

Resolution Number: 202-2021

Title: Amendment to Current Statement of Position or Policy B-8 Dental Outreach Programs

Reference Committee Assignment: Membership and Education

Sponsor(s): 2020-21 Council on Professional Issues

Financial Impact: None

RESOLUTION

Resolved, that the Current Statements of Position or Policy B-8 Dental Outreach Programs be amended to read as follows:

B-8 Dental Outreach Programs

For students, U.S. dental schools and predental programs that participate in a dental outreach program (e.g., international service trips, domestic service trips, volunteerism in underserved areas, etc.) it is strongly encouraged:

- a. To adhere to the ASDA Code of Ethics and the ADA Principles of Ethics and Code of Professional Conduct;
- b. To be directly supervised by dentists licensed to practice in the United States or by faculty at a U.S. CODA-accredited dental school;
- c. To perform only procedures for which the volunteer has received proper education and training;
- d. To work with administrations to determine if comparable clinical experiences may be applicable towards their school's graduation requirements.

Action: The Chair moves 202-2021 with a recommendation of a yes vote and to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Action: Adopted by the House.