

Foundation



The ICD USA Section Foundation supports many missions and charities in the United States and around the world. The Foundation is focused on education, communication, leadership, and delivery of dental care to the underserved throughout the world.



Some of the past and ongoing projects and programs supported by the ICD USA Section Foundation include:

- Outstanding Leaders in Dentistry Videos
- International Student Experience Program
- Kikuyu Hospital Dental Clinic - Kenya, Africa
- White Coat ceremonies at dental schools
- Student Humanitarian and Leadership Awards
- Global Health Student Association (GHSA)
- Journalism Awards
- Editors University
- Dental Health Education
- USA Section Volunteer Seminars
- Chogoria Hospital Dental Clinic - Kenya, Africa
- National Museum of Dentistry - Baltimore, MD
- Distinguished Deputy Regent Award
- Distinguished Humanitarian Award
- Outstanding Dental Leader Award
- ADA Foundation International Volunteer Website
- Dental Lifeline Network



Mission

The USA Section of the International College of Dentists, as part of the preeminent honor society for dentists in the world:

- Recognizes and promotes excellence in leadership with an emphasis on service
- Provides support to our Fellows and respect for our peers
- Addresses oral health needs and education throughout the world
- Fosters an atmosphere of collaboration with those who share our values

Vision

To be the leading honorary dental organization providing service worldwide.

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Serving Others



INTEGRITY - LEADERSHIP - SERVICE



FELLOWSHIP:
WHAT IT MEANS

Honor

The International College of Dentists is the preeminent worldwide honorary organization for outstanding dentists who have demonstrated abiding interest and concern for their communities and profession through serving others with leadership, integrity and ethical behavior.

Organization

The International College of Dentists was established in 1920 by Dr. Louis Ottofy of the United States and Dr. Tsurukich Okumura of Japan and incorporated in 1928. Its purpose was to promote cordial relations within the dental profession and help disseminate scientific information.

The College was formed to advance the science and art of dentistry for the health and welfare of the public, to bring together outstanding members of the globe's dental profession, and to encourage a worldwide growth of the profession.



Dr. Ottofy



Dr. Okumura



Fellowship Criteria

- Minimum of five years experience in clinical practice, teaching, research or government service
- Member in good standing with the American Dental Association
- An active contributor to the dental profession and community
- Held in high esteem for integrity and character
- A graduate of an ICD recognized dental school
- Approved by the Board of Regents

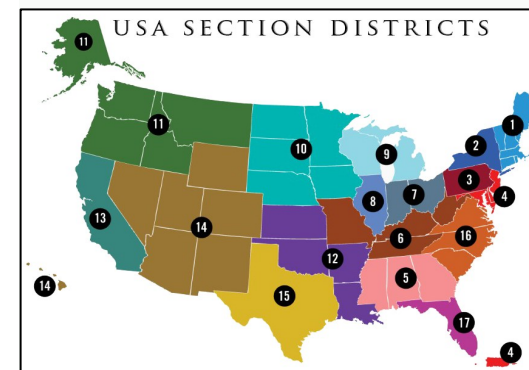
The qualifications of a Candidate are evaluated by 25 Fellows during the screening process. Approximately four percent of American dentists are offered Fellowship in the International College of Dentists with over 6,500 members in the USA Section and roughly 11,000 total members worldwide.

Fellows of the USA Section are also Fellows of the Worldwide College.

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USA Section

The USA Section is divided into 17 Districts corresponding to the Districts of the American Dental Association.



District 1: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont

District 2: New York

District 3: Pennsylvania

District 4: Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, Puerto Rico, Air Force, Army, Navy, Veterans Administration & Public Health Service

District 5: Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi

District 6: Kentucky, Missouri, Tennessee, West Virginia

District 7: Indiana, Ohio

District 8: Illinois

District 9: Michigan, Wisconsin

District 10: Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota

District 11: Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington

District 12: Arkansas, Kansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma

District 13: California

District 14: Arizona, Colorado, Hawaii, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, Wyoming

District 15: Texas

District 16: North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia

District 17: Florida