



# The Nation's Network

Improving the nation's oral health by improving the knowledge base for clinical decision-making and moving the latest evidence into routine care.



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### Quick Poll Results

#### **Administer COVID-19 Vaccine in the Dental Office?**

Many states are considering granting dental care professionals the authority to administer the COVID-19 vaccine, and one state already allows dentists to administer non-COVID vaccines. This Quick Poll assessed network members' interest in administering a COVID-19 vaccine and factors that might influence their decision, if practices are given the authority to do so. [Read more...](#)

### COVID-19 Studies funded by NIDCR

This page lists COVID-19 research projects that NIDCR has funded nationwide through its extramural programs. The studies range from clinical to basic research, and many are conducted through the National Dental PBRN. [Read more...](#)

### Network Publication of the Month

#### **Dental practitioners' use of health risk assessments for a variety of health conditions: Results from the South Atlantic region of The National Dental Practice-Based Research Network**

An important step in integrating dental and medical care is understanding the frequency and characteristics of dental practitioners who conduct health risk assessments (HRAs). [Read more...](#)

*FYI: all of the network's scientific publications are listed on the website [here](#)*