



Vieira Lab Newsletter

Lab Meeting Schedule 403 Salk Hall

Vieira Lab meetings are held monthly on Tuesday from 12:00-1:00

- March 16, 2010**

Presenter: Hyemi Kim

Title: Folate Awareness of the Pittsburgh College Population

Upcoming Events

AADR Annual Meeting

When: March 3-6, 2010

Where: Washington, DC

Lab News

On February 22nd, Dr. Vieira hosted the first Pre-AADR Session. This session was an opportunity for students and faculty who will be participating in the AADR annual meeting in Washington DC to practice their presentations and get feedback from their peers. The event was a great success, with an audience of 22 faculty members, 13 dental students, and several undergraduate students and guests from outside the dental school. From our school, 10 dental students will be presenting their research in Washington.

Due to its success and positive feedback from all who participated, the plan is for the session to become an annual event to help prepare student and faculty researchers for national and international meetings.



The materials used in Kate Quinlin's study (mentored by Dr. Vieira): the skull collection of the School of Dental Medicine and almost 200 casts used in the recent past by our students to treat operative dentistry or prosthodontic needs of the school's patients. The study concluded that the tooth loss of this group of patients treated at the SDM is equal or higher to the loss experienced by individuals who lived prior to the formal establishment of dental education in the United States.

DRDR Update

Recruitment Summary

Subjects Recruited	1815
Subjects Declined	184
Compliance Rate	90%

Recruitment Location

Module 1	351	Emergency Care	62	UDHS	6
Module 2	659	Oral Surgery	14	Orthodontics	123
Module 3	187	Pediatric Dentistry	83	Other	68
Module 4	93	Implant Center	14	AEGD	18
Dental Hygiene	117	Prosthodontics	8	Perio	5
Endo	7				