



# POLK COUNTY DENTAL ASSOCIATION

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## Polk County Dental Association

**A current update to bring awareness to dentists re-  
garding the evolving COVID-19 pandemic**

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**Tuesday, January 19, 2021**



### Objectives:

- ◆ Raise awareness regarding the local COVID-19 situation
- ◆ To increase understanding of COVID-19 testing and treatments
- ◆ Convey information regarding the COVID-19 vaccination effort

### Outline:

- I. Review the current hospital stats
- II. Describe testing benefits and short falls
- III. Review the vaccination options and mass vaccination plan

Dr. Haight attended medical school at the University of South Florida, Morsani College of Medicine and received his Medical Doctorate, May 1988. He was American College of Physicians' Most Outstanding Student in Internal Medicine. He was elected to Alpha Omega Alpha Medical Honor Society.

He received his undergraduate at the Univ. of South Florida Bachelor of Science Degree in Biology; 1987. - Magna Cum Laude.

**This meeting will be held at Grasslands Golf & Country Club, 1600 Grasslands Blvd., Lakeland. Dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m., and the meeting will start at 7 p.m. Please RSVP to Tisha Talbot @**

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### **Academic appointments.**

**Professor;** University of South Florida, Morsani College of Medicine

Department of Internal Medicine

Division of Infectious Diseases and International Medicine, August 2020-present

He was the Assistant Professor 1996-2003 and the Associate Professor 2003-2020

### **Hospital Appointments**

VP of Community Health/Lakeland Regional Hospital, 2013-present

Medical Director, Hemodialysis Unit/Lakeland Regional Hospital 2019-present

Medical Director, Infection Prevention/Lakeland Regional Hospital 2013-present

Consulting Medical Staff/Lakeland Regional Hospital 2008-present

Active Staff/Tampa General Hospital 1996-present

### **Other Professional Positions Held**

Director, Florida Department of Health in Polk County 1996-2012

Vital Statistics Registrar, Polk County 1996-2012

Chairperson, Health & Medical Bioterrorism Preparedness Committee

Tampa Bay Regional Domestic Task Force

US Dept of Homeland Security Secret Clearance 2001-2012

Physician Consultant, 10th Judicial Circuit Drug Court 2012

### **Awards, Honors, and Memberships in Honorary Societies**

Elected to the Fellowship of the American College of Physicians (FACP) 2009-present

Recognized as Fellow, Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America 2011–present

Listed, Best Doctors in America 2011-2019

Davis Productivity Award (team certificate of commendation) - Student Preceptor Program Development & Implementation 2013

Dr. Haight has an extensive list of Awards, Honors, and Memberships as well as numerous teachings and a long list of invitations to give many lectures, presentations, and Interviews. He has also published several Peer-Reviewed Journals and other media.



## Share a smile with a colleague this 2020

Never has it been more of an important time to stand unified as a dental community. 2020 has thrown new challenges to our county, state, and nation. Share a smile this 2020/21 year by sponsoring a member's dues. It could be a colleague who may have been tremendously affected by COVID-19, simply a peer who has always been there for you, it could be for a random doctor, or it may be you who needs a little helping hand. Email Tisha @ [pcdae-mail@gmail.com](mailto:pcdae-mail@gmail.com) to sponsor or if you need sponsored. All sponsors and recipients will be kept anonymous. Let's share and pay it forward.