ADHA's General Guidelines for Delegates.

C. Delegation Chair

1. The delegation chair shall be selected by the current delegation.

2. The delegation chair shall serve a term of one (1) year.

3. The delegation chair shall keep the BOD informed of ADHA activities and provide a summary of the year's activities to the General Assembly.

Click [HERE](#) for easier reading of the above Membership Information for the Annual General Assembly.

Dear Colleagues,

My name is Davy, and I am honored to serve as the current Vice President of the Arizona Dental Hygienists' Association (AzDHA). Reflecting on my journey, I never imagined I would hold this leadership position; if you had told me years ago that I would be here today, I would have considered it unlikely.

I vividly recall attending our state's annual conference, where I immersed myself in continuing education and observed our then-leadership, who were tirelessly dedicated to the organization—engaging in meetings, addressing questions, and inspiring fellow dental hygienists.

My journey with the AzDHA began when my mentor approached me at a conference and invited me to consider serving as an alternate delegate. Though I was unfamiliar with the responsibilities that role entailed, I embraced the opportunity with enthusiasm. I am grateful for that decision, as it ignited a passion and purpose within me to contribute to an association that I deeply value.

For many years, I felt isolated in general practice, battling burnout. The AzDHA became a crucial outlet for me, allowing me to engage in the profession I cherish. Over the past five years, I have served as a volunteer on our board and within the ADHA House of Delegates, witnessing remarkable changes—both positive and negative—in our profession. We have advocated for significant issues such as license reciprocity, Botox legislation, and overall community advocacy efforts.

However, it is evident that we face unprecedented challenges as an association. Without meaningful changes, we risk the viability of our organization in the next 6-7 years. Currently, our board has three open critical positions that are essential for elevating our profession and supporting dental hygienists across Arizona. We urgently need committee chairs for our Events, Membership, Finance, and Advocacy initiatives. The limited capacity of our current board, comprising four members and our management company, is hampering our potential impact.

I urge each of you to consider how you can contribute to our collective efforts. When I first volunteered, I was uncertain but motivated by the belief that "I CAN" make a difference. If you are willing to step forward, we are here to mentor you and support your growth into a leadership role. This is an invaluable opportunity for personal and professional development, while also serving our vital profession.

Thank you for considering this opportunity to make a lasting impact on the future of dental hygiene in Arizona. If you would like to reach out to see how you can help feel free to email me at davynevans@gmail.com



Sincerely,
Davy
AzDHA Vice President



WELCOME
New Members,
Transfers, &
Renewals

AzDHA

Nancy An
Jaselyn Karmo
Adam Schuman
Amy Wolfe



**Happy Birthday to All our Members
with Birthdays in August**

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Emma-Jean Adams
Tori Carnett
Adrianna Coronel
Davena Drowns
Holly Houck
Heather Johnson
Nichole Martinez
Leanne Miller

Jennifer Morgan
Patricia Price
Carol Saul
Renee Scolaro
Wendy Steele
Yvette Thornton
Courtney Watson

Do you have something to share with other AZDHA members,
contact Michelle Schwantes at michelle@amgoldman.com

Talk to us Today

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