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ADHA Announces winner of Alfred C Fones Award

Margaret Fehrenbach a mainstay in the Dental Hygiene Community

BOSTON—The American Dental Hygienists' Association honored Margaret Fehrenbach, RDH, MS as the winner of the 2013 Alfred C Fones award at the 90th Annual Center for Lifelong Learning in Boston this month. The Alfred C Fones award is given to a member of ADHA who has made significant and lasting contributions to the dental hygiene profession over a period of 25 years.

A past recipient of the ADHA Award for Excellence, Fehrenbach has made her mark through the advancement of the science of dental hygiene. She is the author of numerous journals and texts, including *Illustrated Anatomy of the Head and Neck* and significant portions of *Local Anesthesia for Dental Hygienists*. She is a past member of the *Access Magazine* advisory board, a reviewer for the *Journal of Dental Hygiene*, and is currently a member of the Tobacco Intervention Initiative Advisory Committee.

Currently, Fehrenbach is the Director of her Seattle-based company Dental Hygiene Education Consulting. She obtained her undergraduate degree from Marquette University, where she is a Distinguished Alumnus, and her Master's Degree from the University of Washington Dental School in Seattle.

The Alfred C Fones Award is the namesake of the dentist responsible for the founding of the profession of dental hygiene in 1913. ADHA celebrated the profession's centennial with this year's annual session theme "100 Years: Proud Past, Unlimited Future."

About the American Dental Hygienists' Association

The American Dental Hygienists' Association (ADHA) is the largest national organization representing the professional interests of more than 150,000 dental hygienists across the country. Dental hygienists are preventive oral health professionals, licensed in dental hygiene, who provide educational, clinical and therapeutic services that support total health through the promotion of optimal oral health. For more information about ADHA, dental hygiene or the link between oral health and general health, visit ADHA at www.adha.org.