

## OUR MISSION:

The mission of the West Coast District Dental Association Fund is to generate and direct resources for charitable and educational oral health programs for the people of the West Coast District in the state of Florida.



The West Coast District Dental Association Fund

*A donor advised fund administered by the Florida Dental Health Foundation*



You can volunteer your time at the following clinics throughout the district that are in need of your services. Contact the clinic directly to schedule the best time to volunteer. Volunteer clinics are also listed on our website at [www.wcdental.org/wcd\\_professionals/fund\\_fund.html](http://www.wcdental.org/wcd_professionals/fund_fund.html).

COUNTY	ORGANIZATION	PHONE
Collier . . . . .	Dental Outreach of Collier, Inc. . . . .	(239) 434-0030
Collier . . . . .	Dental Program of the Neighborhood Health Clinic . . . . .	(239) 529-2250
Collier . . . . .	Senior Friendship Center . . . . .	(941) 556.3223
Hernando . . . . .	Crescent Community Clinic of Hernando. . . . .	(352) 610-9916 Ext 101
Highlands . . . . .	Kid's Dent of Highlands County . . . . .	(863) 385-8422
Highlands . . . . .	Samaritan's Touch Care Center Inc. . . . .	(863) 471-1870
Hillsborough . . . . .	Judeo Christian Health Clinic. . . . .	(813) 870-0395
Hillsborough . . . . .	Mission Smiles Tampa . . . . .	(813) 236-6237
Lee . . . . .	PDC of Southwest Florida . . . . .	(239) 332-9689
Manatee . . . . .	Turning Points (Community Coalition on Homelessness). . . . .	(941) 567-6156
Pasco . . . . .	Good Samaritan Health Clinic of Pasco Inc. . . . .	(727) 848-7789
Pinellas . . . . .	Gulf Coast Dental Outreach . . . . .	(813) 579-3935 Ext 105
Pinellas . . . . .	Homeless Empowerment Program . . . . .	727-442-9041 Ext 134
Pinellas . . . . .	Largo Dental Center . . . . .	(727) 588-4040 Ext 4
Polk . . . . .	Lakeland Volunteers in Medicine. . . . .	(863) 688-5846 Ext 116
Polk . . . . .	Polk County Volunteer Dental Network. . . . .	(863) 519-7900 Ext 2
Sarasota . . . . .	Senior Friendship Centers . . . . .	(941) 955-2122

Please note every effort is made to include all volunteer based programs. If you are aware of changes to the list above, please contact the WCDDA office at (813) 654-2500 with the appropriate information.

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WE BELIEVE  
IN MAKING  
A DIFFERENCE



Since its inception in 2001, the WCDDA Fund grows with support from dentists and their families, friends and staff through individual contributions and by various sponsored activities. The WCDDA Fund is overseen by the WCDDA Fund Committee which reviews and approves requests for assistance.

**\$19,782 and counting has been contributed recently!**

**Let's raise \$10,000 by December 31st.**

## This Year, Your Donations Funded...

The WCDDA Fund contributions support local Access to Care programs, student aid scholarships, hurricane and disaster relief to its members as well as public education. All contributions go directly to the WCDDA Fund with the exception of 5% designated to the Florida Dental Health Foundation to cover administrative costs.

### Grants (Local Clinics, Churches, Meals on Wheels, GKAS Projects and Back to School Programs)

- Crescent Community Clinic, Spring Hill . . . . \$770.00
- Campo Family YMCA, Valrico . . . . . \$1,200.00
- Women's Shelter of Tampa . . . . . \$300.00

### Dental Assisting and Hygiene Scholarships Awarded

- Kaitlyn Connelly \$350
- Jordan Carstens \$350
- Sandy Martinez \$350
- Meghan Morris \$350
- Allbree Strouse \$350

*"I am very thankful... I'll be able to purchase my first set of ultrasonic inserts!"*  
 – Kaitlyn Connelly



### Table Clinic Awards

Table Clinic presentations are given during the WCDDA Annual Meeting and are a great opportunity for dental assisting and hygiene students to network with dentists in the community. Their presentations are judged by member dentists and awards are given to the winners.

- Hattie Khammar awarded \$100 for her presentation on "Importance of Flossing"
- Caitlin Tocknell awarded \$100 for her presentation on "Autism in Dentistry"
- Cassie Mansfield awarded \$75 for her presentation on "Myofunctional Therapy"
- Hillsborough Community College received matching gift of \$275

### Mission of Mercy (FLA-MOM)

The FDA FLA-MOM is a free, two-day dental clinic for low and no income people in Florida. This is a first-come, first-serve event with a goal of treating 2,000 patients in two days. This year #FLAMOM saw 1,905 patients and provided more than \$1.4M in donated care. Next year's event will be held at the Lee County Civic Center in Fort Myers!

**SAVE THE DATE... March 9-10, 2018**  
**Lee County Civic Center**



### West Coast Fund Committee Members

- Dr. Michael Kirsch, Sebring
- Dr. Robert Klement, Bradenton
- Mr. Steve Pollock, South Pasadena
- Mrs. Connie Reed, Tampa
- Dr. Thomas Reinhart, Tampa
- Dr. Glenn Sheumaker, Lakeland
- Mrs. Lissette Zuknick, Brandon



## Help Us Meet This Year's Goal!

Each year the WCDDA hosts raffle events in conjunction with our annual meetings; all raffle proceeds go to the WCDDA Fund. The raffle events are popular and generate much needed funds so consider donating items (trendy gadgets, timeshare, gift cards, etc.) to support the Fund.

### DONATE...

Any group, individual, dental program or company may submit a raffle item(s) donated to or transported by the WCDDA office must be received by July 1st.

### PURCHASE...

Raffle tickets range from \$5-\$50. The next raffle will be held at The Ritz-Carlton, Naples on August 3rd.

### CONTRIBUTE...

To the WCDDA Fund today and help us reach our goal of \$10,000 by December 31st.

*\*Your gift may be tax deductible.*



### Any Questions?

Contact the WCDDA office at (813) 654-2500 or e-mail: [admin@wcdental.org](mailto:admin@wcdental.org)

## Donation Form

**Yes!** I would like to contribute to the West Coast District Dental Association Fund for dental health education, workforce education and access to care projects in my area.

<input type="checkbox"/> \$25	<input type="checkbox"/> \$50
<input type="checkbox"/> \$100	<input type="checkbox"/> Other \$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> I am donating item(s) towards the raffle.	

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ CVV Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Make Check Payable to:** West Coast District Dental Association, designate – 'FUND' in the Memo  
**Mail to:** WCDDA, 1114 Kyle Wood Lane, Brandon, FL 33511 **Fax to:** (813) 654-2505  
**E-mail:** [admin@wcdental.org](mailto:admin@wcdental.org) • **Donate online:** [cvent.com/d/6cqy2c/4W](http://cvent.com/d/6cqy2c/4W)