ADEA Reference Committee on Association Policy Report

The ADEA Reference Committee on Association Policy convened its hearing on Sunday, March 12, 2023, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. at the Oregon Convention Center Room: G-131. The reference committee was present to consider verbal testimony offered by members during the hearing. Approximately 17 individuals attended this hearing. The reference committee considered verbal testimony offered by members during the hearing on resolutions 4H-2023 through 7H-2023, 12H-2023 and 13H-2023.

Resolution 4H-2023 Climate Change and Implications for Health, Oral Health and Oral Health Education

There was no discussion or comments on this resolution.

The Reference Committee on Association Policy recommends the adoption of Resolution 4H-2023.

Resolution 5H-2023 ADEA Policy on Oral Health Providers’ Education and Care for People With Intellectual and Developmental Disorders and Special Health Care Needs

There was no discussion or comments on this resolution.

The Reference Committee on Association Policy recommends the adoption of Resolution 5H-2023.

Resolution 6H-2023 ADEA Establishment of an ADEA Position Statement on the Crisis of Historically Underrepresented Men of Color in the Academic Health Professions

There was no discussion or comments on this resolution.

The Reference Committee on Association Policy recommends the adoption of Resolution 6H-2023.

Resolution 7H-2023 ADEA Council of Allied Dental Program Directors 2023 ADEA Competencies for Allied Dental Professions

There was no discussion or comments on this resolution.

The Reference Committee on Association Policy recommends the adoption of Resolution 7H-2023.

Resolution 12H-2023: Bystander to Upstander Policy at Dental Schools

The Committee heard testimony in support of adoption; however, the Committee heard more testimony recommending that the Committee refer the resolution to the ADEA Board of Directors.

The Reference Committee on Association Policy recommends Resolution 12H-2023 be referred to the ADEA Board of Directors for further study and action.
Resolution 13H-2023: (Untitled)

The Committee heard testimony in support of adoption; however, the Committee heard more testimony recommending that the Committee refer the resolution to the ADEA Board of Directors.

The Reference Committee on Association Policy recommends Resolution 13H-2023 be referred to the ADEA Board of Directors for further study and action.

Submitted by Members of the ADEA Reference Committee on Association Policy:

ADEA Corporate Council
- Chair, Mr. Justin Bower, Haleon

ADEA Council of Advanced Education Programs
- Dr. Thikriat Al-Jewair, University at Buffalo School of Dental Medicine

ADEA Council of Allied Dental Program Directors
- Prof. Marion Manski, Virginia Commonwealth University

ADEA Council of Deans
- Dr. Rick Black, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center El Paso Woody Hunt School of Dental Medicine

ADEA Council of Faculties
- Dr. Ethelyn Thomason, University of Colorado School of Dental Medicine

ADEA Council of Sections
- Dr. Michelle Brady, University of the Pacific, Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry

ADEA Council of Students, Residents and Fellows
- Dr. Manavi Nagai, Harvard School of Dental Medicine