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Sharing Oral Health Knowledge for Sustainable Smiles

Many of the world's most vulnerable people live in areas that do not have easy access to oral health care.

Do you know how to achieve sustainable, healthy smiles?

Or, have you contributed to a project that helps individuals maintain oral health, even if their access to professional and personal care is less than ideal?



Develop a Project, OR Tell Us About Your Current Project

The IFDH is encouraging its members to develop projects that can help close this gap. Projects where Dental Hygienists can share their knowledge of oral health with these vulnerable populations, whether it be in a:

- Remote community that does not have Dental Hygienists;
- Long-term care facility where nurses are responsible for care;
- Daycare where teachers spend entire days with young children;
- Hospital where oral health care needs are often overlooked, etc.

The IFDH, along with our corporate sponsor, Dentsply Sirona, would like to recognize YOU and your valuable contributions!

We will highlight three projects at a special session in Seoul, Korea at the International Symposium on Dental Hygiene (ISDH), July 11-13, 2024.



Materials to Help You & Your Project

Dental Hygienists have oral health knowledge that can be shared for sustainable smiles. They can develop resources that can transcend generations. Resources that can teach the teachers!

To support you in your project, we have developed a fact sheet for getting started. We will also present an online webinar to assist you in planning and implementing your project.

The first IFDH Social Responsibility workshop in Brisbane, Australia (2019), was highly successful and affected so many lives across the globe, followed by one in Dublin, Ireland (2022), which was equally as successful!

We hope to see you in Seoul, Korea, in 2024, where the impact will be just as big!

Go to www.IFDH.org for more information on becoming one of our Partners in Social Responsibility.

