



**Oral Health Florida Leadership Council Meeting**  
**Wednesday, January 14, 2015**  
**12:00pm – 1:00pm (EST)**

- I. Call to Order, 12:01pm
- II. Roll Call

Voting Members in attendance: Tami Miller, Dr. Beth Genho, Dr. Ed Zapert, Christine Hom (proxy for Dr. Roderick King), Dr. Scott Tomar, Dr. Frank Catalanotto, Lilli Copp

Ex-Officio Members: Mary Pelletier

Others: Beth Kidder, Erica Thomas, Dr. Claudia Serna, Christina Vracar, Bob Reifinger, Kathleen Core, Dr. Johnny Johnson, Dr. Nolan Allen
- III. Quorum established
- IV. Agenda adopted with one addition: HRSA grant update added to New Business
- V. Approval of Meeting Summary Notes – December 5, 2014
- VI. Florida's Oral Health Roadmap amended 12/5/14
  - a. Develop recruitment letter for new partners with options for engagement: Dr. Frank Catalanotto will create a draft letter, but not until after Jan 28.
  - b. Other: FDA received an email from Tami Miller concerning the updates; they will look at it at their meeting next week.
- VII. Action Team Reports
  - a. Communication Dr. Claudia Serna
    - i. Use #healthymouth for twitter and facebook. Approved.
    - ii. Create a short newsletter to be published 3 times/year: spring, summer, and fall. Approved.
    - iii. Create an Oral Health Corner on the website, short (under 500 words) topical briefs. Approved.
  - b. Data Lilli Copp
    - i. Last met in December
    - ii. Some data was updated and will be on the website in February.
    - iii. Looking for new suggestions of relevant data sources and additional resources.
    - iv. Next call, Feb 16, 4pm, will include discussion concerning dental-related ED visits.
  - c. Fluoridation Dr. Johnny Johnson
    - i. Would like available data concerning Headstart sealant program in areas with water fluoridation vs without. Lilli will send some Headstart data to him, concerning treatment needed and treatment received.
    - ii. Childrens Oral Health Project will be doing a social media storm for 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of water fluoridation.



- iii. Palatka and Putnam County are areas of concern to reinstate or start fluoridation.
    - iv. Letters of support to aid in fluoridation efforts are being gathered from various concerned groups and individuals, such as OHF and the UF Dental School dean.
    - v. American Fluoridation Society is being created, mirroring the British Fluoridation Society, to help with fluoridation efforts and information.
  - d. Med/Dent Dr. Frank Catalanotto  
Nothing to report
  - e. Sealant Christina Vracar
    - i. Collecting data on number of sealants, children, methodology, etc. to share best practices.
    - ii. Meet every other month, 3–4pm
  - f. Senior Oral Health Dr. Nolan Allen
    - i. Met last month
    - ii. Oral Health America to help connect elderly with oral care.
    - iii. ADA CE courses are up and running; trying to get funds for a Gainesville dentist, Dr. Jones, to take them.
    - iv. Next call, Feb. 3
- VIII. 2015 Oral Health Florida Conference
  - a. To be held in conjunction with FPHA Conference: Wednesday, August 19 thru Friday, August 21, with the same set-up as last year.
  - b. Coordinate with DOH PHDP for statewide Dental Director meeting in conjunction with OHF Conference
  - c. Volunteers needed to serve on 2015 Conference Committee; email Tami Miller or Scott Tomar if interested.
- IX. Unfinished Business
  - a. Governance Task Force Report by 2015 OHF Conference (Dr. Tomar, Nancy Zinser, Beth Kidder)
    - i. Haven't met yet
    - ii. Let Dr. Tomar know if you are interested in helping.
- X. New Business
  - a. Vacancy in OHF Members-at-Large
    - i. No committee for nominations will be formed.
    - ii. Send suggestions to John Marks by Jan 28, 2015.
    - iii. This will be announced again next week (21 Jan 2015) at the general meeting.
  - b. HRSA Grant Notice of Acceptance should arrive Friday or Tuesday. Dr. Catalanotto will send information to Tami Miller when it is in hand. Two inclusions: more money to support water fluoridation training and money to pay Dr. Claudia Serna as the media



specialist.

- XI. Announcements –
  - a. OHF General Membership Meeting – 1/21/15 at 1:00pm (EST); SCHIP Reauthorization; Sponsored by DentaQuest
  - b. Check OHF Calendar on OHF Website for upcoming Action Team Calls
- XII. Adjournment, 12: 59pm