

## editor's note



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**When you go to the dentist you expect him/her to have up to date skills and the latest in technology. Change in dentistry continues to happen all the time. Continuous education is necessary for every practitioner to stay on top of all the changes and advancements made each year.**

In some fields, continuing education isn't an option. Dentists and many other licensed professionals must complete a certain number of credit hours to maintain their professional licensure. Many Dentist's choose to take 'just enough' credit hours for maintenance. Wouldn't it be great to go to someone who takes well beyond the 'requirement' to be the best that he/she can be?

That's exactly what I love about the IACA! Not only is the education presented there the very best... but so are the docs that attend. They desire to learn above and beyond what the minimal requirements are by their states. They desire to learn the very latest and greatest and to increase their skills by leaps and bounds! That's exactly the kind of practitioner I want taking care of me!!

This issue is dedicated to the past 10 Years of the IACA. Many thanks go to all those who make this organization a premiere choice for dental education. Most of the articles in this issue are written by presidents (past and current) of the IACA. Take the time to read them all... you JUST might learn a thing or two!

Cheers and congratulations to the IACA...

A stylized, handwritten signature of the name 'Heidi' in a blue, cursive font.

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