

## 1997 AAPHD Graduate Student Merit Awards for Outstanding Achievement in Dental Public Health

### FIRST PLACE

**Assessment of Hepatitis B Vaccination in United States Children <6 Years Old, 1993 and 1994**  
*Monica A. Fisher, DDS, MS, MPH*  
*University of Michigan, School of Public Health, Department of Epidemiology*  
 Nominator: Dr. Brian A. Burt

### SECOND PLACE

**Hospital Emergency Department Visits for Craniofacial Injuries: United States, 1993-94**  
*Sharon Gordon, DDS, MPH*  
*Department of Health and Human Services, NIDR, Public Health Service, Bethesda, MD*  
 Nominators: Dr. Dushanka V. Kleinman and Dr. Robert H. Selwitz

### THIRD PLACE

**Educational and Behavioral Diagnoses of Latino Youths in Relation to Oral Cancer, Tobacco, and Alcohol**  
*Maria Teresa Canto, MS, DDS, MPH*  
*VA Medical Center, Dental Service, Perry Point, MD*  
 Nominators: Dr. Harold S. Goodman and Dr. Denise J. Fedele

## 1997 AAPHD Student Merit Awards for Outstanding Achievement in Community Dentistry

### FIRST PLACE

**The Oral Health Status, Knowledge, Attitudes, and Behaviors of Known Substance Abusers**  
*Lindsey Marshall*  
*Harvard School of Dental Medicine, Oral Health Policy and Epidemiology*  
 Nominator: Dr. Myron Allukian, Jr.

### SECOND PLACE

**Dallas County Dental Society Mid-winter Sealant Initiative**  
*Brad Guyton*  
*Baylor College of Dentistry, Department of Public Health Sciences*  
 Nominator: Dr. Linda C. Niessen

### THIRD PLACE

**Operation Smile-Team Maryland**  
*William P. Magee, BS, Daniel I. Taub, BS*  
*Baltimore College of Dental Surgery Dental School, University of Maryland, Department of Oral Health Care Delivery*  
 Nominator: Dr. Gary A. Colangelo

## Honorable Mention (AAPHD Graduate Student Merit Awards)

**A Survey of Oral Health Status, Knowledge, Attitudes, and Behavior of a Sample of Boston High School Students**  
*Abudulmohsen Aljammaz, BDS, DScD*  
*Boston University, School of Graduate Dentistry*  
 Nominator: Dr. Myron Allukian Jr.

**The Effect of School-based/Linked Sealant Program Components on a Target Population Penetration**  
*Homa Amini, DDS, MPH*  
*University of Illinois at Chicago, School of Public Health and Department of Pediatric Dentistry*  
 Nominator: Dr. William R. Hall

**Don't Lose Face: Professional Oral Cancer Awareness**  
*Douglas J. Brothwell, DEd, DMD*  
*University of Toronto, Department of Community Dentistry*  
 Nominator: Dr. J. L. Leake