



HACC CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE

September 14, 2011

Dear Colleagues:

On Saturday, October 22nd, 2011 from 9:00 am – 3:00 pm, the dental hygiene program in conjunction with Highmark, United Concordia, Hamilton Health Center and several other health career programs at HACC as well as the Harrisburg Area Dental Society members, are sponsoring a community health day. Adults that are currently unable to receive access to medical and dental care are being offered the opportunity to receive care for the day at the Harrisburg campus in the Select Medical Health Pavilion.

Each dental hygiene program across the Commonwealth taught you, as a student, the importance of giving back to the community. Each program had a service component as part of your curriculum. I am certain it was stressed how important community service should be in your professional life.

We are asking that you consider this very worthwhile endeavor as a means of giving back to your community. We are in need of clinical hygienists and expanded function dental auxiliaries to volunteer time on this day of caring. Especially those of you who have not recently participated in a community service project, consider volunteering some time to help community members receive some much needed care.

You have until September 30th, to call HACC at 780-2419 or e-mail kmschlot@hacc.edu that you are most interested in helping us with this very worthy project. ***Don't be left out.*** The earlier you call, the better times you can request. You will be providing preventive care, and we guarantee to keep your chair full.

Remember, call or write by September 30th, 2011 to participate with us in this very special project. We look forward to hearing from you. Breakfast and lunch are provided in return for your time.

We would ask that you bring your own prophylaxis handpiece and instruments with which you like to work. Ultrasonic units and inserts are available at each chair. We will be happy to sterilize them for you prior to your departure.

With all of us working together, we can truly make many smiles in just one day.

Thank you in advance,

The Dental Hygiene Faculty
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