

Report Title: Resolution 401-2025 Report

RESOLUTION

Resolved, that the 2025-26 Council on Professional Issues (COPI) investigate the feasibility of establishing a community service certificate program, modeled after the ASDA Advocacy Certificate Program; and be it further

Resolved, that the COPI present an annual report at the 2026 ASDA Annual Session to ensure accountability and transparency.

REPORT BACKGROUND

The council investigate the feasibility of establishing a community service certificate program by sending a survey out to all ASDA members. Based on the results of the survey, the council decided to create a project proposal for the certificate program.

REPORT FINDINGS

The council submitted a project proposal to create a Community Service Certificate Program to the board in January. In this program, members can earn points by participating in and completing activities to learn more about community service and dental outreach. Once a member accrues a certain amount of points, the certificate will be awarded to that member.