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Dental Home Initiative Program

Our Dental Home Initiative program is at the office of Dr. Pooja Khurana dental office. Today's Dental Center in East Orange, NJ continues to provide dental services to children of un-insured families. We encourage our community dentists to volunteer and support our mission. Email kfs@kindersmile.org or call our office at: (973) 744-7003

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Oral Screenings and Oral Health Workshops

*April 17, KSF offered free oral screenings and Oral Health education to children and adults at the the East Orange Child Development Corporation.

*April 19, KSF presented an evening program on Oral Health to approximately 50 parents at the East Orange Child Development Corporation.

*April 19, KSF presented a 2nd program on Oral Health workshop and provided free oral screenings to children and adults at the East Orange Child Development Corporation.

Jr. Board 4th Annual International Outreach Trip to Los Lomas, Guatemala



Kindersmile Junior Board Member trip to Guatemala 2013

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The KinderSmile Foundation

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The Junior Board members participated in an international outreach trip to Los Lomas, Guatemala on May 21-28. It was an enormous success. A presentation by the 2012-13 Junior Board members was on June 13 at the Central Presbyterian Church, 46 Park St. Montclair, NJ. It provided a detailed overview of their trip and included their preparation, fundraising events, clinical statistical reports, their oral health education to the children, including dental arts and crafts projects as well as the distribution of clothing. Please visit our website: www.KinderSmile.org to view our Guatemala presentation. Our special thanks to all students and the dental staff for their time and energy and another successful year!

Healthcare Foundation of New Jersey (grant) \$17,500

National Oral Health Foundation \$10,000

Montclair Foundation (pre-post natal oral health initiative for 2013-2014) \$2,500

Andrea and Christopher McDonagh \$500.00
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Paul Roberts \$40.00
Katherine Richardson \$40.00

Chad Grant \$50.00
Kyung Ha, DDS (KSF volunteer) \$500.00

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Essex County Dental Society/Collaboration with KSF

Essex County Dental Society has partnered with KSF Foundation to present its first CE program. This program is offered to all ECDS member dentists, non-member dentists and KinderSmile staff. The OSHA seminar will satisfy the required annual certification on infection control. The seminar was held at Mountainside Hospital, Montclair, NJ on June 12, 2013.

Essex County Dental Society Executive Board

Dr. Nicole McGrath has joined the Essex County Dental Society Executive Board. Congratulations!

Dr. Ethan Glickman, a KSF board member has become a member of the Essex County Dental Society and joined, "value added CE programs" committee. We extend congratulations to you!

Parent-Teacher Meeting at Mildred Barry-Garvin School

May 14, 2013, KinderSmile staff, Dr. Ayanna Bradshaw and Ellen Rothman, introduced teachers, staff and parents to the KinderSmile Foundation. The speakers presented an oral health education to those families attending the Mildred Barry-Garvin Elementary School, 1 Grove Place, East Orange, NJ.

Garden State Dental Conference and Expo 2013

June 29, 2013, outgoing NJDA president, Michael Messana, DMD and his wife Bernadette Messana, DMD welcomed special guests, Cavan Brundsen, DMD, Gene Napoliello, DMD, and our own Sara kalamubur, DDS. Dr. Kalamubur was recognized for her work in Community Outreach.

National Children's Oral Health Foundation (NCOHF)

The National Children's Oral Health Foundation second annual oral health zone program summit, June 12-14 in Anaheim, Ca. welcomed presentations from affiliate network. Dr. Sara kalamubur, our program director spoke about our Junior Board international outreach trip to Guatemala and our Dental Health Initiative program serving uninsured children in our community.

Montclair Public Schools Health and Wellness Partnership

May 23, 2013, KSF staff, Dr. Sara Kalambur and Ellen Rothman, participated in a networking meeting with the Montclair public schools health and wellness partnership. The networking meeting welcomed all Montclair Community based organizations to support and promote the academic and health wellness of children and families. Their goal is to increase access to quality services, education and community partnership.

Montclair African-American Heritage Parade and Festival



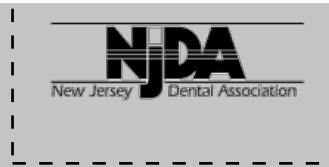
June 1, 2013, The Montclair 24th African- American Heritage Parade and Festival welcomed Montclair Board Member, Andrea Johnson, and UMDNJ dental students,

Krishna Amin, Marianne O' Shea, and Greena Russo. They presented a table display on oral health education to families as well as distributing dental care kits at Nishuane Park. The annual parade and festival is a celebration of pride to the Montclair Community.

Honored Volunteer Spotlight

We would like to introduce Jerry M. Strauss, DMD of Totowa, NJ, our honored volunteer. He has generously given many hours to our on-site visits for the head-start programs at Montclair Child Development Center, East Orange Child Development Corporation and our dental health fair. Dr. Strauss provided dental screenings, cleanings and fluoride applications to children 2-6 years of age. The entire KSF staff celebrates your dedicated spirit and support of community-helping our youth!





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