

Meeting the Oral Healthcare Service Needs of Children & Youth with Special Needs in Delaware

May 2, 2018

Family SHADE invites you to join us for a free workshop focusing on:

- Oral health & dental services in the primary care setting and the importance of oral health to overall health;
- Oral health & dental services for children and youth with special healthcare needs in Delaware;
- Dental insurance coverage for children and youth with special healthcare needs in Delaware; and
- Modifications for oral health practices at home.



Presented by:

Aguida Atkinson, MD, FAAP

Dr. Aguida Atkinson practiced primary care pediatrics for 44 years and worked for Nemours for 24 years at the Wilmington, Delaware location. She has served as board member for many organizations, including the Delaware Oral Health Coalition. Dr. Atkinson served as the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) Oral Health Champion for the state of Delaware for more than a decade.

Ann Phillips

Ann Phillips is Executive Director of Delaware Family Voices, Inc. and director of the HRSA/MCHB grant funded Family to Family Health Information Center which focuses on helping families of children with special health care needs advocate and navigate through the health care and insurance systems. Delaware Family Voices is the official state chapter for National Family Voices; Federation of Families; and Parent to Parent USA.

Wednesday, May 2, 2018

10:00 am - 11:30 am

Barrett Room in the Duncan Center
500 Lockerman St. Dover, DE 19904

**Please RSVP by April 27th to:
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Nicholas R. Conte Jr. DMD, MBA

Dr. Conte is the Director of the Bureau of Oral Health and Dental Services, Department of Public Health in the State of Delaware. Previously, Nick was the Director of Clinical Research and Education for Dentsply Sirona Restoratives during which time he worked on development teams to commercialize products, conduct clinical research trials and develop clinical education courses. Dr. Conte earned a B.A. from the University of Rochester in New York and completed both his DMD degree and Prosthodontic Residency Program at the University of Medicine and Dentistry in Newark, New Jersey. In addition, Nick earned an MBA from Wilmington University in Delaware in 2011. He holds a faculty appointment as a Clinical Assistant Professor at Rutgers School of Dental Medicine and a fellowship in the American College of Dentists.

Jennifer Luzader, RDH, B.A.

Jennifer is Dental Hygiene Educator and Instructional Coordinator of the Dental Hygiene Department at Delaware Technical and Community College. She is an experienced Registered Dental Hygienist specializing in pediatric patients as well as patients with special needs. Jennifer is a dedicated educator on proper oral hygiene and how oral health directly ties into overall general health/well-being.

