



# Vieira Lab Newsletter

## Lab Meeting Schedule 403 Salk Hall

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

- February 23, 2010**

Presenter: Mine Yildirim

Title: Candidate Gene Studies of Cleft Lip and Palate in a Turkish Population

## Upcoming Events

### Pre-AADR Local Pittsburgh Chapter Meeting

When: February 22, 2010

5pm-8pm

Where: 402 Salk Hall

### AAADR Annual Meeting

When: March 3-6, 2010

Where: Washington, DC

## Recent Publications

Murdoch AM, Patir A, Seymen F, Vieira AR. Studies of *Palatine rugae* and interferon regulatory factor 6 variations in a group of families with sporadic hypodontia. *J Oral Sci.* 2009 Dec; 51(4): 521-6.

## Lab News

Every year, the American Association for Dental Research (AADR) hosts a conference for researchers in the United States and abroad to present new findings in the dental research field. This year, the conference is being held from March 3-6 in Washington, DC. Seven students who are involved with the Vieira Lab will be attending the conference and presenting their research. Of the students and topics listed below, Maria Ferraro and Kate Quinlin will be participating in a poster presentation and discussion, and Ida Anjomshoaa will be giving an oral presentation of her work. The other 4 students will be presenting their research and findings through a poster at the conference.

Julie Gum: "Students' Perception of Clinical Preparedness to Detect Possible Carious Lesions"

James Martin: "Prescription Drug Abuse Awareness Among Dental Professionals"

Lisa Babb: "Detection of Carotid Artery Blockage in the Dental Setting"

Maria Ferraro: "A Comparison of Oral Health Behaviors of Professional Students"

Ida Anjomshoaa: "Aquaporin Genetic Markers Are Associated with High Caries Experience"

Kate Quinlin: "Tooth Loss in Two US Populations Living a Century Apart"

Steven Barket: "Study of Head and Neck Cancer Curriculum in Pittsburgh"



## DRDR Update

### Recruitment Summary

<b>Subjects Recruited</b>	1720
<b>Subjects Declined</b>	169
<b>Compliance Rate</b>	91%

### Recruitment Location

<b>Module 1</b>	331	<b>Emergency Care</b>	62	<b>UDHS</b>	6
<b>Module 2</b>	634	<b>Oral Surgery</b>	14	<b>Orthodontics</b>	120
<b>Module 3</b>	166	<b>Pediatric Dentistry</b>	73	<b>Other</b>	66
<b>Module 4</b>	83	<b>Implant Center</b>	14	<b>AEGD</b>	18
<b>Dental Hygiene</b>	113	<b>Prosthodontics</b>	8	<b>Perio</b>	5