

Terri Chandler, RDH
Future Smiles Founder and Executive Director
Curriculum Vitae

A. Personal Data

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B. Education

- 2020 UNLV Nonprofit Certification – Management, Fundraising and Grant Writing – Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2004 Class II Laser Certification Course- Standard Proficiency - Las Vegas, Nevada
- 1999 Associates Degree in Applied Science- Dental Hygiene College of Southern Nevada– Las Vegas, Nevada
- 1989 Expanded Function Dental Auxiliary Case Western Reserve University– Cleveland, Ohio
- 1984 Certified Dental Assistant American Academy for Medical/Dental Assistants- Las Vegas, Nevada

C. Professional Licenses and Certifications

- 2008 Arizona Dental Hygiene License
- 2000 California Dental Hygiene License
- 1999 Nevada Dental Hygiene License
- 1999 National Board Dental Hygiene Examination
- 1989 Certificate Expanded Function Dental Auxiliary
- 1989 Certified Dental Assistant Dental Assisting National Board, Inc.

D. Governor Appointments

- 2018-Present DPBH Advisory Committee on the State Program for Oral Health by Governor Brian Sandoval and Governor Steven Sisolak
- 2017 Nevada State Board of Dental Examiners by Governor Brian Sandoval

E. Honors/Recognition

Professional Awards and Certifications

- 2022 AARP Purpose Prize Fellow
- 2021 Dental Professional *Vegas INC* Health Care Headliners
- 2012 Sunstar Butler RDH Award of Distinction
- 2012 Dental Professional *Vegas INC* Health Care Headliners
- 2010 Nevada Dental Hygienists' Association (NDHA) Leadership Award
- 2010 Southern Nevada Dental Hygienists' Association (SNDHA) Recognition for Dedication to Community Service
- 2006 SNDHA Outstanding Dental Hygienist Award
- 1999 National Board Certified Dental Hygienist
- 1999 Phi Theta Kappa- All-State Academic Team
- 1999 Community Oral Health Award
- 1999 Leadership Award

Future Smiles Awards and Certifications

- 2019 Office of Assemblywoman Susie Lee Proclamation
- 2019 Office of County Commissioner Brian Jones Proclamation
- 2015 Communities In Schools The Power Within
- 2013 Silver ACE Award School Health Promotion
- 2011 Office of the Governor Brian Sandoval Certificate of Recognition
- 2010-2011 Clark County School District Partnership Program Certificate of Recognition
- 2010 Silver Syringe Award for Children's Health Care and Champion Award Presented by the Southern Nevada Immunization and Health Coalition
- 2010-2011 Communities In Schools Certificate of Appreciation in Recognition of Partnership and Commitment to Student Health and Wellbeing
- 2010 Communities In Schools Certificate of Recognition for Outstanding Support in the Dental Health Initiative

F. Professional Experience

2009-Present	Future Smiles Founder/Executive Director In 2009 Ms. Chandler founded, Future Smiles (FS), a Nevada nonprofit with a mission to increase access to dental healthcare for underserved populations. FS follows guidelines created by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) research-based model for a Coordinated School Health Program (CSHP). CSHP has given FS a model to support our mission through an organized oral health program coordinated to address the unmet health needs of K-12 students in school-based settings. FS and the Clark County School District (CCSD) are working together to decrease children's pain and suffering from dental disease through education, prevention, and restorative care allowing the children served to thrive physically, mentally and academically. Since its inception, Future Smiles has provided oral health services to more than 170,000 at-risk Clark County children.
2004-2010	Nevada State Health Division's Oral Health Program (NSHD-OHP) Nevada Coalition Coordinator/Nevada Dental Sealant Coordinator Duties included coalition planning, communication between the statewide oral health coalitions and the NSHD Oral Health Program, facilitate program development, guide program activities and identify funding opportunities, all while supporting grant development, management and reporting. As Coordinator, Ms. Chandler was tasked to monitor, document and report to the coalitions, the Advisory Committee for Oral Health and the NSHD Oral Health Program. In 2005, Ms. Chandler drafted, submitted and gained approval for the Community Coalition for Oral Health's (CCOH) IRS non-profit statute 501(c)(3). In 2008, the coordinator's position was expanded to include tracking, data collection, Best Practices, surveillance and technical support to the statewide school-based sealant programs.
1999/Present	Private Practice- Registered Dental Hygienist
1982-1999	Private Practice- Certified Dental Assistant

G. Professional Association Experience

2015-2016	American Dental Hygienists' Association Appointment to Council on Regulation and Practice
2015	Unleashing Your Potential – Leadership Development Training
2015	16th Annual National Oral Health Conference Event Speaker Session Title: School-Based Oral Health Programs and Student Performance
2014-2015	American Dental Hygienists' Association Appointment to Council on Public Health
2014-2015	American Dental Hygienists' Association District XI Alternate Delegate for Arizona State Dental Hygienists' Association
2010	Nevada Statewide Dental Sealant Plan co-author collaborating with the Nevada State Health Division's Oral Health Program to help draft the Statewide Dental Sealant Plan by providing institutional knowledge, history, technical support, data collection and strategic planning.
2006	American Dental Hygienists' Association (ADHA) Lobby Day Nevada Dental Hygienists' Association Alternate Delegate The ADHA Lobby Day was an opportunity to share our profession's message that all too many Americans are suffering from this silent epidemic caused by the nation's tremendous unmet oral health needs. As an expert of the public dental health issues in Nevada, the NDHA appointed Ms. Chandler along with the NDHA President to represent NDHA to speak to the Nevada US Senators at this event. ADAH organized a day filled with meetings that allowed robust discussions

	pertaining to Nevada and national oral health issues. Ms. Chandler also served as the Nevada Alternate Delegate at the ADHA House of Delegates meeting.
2005	America Dental Hygienists' Association (ADHA) Annual Session Hospitality Chair-Las Vegas, Nevada As an ADHA appointed position, Ms. Chandler worked with the NDHA Executive Committee and the ADHA Annual Session Planning Committee (corporate headquarters Chicago, Illinois) to plan the meeting, organize volunteers and draft informational brochures on Las Vegas. She also staffed the reception and participated in the post meeting review session with ADHA.
2005, 2006, 2007, 2009	Nevada Dental Hygienists' Association Speaker of the House The Speaker of the House presides over the NDHA Annual House of Delegates meeting abiding to Robert's Rule of Order with the assistance of a professional Parliamentarian.
2001-2004	Southern Nevada Dental Hygienists' Association (SNDHA) Component Trustee Ms. Chandler's role included arranging the venue for the Nevada House of Delegates meeting, budget management, and continuing education presentations, securing speakers for the CEU, soliciting corporate sponsors and organizing the delegates.

H. Professional Presentations and Activities

2021	Nevada Dental Hygienists' Association <i>Got an NPI Webinar</i>
2021	Dimensions of Dental Hygiene <i>Professional Spotlight March Edition</i>
2021	Texas Dental Hygienists' Association <i>Alternate Career Panel Discussion Webinar</i>
2019	National Maternal and Child Oral Health Resource Center contributor to publication <i>Promoting Oral Health in Schools: A Resource Guide (4th edition)</i>
2019	National Oral Health Conference <i>"Hear No Evil, See No Evil, Speak No Evil"</i>
2018	School Based Health Alliance <i>"Strategies to Increase Parent Consent"</i>
2015-2017	Future Smiles Program Evaluation A partnership with the DentaQuest Foundation and ICF International
2015-2017	Children's Dental Health Project Sealant Work Group-Member
2015	Oral Health America Webinar <i>"School-Based Oral Health Program's Impact on Student Performance"</i>
2015	School-Based Health Alliance Webinar <i>"Nuts and Bolts of School-Based Oral Health Programing"</i>
2015	Arizona State Dental Hygienists' Association Event Speaker Keynote: <i>Future Smiles School-Based Oral Health Program and the Role of the Registered Dental Hygienists</i>
2015	Nevada State Legislature Lobby Day for "Oral Health Advocacy" Event host Oral Health Nevada organized statewide oral health advocates to educate Nevada's oral health needs to state policy makers.
2015	ICF International September publication <i>"Future Smiles Program Evaluation Teacher Interview Summary"</i>
2015	School-Based Health Alliance Poster Session <i>"SBOHP Implementation to Outcomes"</i>
2015	16th Annual National Oral Health Conference Event Speaker Session Title: <i>School-Based Oral Health Programs and Student Performance</i>
2015	Inside Dentistry March publication <i>"Caries Conundrum- How We Continue to Fail the Patients Who Need Use Most"</i> by Jackie Syrop
2014	15th Annual National Oral Health Conference Event Speaker Session Title: <i>Funding, Growing, and Strengthening Oral Health Programs = Sustainability</i>
2013	Consultant to Iowa Office of Public Health-Monona County Community Alliance (MCCA) for School-Based Dental Sealant Pilot Program Design. MCCA Regional Oral Health Partnership Delta Dental Large Contributor Project Grant

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2010	Nevada Statewide Dental Sealant Plan co-author collaborating with the Nevada State Health Division's Oral Health Program to help draft the Statewide Dental Sealant Plan by providing institutional knowledge, history, technical support, data collection and strategic planning.
2007	Presenter: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Oral Health Workshop " <i>Coalition Success Stories</i> " PowerPoint presentation featuring Nevada's innovative programs including "Senior Smiles," "Art of the Smile Gala," and coalition development of the "Community Coalition for Oral Health."
2007	Keynote Speaker: Nevada Dental Hygienists' Association (NDHA) House of Delegates Meeting " <i>The Gift to Dental Hygiene</i> " motivational speech to dental hygienists in Nevada.
2006	Art of the Smile Gala This fundraising event brought together the Las Vegas Art Community and the Community Coalition for Oral Health (CCOH) to bring awareness of the oral health disparity in Nevada and to raise funding for 1DAY (a volunteer dental program that provides dental services to at-risk, uninsured children. The Gala raised a gross amount of \$48,000.
2003-2010	Dental Hygiene Advisory Committee-Chair 2009-2010 This is an appointed position by the College of Southern Nevada Program Manager wherein local professionals interface with the dental hygiene program to provide expertise and advice regarding academic curriculum, community service and educational needs of the dental hygiene program.
1998-1999	Concerned Citizens for Community Water Fluoridation As a coalition member of the successful grass-roots campaign that passed legislation to fluoridate the municipal water supply of Clark County through the Southern Nevada Water Authority. Her contributions included a branding campaign, logo development, strategic planning and a marketing/public relations plan. She also developed and provided an educational program on water fluoridation for both the general public and policy makers. Legislation was passed and by year 2000, Clark County (Las Vegas) was the first Nevada County to provide fluoridated water.