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Annual meeting of practitioners summaries for Fall 2013

The Western and South Atlantic regions held their annual meetings of practitioners. The Western Region annual meeting was held at the Grand Hyatt in Seattle, September 27- 28, 2013. Network staff hosted a reception Friday evening and a full day of programs on Saturday for the 62 attendees who received 7 hours of continuing education credit. The Saturday sessions included keynote presentations on Evidence-Based Dentistry, network updates, and overviews of approved network studies. Practitioners discussed two upcoming studies; the Cracked Tooth Registry and Suspicious Occlusal Caries study during the morning breakout sessions. The afternoon breakout sessions focused on studies currently in development such as Dentin Hypersensitivity, HPV and

Oral Cancer, Success of Single-Unit Crown Fabrication, Hygiene Recall and Periodontal Management. Attendees also shared suggestions on how the National Network can most effectively engage practitioners. Pediatric dentists discussed study concepts for allergies and several radiograph topics, and orthodontists reviewed the recent AAO survey on topics of importance to members. Click [here](#) to view the post-meeting summary.

On October 10-11, 2013, the South Atlantic Region had its 2nd annual meeting at the Hilton Hotel and Conference Center in Gainesville, Florida. The Thursday night reception encouraged clinicians to network and to view research posters. On Friday, the 8-3:30 meeting, with 68 Network members and 10 guests attending, was a resounding success. After welcoming remarks by Regional Director Dr. Valeria Gordan and the Dean of the University of Florida College of Dentistry, Dr. Boyd Robinson, the meeting began with a keynote address by a motivational speaker. Four practitioners gave presentations on their experience with studies covering different aspects of study participation. A featured presentation by Dr. Henry Gremillion, an expert in facial pain and the Dean of the LSU Dental School, concluded the morning. After lunch and poster viewing the afternoon began with a short presentation by Dr. Henri Logan, a professor and expert on oral cancer detection. In two breakout sessions, practitioners discussed questions related to both Dr. Gremillion's and Dr. Logan's presentations. Click [here](#) to view the post-meeting summary.

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