

**WELCOME TO THE  
2010 AADSM 19<sup>TH</sup>  
ANNUAL MEETING**

Dear AADSM Annual Meeting Attendee:

On behalf of the American Academy of Dental Sleep Medicine Program Committee, we are excited to be hosting our 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting in San Antonio, Texas. The AADSM Program Committee has created a scientific program featuring the most current topics in dental sleep medicine as presented by dental practitioners, physicians, researchers and professionals who know them best.

Our educational courses are designed to educate dentists new to dental sleep medicine as well as update seasoned professionals. Courses will include a Primer in Dental Sleep Medicine, Specialized Topics in Dental Sleep Medicine and Advance Your General Knowledge in Dental Sleep Medicine. This year, we are very excited to announce the change of format with the general session beginning on Friday afternoon. Dr. Allan Pack, PhD, MBChB, our Keynote Lecturer, will open up the general session on Friday with a lecture on genomics/genetics and the future of sleep medicine. Next, Dr. Alan Lowe, DMD, PhD, will present an important lecture on the role of dentists in pediatric sleep disordered breathing. On Saturday and Sunday, we have an excellent line-up of experts presenting the latest information about dental sleep medicine and sleep medicine. Also, we have highlighted the oral and poster presentations – you do not want to miss learning about these exciting topics!

Beyond the scientific program, there are several other events that highlight our annual meeting. The AADSM exhibit hall, which will be open Friday through Sunday, displays the newest dental sleep medicine products and services available. Following the general session on Friday, there will be a refreshment break in the Exhibit Hall, providing attendees with a great opportunity to reconnect with friends and socialize. Nierman Practice Management will host an Industry Supported Event at 6:00 p.m. on Friday evening. The annual general membership meeting will take place on Saturday after the general session. Be sure to attend the 2010 President’s Reception on Saturday evening to celebrate the AADSM’s past presidents and the awardees of the Pierre Robin Academic Award and the Distinguished Service Award.

As Chair of the AADSM Program Committee, I would like to welcome you to the AADSM 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting. As you delve further into this program booklet, keep in mind that this meeting is a truly unique opportunity to become involved with the AADSM.

Sincerely,



Todd Morgan, DMD  
Chair, Program Committee

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