



Vieira Lab Newsletter

Lab News

6,000

The **Dental Registry and DNA Repository** has reached 6,000 samples with the help of 191 students over the past 11 years. The DRDR is a valuable resource of information for the stimulation of scientific research. We are very happy to have reached the outstanding number of 6,000 patients and invite the School of Dental Medicine, staff and faculty to also share our enthusiasm with this announcement. We have met our sample collection goals by sending undergraduate students in to the clinics here at the University of Pittsburgh School of Dental Medicine and asking patients if they would like to participate. We have maintained an 80% compliance rate for patient participation. Our lab would like to thank all of the patients who have participated and thank the students, faculty and staff for their support in helping us become successful.

There have been more than 16 publications written due to research completed with the use of these samples and over 20 Pitt faculty members have been supported by the DRDR.

Lab/DRDR Meeting

Friday, September 29
4:00 p.m. 414 Salk Pavilion

CCR Seminar

Mondays at 1:00 p.m.
October 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30
CVS Conference room

Oral Biology Journal Club

Tuesdays at 12:00 p.m.
October 3, 17 & 31
414 Salk Pavilion

Lab/DRDR Meeting

Friday, October 13
12:00 p.m. 414 Salk Pavilion

DRDR Update

Tables show running totals of patient recruitment

Subject Recruitment Location

Module 1	1530	Emergency Care	74	UDHS	8
Module 2	1821	Oral Surgery	32	Orthodontics	232
Module 3	705	Pediatric Dentistry	315	Other	140
Module 4	471	Implant Center	15	AEGD	26
Dental Hygiene	386	Prosthodontics	112	Perio	70
Endo	71				

Recruitment Summary

Subjects Recruited	6008
Subjects Declined	1215
Compliance Rate	80%
Gender	47% male 53% female