



# DALLAS COUNTY DENTAL SOCIETY

## Committee Interest Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

*I will volunteer to serve as an elected, appointed or ad-hoc committee member. Below I have checked at least one area in which I would like to volunteer my time. I understand all positions are one year unless otherwise noted.*

### COMMUNITY-BASED PROGRAMS:

- Foundation** – Help promote the Foundation’s mission to improve access to care, education and research, working inside the community on dental education programs.
- Peer Review** – Upon written request, mediate disputes between doctors and patients or third parties. *(three-year term)*  
*(Requires 4-hour training class provided by TDA)*

### LEGISLATIVE / GOVERNANCE AREAS:

- ADA Delegate / Alternate Delegate** – Attend all meetings of the TDA delegation to the ADA House of Delegates.  
*(three-year / two-year term)*
- Legislative Action** – Be informed on legislative matters relating to dentistry and assist in a grassroots legislative strategy that promotes dental issues. *(five-year term)*
- Strategic Planning** – Collaborate to progress the vision, mission and goals of the Society.
- TDA Delegate / Alternate Delegate** – Attend all meetings of the DCDS delegation to the TDA House of Delegates.  
*(three-year / one-year term)*

### PEER / MEMBERSHIP FOCUSED AREAS:

- Awards** – Recommend nominees for dentist and community leader of the year awards and other awards that recognize members for their contributions to dentistry.
- Constitution and Bylaws** – Maintain the Constitution and Bylaws; approve wording of amendments. *(three-year term)*
- DCDS Connection Editor** – Supervise the editing and production of the Society’s bimonthly publication. *(two-year term)*
- Judicial** – Approve the eligibility of potential Society members. *(five-year term)*
- Membership Development** – Conduct recruitment and retention efforts.
- New Dentist (out of school 10 years or less)** – Serve as an advocate for new dentists in all areas.
- Parliamentarian** – Interpret rules of procedure in DCDS Bylaws and the American Institute of Parliamentarians Standard Code of Parliamentary Procedure.
- Retirement** – Focus on needs and programs specifically designed for dentists in or near retirement.

### EDUCATIONAL VENUES:

- Southwest Dental Conference** – Help to execute the various aspects of the Society’s annual Conference.

### LEADERSHIP:

- Director** – Serve in one of six positions as a liaison between the Board and membership. *(three-year term)*
- Secretary / Treasurer** – Keep minutes of all meetings, prepare annual budget and give a financial report at the Board of Directors meetings. *(two-year term)*
- Program Chair** – Schedule continuing education programs for general membership meetings.
- I will work where needed.**
- I recommend Dr.** \_\_\_\_\_ **for the** \_\_\_\_\_ **Committee.**

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