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AAPD, NYAPD AND THE GREATER NY DENTAL SOCIETY TO CO-HOST PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY SUMMIT

CHICAGO, November 20, 2017 –The American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry (AAPD), the leading authority on children's oral health, and the New York Academy of Pediatric Dentistry (NYAPD) announce a Pediatric Dentistry Summit to be held at the Greater New York Dental Meeting (GNYDM) on November 28, 2017.

This 1st annual event will feature pediatric dentistry CE courses. The agenda for Tuesday's summit includes morning and afternoon sessions focusing on the following:

- Contemporary Issues in Pediatric Dentistry (180min): This morning session will include two presentations that will be relevant to both trainees in preparation for boards, as well as practicing clinicians.
 - > Pediatric Airway in the Dental World: Challenges and Controversies, Scott M. Rickert, M.D.
 - > The Genetic and Social Determinants of Behavior, Amr Moursi, D.D.S., Ph.D.
- Clinical Based Decision making Potpourri (180min): The afternoon session will include pediatric experts speaking on a variety of topics presented in a standardized systematic format focusing on clinical decision making.
 - Nutrition and Dentistry: Fostering Partnerships For Healthy Patients, Christie L. Custodio-Lumsden, Ph.D., M.S., R.D., C.D.N.
 - Establishing Essential Behavior in Children with Challenging Behavior, Purnima Hernandez, D.D..S, M.A., B.C.B.A.
 - Orthodontic Treatment for Special Needs Patients, Christina Carter, D.M.D.

"We are thrilled to be able to provide this type of high-quality, relevant and member-valued continuing education to our NYAPD membership," stated Dr. Courtney Chinn, NYAPD President and NYU College of

Dentistry. "To be able to partner with the AAPD and GNYDM leadership on this endeavor, enables us to engage and support the greater New York dental community and pediatric dental trainees through an incredible platform."

"AAPD is proud to work alongside our New York Academy, as well as the Greater New York Dental Society to promote this chapter and brand nationally at such a prominent event as the Greater New York Dental Meeting," said AAPD President Dr. James Nickman. "It is our goal to provide our members with top-notch education and programming, and we're excited to showcase our amazing speakers and their presentations at this event in New York City."

To attend this registration-free meeting, please visit: https://registration.experientevent.com/ShowNYD171/

About the American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry

The American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry (AAPD) is the recognized authority on children's oral health. As advocates for children's oral health, the AAPD promotes evidence-based policies and clinical guidelines; educates and informs policymakers, parents and guardians, and other health care professionals; fosters research; and provides continuing professional education for pediatric dentists and general dentists who treat children. Founded in 1947, the AAPD is a not-for-profit professional membership association representing the specialty of pediatric dentistry. Its 10,000 members provide primary care and comprehensive dental specialty treatments for infants, children, adolescents and individuals with special health care needs.

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