

# DALLAS COUNTY DENTAL SOCIETY COMMITTEE INTEREST FORM

Please check at least one area to which you would like to contribute your time and talents. (All terms are for one year unless noted otherwise.)

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

**I will volunteer to serve on an elected, appointed or ad-hoc committee.**

## **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)

## **LEGISLATIVE/GOVERNANCE AREAS:**

- ADA DELEGATE / ADA ALTERNATE DELEGATE ~ attend all meetings of the TDA delegation to the ADA House of Delegates (three-year/ two-year term)
- LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS ~ be informed on legislative matters relating to dentistry; assist in a grassroots legislative strategy that promotes dental issues
- STRATEGIC PLANNING ~ creates the vision, mission and goals for the Society
- TDA DELEGATE / TDA 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 or layman of the year awards and other awards to 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 publication (two-year term)
- DENTISTS CONCERNED FOR DENTISTS ~ be of assistance, upon request, in the matter of substance abuse
- JUDICIAL ~ approve eligibility of potential Society members; investigate and adjudicate alleged violations of the DCDS Bylaws, TDA and ADA principles of ethics and code of conduct (five-year term)
- MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT ~ conduct recruitment and retention efforts; promote involvement of new dentists
- PARLIAMENTARIAN ~ interpret rules of procedure in DCDS Bylaws and Sturgis Standard Code of Parliamentary Procedure

## **EDUCATION / SOCIAL VENUES:**

- SOUTHWEST DENTAL CONFERENCE ~ help execute various aspects of the annual convention

## **LEADERSHIP:**

- DIRECTOR ~ six positions (three-year term)
- SECRETARY/TREASURER ~ keep the minutes of all meetings; supervise the membership records; report financial data to the Board
- PROGRAM CHAIR ~ schedule programs for regular Society meetings

I will work where needed.

I recommend Dr. \_\_\_\_\_ for the \_\_\_\_\_ Committee.

**AFTER COMPLETION PLEASE FAX TO 972-233-8636 OR MAIL FORM TO:**

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