



**First Annual Meskin Symposium**  
**“Expanding Access to Primary Care: New Oral Health Workforce Models”**  
**June 4-5, 2008**

**GOAL:** To identify methods to increase the oral health workforce to meet the health and oral health needs of the public

**LOCATION:** New York University College of Dentistry  
 345 E. 24<sup>th</sup> Street  
 New York, NY

**DATES:**      **Wednesday, June 4, 2008**      **12:30PM – 7:00PM**  
                   **Thursday, June 5, 2008**            **8:00AM – 4:00PM**

**DAY 1: Wednesday, June 4, 2008- Room #614**

12:15 – 12:45 PM	On-site Registration
12:45 – 1:15 PM	Welcome and Announcement of the Meskin Fellowship– Dr. Linda C. Niessen, President, SFG Dr. Robert Berne, Senior VP for Health, New York University Dr. Charles Bertolami, Dean, NYU College of Dentistry
	Introduction to the Meeting – Dr. Dominick DePaola
1:15 – 2:00 PM	Keynote Address – Dr. Jo Ivey Boufford Topic – 30 minutes / Q&A – 15 Minutes
2:00 – 2:45 PM	“New Models for Health Care Delivery in Dental Practices” – Dr. Edward O’Neil Topic – 30 minutes / Q&A – 15 Minutes
2:45 – 3:15 PM	Break
3:15 – 4:00 PM	“Ethical (and other) Issues Related to Improvement of Access to Oral Health Care” – Dr. Frank Catalanotto Topic – 30 minutes / Q&A – 15 Minutes
4:00 – 4:45 PM	“The States' Role in Workforce Policy: Battlefield or Playground?” – Ms. Shelly Gehshan Topic – 30 minutes / Q&A – 15 Minutes
4:45 – 5:00 PM	Outline of Next Day’s Meeting – Dr. Dominick DePaola
5:00 – 7:00 PM	Welcome Reception and Tours - <i>The Alfano Commons</i>

For on-site assistance, please contact Michele Mummert ph. 717-891-0722

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**AGENDA (continued)**

**DAY 2: Thursday, June 5, 2008**

7:00 – 8:00 AM	Continental Breakfast – <i>Room #611</i>
8:00 – 9:00 AM	<u>Meeting – Room #614</u> Facilitated Discussion: Dr. Jay Gershen & Dr. Frank Catalanotto TOPIC A: Need & Demand for New Work Force to Improve Health & Expand Access to Care
9:00 – 10:00 AM	Facilitated Discussion: Dr. Kathleen O’Loughlin & Dr. Ronald Inge TOPIC B: Barriers & Solutions– Impediment to Workforce Development
10:00 – 10:30 AM	Break
10:30 – 11:30 AM	Workforce Models Panel Discussion – Dr. Arthur Dugoni, Moderator American Dental Association Model– Dr. Amid Ismail American Dental Hygiene Assn Model – Jean Connor, RDH Alaska Dental Therapist Model – Dr. Ronald Nagel Nursing Model – Dr. Terry Fulmer
11:30 - 12:30PM	Facilitated Discussion: Dr. Terry Fulmer & Dr. Jerold Goldberg TOPIC C: Evaluating Current Best Practices & New Approach to Workforce Development
12:30 – 1:30 PM	Plated Lunch – <i>The Alfano Commons</i>
1:30 – 3:30 PM	Plenary Session – Dr. Michael Alfano & Dr. Charles Bertolami Recommendations & Action Plans
3:30 – 4:00 PM	Concluding Comments – SFG Members