

Faculty Governance Document

FACULTY GOVERNANCE UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO SCHOOL OF DENTAL MEDICINE

PART I

STRUCTURE OF FACULTY GOVERNANCE

The faculty of the University of Colorado School of Dental Medicine (CUSDM) is a self-governing body which operates according to the Constitution of the Faculty Senate of the School of Dental Medicine and the Laws of the Regents of the University of Colorado. This organization exists within a framework of faculty governance at the University of Colorado Denver. The framework provides for interaction within the School, at the campus level and at the system-wide level.

The system-wide level has two bodies which reports to the President of the University. One body is the system-wide Faculty Senate which consists of all faculty who meet membership requirements as defined in the Constitution of the University of Colorado Denver Faculty Senate. The second body is the Faculty Council, which is a representative body with members from each campus and each school.

The University of Colorado Denver has a representative body on the Anschutz Medical Campus (AMC) called the Faculty Assembly of UCD. This group has a set of officers and representatives from each school on the AMC-UCD campus. Individual membership in the UCD Faculty Assembly can be defined independently from the university-wide definition, but officers and representatives to the university-wide system must meet membership requirements of the university-wide constitution.

The CUSDM faculty governing body is called the CUSDM Faculty Senate with membership defined in the Constitution of the Faculty Senate of the School of Dental Medicine. Officers of the CUSDM Faculty Senate and representatives to the UCD Faculty Assembly and University-wide Faculty Council also must meet membership requirement of those bodies. Officers and Representatives of the CUSDM Faculty Senate are elected by the members of the CUSDM Faculty Senate.

PART II

CONSTITUTION OF THE FACULTY SENATE OF THE SCHOOL OF DENTAL MEDICINE

(Current document was approved by the Faculty Senate on July 10, 2019)

(All references to the Laws of the Regents are to the Laws adopted July 2006,
and printed from the website July 2008)

ARTICLE I: ORGANIZATION

A. Department Organization

1. The School of Dental Medicine shall consist of the Department of Community Dentistry and Population Health, the Department of Craniofacial Biology, the Department of Diagnostic and Biological Sciences, the Department of Orthodontics, the Department of Restorative Dentistry, the Department of Pediatrics and the Department of Surgical Dentistry.
2. In accordance with Article 4, Part B of the Laws of the Regents, each department shall be responsible for developing its own working structure in consultation with the Dean, for defining how personnel and budgetary matters shall be handled within the department, for determining responsibility for other departmental matters and for making recommendations for appointments, reappointments, continuous appointments and promotions in strict conformance with procedures approved by the Regents and by the School of Dental Medicine.
3. In accordance with Appendix A (APS 1022) of the Laws of the Regents, the entire School of Dental Medicine is defined as the primary unit for purposes of recommending and evaluating faculty being put forth for appointment, reappointment, promotion and tenure.

B. Administrative Organization

1. In accordance with Article 4, Part A of the Laws of the Regents, the Dean shall be the principal administrative officer of the School of Dental Medicine and shall be the presiding officer of its faculty. The Dean shall be responsible for the enforcement of admission requirements and for the general effectiveness of all departments within the School. He or she shall supervise and administer all matters pertaining only to the School of Dental Medicine, including budgetary planning and the allocation of available funds, faculty assignments, faculty and staff personnel policies and decisions (including promotions and salary increments), curriculum planning and revision, course changes, and the academic advising and progress of students. Departmental chairpersons and faculty members shall confer with the Dean about problems relating to all such matters. The Dean shall make regular reports to the President through the Chancellor of the Health Sciences Center and to the Faculty of the School of Dental Medicine.
2. The administrator responsible for the Office of Academic Affairs shall have the responsibility for implementation and operation of all curricula of the School and for coordinating

educational programs with the department chairpersons, including requests, allocations and revisions of the curriculum; and for maintaining academic standards detailed in the School's academic policies.

3. The administrator responsible for the Office of Admissions and Student Affairs shall coordinate all aspects of student affairs, including student recruitment, admissions, advising, student governance, and quality of student life.
4. The administrator responsible for the Office of Financial Affairs shall have the responsibility for coordinating and monitoring all budgetary and fiscal activities of the School of Dental Medicine. In consultation with the Dean, he/she shall be responsible for all budgets for the School and modifying them as required. This person is also responsible for monitoring the expenditure of all funds within the School to assure compliance with established budgets and with relevant budget and fiscal policies and procedures. In the absence of the Dean, the administrator responsible for the Office of Financial Affairs acts in the Dean's behalf concerning all budgetary and fiscal affairs of the School of Dental Medicine.
5. The administrator responsible for the Office of Clinical Operations and Patient Services shall have the responsibility for coordinating all activities involving patient care for pre- and post-doctoral programs. This includes, but is not limited to, risk management, assignment of patients to students, monitoring students' clinical progress, monitoring patients' progress, development of patient management guidelines, and evaluation of patient management. In consultation with appropriate department and/or division chairpersons, he/she shall be responsible for the development and implementation of clinic policies, procedures, student requirements and shall schedule appropriate clinical time and faculty clinic coverage.
6. The administrator responsible for the Office of Diversity and Inclusion shall have the responsibility for coordinating all activities focused on enhancing diversity and inclusion within our student body, as well as within our faculty, and staff. This includes, but is not limited to, ensuring appropriate training for admissions committee members, cultural competency initiatives within the curriculum, and appropriate training for faculty and staff in the areas of diversity and inclusion. The goal of the Office of Diversity and Inclusion is to foster an inviting learning environment for the diverse students, faculty and staff who bring diverse perspectives to the School of Dental Medicine community. The administrator will be the School of Dental Medicine's representative on campus in all matters related to Diversity and Inclusion.
7. In accordance with Article 4, Part B and Appendix B of the Laws of the Regents, a Chairperson shall be the principal officer of each department and shall be responsible for the effective and efficient administration of his or her department. The Chairperson shall have the responsibility for providing intellectual leadership toward achievement of the highest possible level of excellence in the teaching, research, and service activities of the department. With the advice and counsel of his or her departmental colleagues and acting under the rules of the department, the Chairperson shall be the department's representative and spokesperson. In implementing the rules of the department with respect to recommendations for faculty appointments, tenure and salary increases, the Chairperson may submit his or her own comments to the Dean in addition to the recommendations of the departmental faculty, but he or she may not overrule decisions of the department or its regularly-constituted committees. Administratively, the Chairperson shall be responsible to the Dean and to the department for

carrying out all leadership and administrative roles and responsibilities identified in Appendix B of the Laws of the Regents.

C. Faculty

1. In accordance with Article 5, Part E.5 of the Laws of the Regents, the faculty of the School of Dental Medicine shall consist of all general members of the teaching and research staff holding the rank of instructor or above. The faculty shall have jurisdiction over all matters that concern only the School of Dental Medicine, such as educational policy, curriculum, including academic requirements for admission, for continuance and for graduation. In addition, the faculty of the School of Dental Medicine shall have jurisdiction over matters of academic ethics under such procedures as may be approved by the Board of Regents.

The faculty of the University of Colorado School of Dental Medicine have elected to form the University of Colorado School of Dental Medicine Faculty Senate to facilitate self-governance.

ARTICLE II: FACULTY SENATE

A. Membership

1. All full-time members of the faculty, and part-time members who are appointed for 50% FTE or more, shall be entitled to voting membership in the Faculty Senate. All members of the part-time faculty who are appointed for less than 50% FTE may participate in the Faculty Senate as non-voting members, except those part-time faculty with current standing committee appointment, who shall also be voting members of the Faculty Senate.

B. Officers and Representatives

1. The President of the Faculty Senate shall conduct the meetings of the Faculty Senate, shall represent the faculty on the Executive Committee of the School of Dental Medicine and shall perform related duties as elected representative of the faculty.
2. The Vice President of the Faculty Senate, in the absence of the President, shall conduct the meetings of the Faculty Senate and shall represent the faculty on the Executive Committee of the School of Dental Medicine. The Vice President shall also be responsible for overseeing the management and implementation of the Faculty Governance document.
3. The Secretary shall
 - record the proceedings of all meetings of the Faculty Senate,
 - shall maintain permanent records of the minutes of all regular meetings of the Faculty Senate, and
 - shall maintain records and manage the Flower and Gift Fund.
4. The Parliamentarian shall assist the presiding officer in the conduct of the meetings of the Faculty Senate according to the prevailing rules of order.

5. Two Representatives of the CU SDM Faculty Senate (Delegates) shall serve as representatives to both the AMC-UCD Faculty Assembly and the University-wide Faculty Council.
6. The Director of Faculty Affairs shall be responsible for any administrative revisions, maintenance and preservation of the Faculty Governance document.
7. Other representatives to campus and university-wide committees shall be recommended by the President of the CU SDM Faculty Senate.

C. Terms of Office

1. The officers of the Faculty Senate shall serve from October 1 of the year in which they are elected to September 30 of the following year. The President and Vice President may not be elected to more than three consecutive terms.

D. Election of Officers

1. Nominations for new officers shall be submitted to the incumbent officers during the month of August. Any member of the full-time faculty who meets membership requirements in the CU SDM Faculty Senate and the University of Colorado Denver Faculty Assembly may be nominated for an office. The names of all candidates who accept nomination shall be placed on the ballot; a candidate may accept nomination for only one office.
2. The incumbent officer shall conduct the election by secret mailed ballot during the month of September. Each member of the full-time faculty is entitled to one vote. A candidate shall be elected by receiving a majority of votes cast in the election. In the event that no candidate receives a majority of the first ballot votes, a run-off election will be held between the two candidates with the highest number of votes on the first ballot.

E. Meetings

1. The Faculty Senate shall meet upon the call of the Dean, the President, or by petition of one-third of the members of the Faculty Senate. A written announcement of meetings and a copy of the agenda shall be sent to all members of the Faculty Senate at least one week before each meeting.
2. A quorum shall consist of those members present unless otherwise specified in the Constitution of the Faculty Senate of the School of Dental Medicine.
3. The parliamentary authority for the meetings of the Faculty Senate and its committees shall be "Robert's Rules of Order" - most current edition, if the Constitution of the Faculty Senate of the School of Dental Medicine does not apply.

F. Standing Committees

1. The majority of the Faculty Senate's functions shall be performed by designated standing committees. Unless otherwise specified in this Constitution, the qualified members of each department shall elect their departmental representatives to each standing committee by a majority vote. The student body shall elect the representatives for each designated position from the appropriate classes. All members of the committees shall serve for two years from June 1 – May 31 of the second year following election.
2. Unless otherwise specified in this Constitution, each Standing Committee shall elect its own Chairperson, and the Chairperson may create subcommittees to facilitate the work of the Standing Committee. The Chairperson shall maintain minutes.
3. Standing Committees shall consider new business brought before them in writing by either the President of the Faculty Senate, or the Dean of the School of Dental Medicine, or five members of the full-time faculty representing at least two departments, or the majority of the full-time faculty members of any department. The Chairperson of the Standing Committee shall report the recommendation of the majority of the committee members to the President, who shall bring the recommendation before the Faculty Senate at its next meeting. The power of accepting, amending or rejecting reports from Standing Committees is retained by the Faculty Senate.
4. Committee structure, function, and charge will be reevaluated every two years, or other interval as determined by the Faculty Senate.
5. The school-wide Standing Committees are of two types – Committees Responsible to the Faculty Senate and Committees Reporting to the Dean. Their function and their composition are described in the following pages.

Committees Responsible to the Faculty Senate**INSTITUTIONAL EFFECTIVENESS COMMITTEE**

The Institutional Effectiveness Committee shall have the responsibility, authority, and accountability for the Institutional Effectiveness Program of the School of Dental Medicine. The committee's responsibilities shall include the development of guidelines and procedures, implementation of a plan of outcomes assessment, coordination of effort and evaluating compliance. Specifically, the committee shall be responsible for designing a system of outcomes assessment for the programs of the School of Dental Medicine, evaluating and coordinating the measures used to make assessment, assuring compliance with the program, assuring data collection and analysis, and assuring the distribution of the data and recommendations to the responsible person(s), committee(s), or organization(s) for action. Subcommittees reporting to the Institutional Effectiveness Committee include the Dental Curriculum Subcommittee, Dental Student Performance Subcommittee, Competency Review Board Committee, and the Student Professionalism and Academic Integrity Subcommittee.

Chairperson**One Representative from each of the following Departments:**

Community Dentistry

Pediatric Dentistry

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences

Orthodontics

Restorative Dentistry

ISP

Goal Directors: Faculty Representatives (appointed by the Faculty Senate)**Dental Student Representatives (one from DS-2, DS-3, and ISP2 classes)****Faculty Senate President**

Staff member responsible for Institutional Effectiveness (ex-officio)

Dental Curriculum Subcommittee

The Dental Curriculum Subcommittee shall have the responsibility, authority, and accountability for the entire dental curriculum of the School of Dental Medicine. The subcommittee's responsibilities shall include determination of course offerings, assignment of courses to the appropriate department, approval of course content, coordination of the academic calendar and periodic evaluation of the curriculum.

Co-Chairpersons:

Administrator responsible for Academic Affairs

Director of Comprehensive Care Program

One Representative from each of the following Departments:

Community Dentistry

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences

Surgical Dentistry

Craniofacial Biology

Orthodontics

Restorative Dentistry

Pediatric Dentistry

ISP

Four Dental Student Representatives

DS-4

DS-3

DS-2

DS-1

Two ISP Student Representatives

ISP 2

ISP 1

Dental Student Performance Subcommittee

The Dental Student Performance Subcommittee shall be responsible for developing policies for the evaluation of dental student performance, including policies for grading, promotion, and graduation of students. It shall also be responsible for implementing and enforcing policies that have been approved by the Faculty Senate and it shall make recommendations to the dean and other parties regarding discipline, promotion, or graduation of each student. The subcommittee shall follow guidelines approved by the Faculty Senate in full accord with the Rule of the Regents and the requirements of due process.

Chairperson: Administrator Responsible for Academic Affairs

Administrator Responsible for Student Affairs (non-voting)

Administrator Responsible for Clinical Affairs (non-voting)

Administrator Responsible for Diversity and Inclusion (non-voting)

One Representative from each of the following Departments/Disciplines:

Community Dentistry

Craniofacial Biology

ISP

Endodontics

Periodontics

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences

Restorative

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Orthodontics

Pediatric Dentistry

At-Large ISP Representative

DS-3 Class President

DS-2 Class President

ISP-2 Class President

Competency Review Board Subcommittee

The CRB Subcommittee functions for the purpose of providing efficient clinical performance reviews of dental students and ISP students. Additional goals will include improving documentation of performance assessment and providing better, more immediate feedback to students. The CRB Subcommittee will monitor student progress of competency completions and provide feedback for ACTS and block rotation readiness. The CRB Subcommittee may report back to the Dental Student Performance Subcommittee when problems are identified that require DSPS action. (Committee structure revised by Faculty Senate vote 12/14/16.)

Chairperson: Administrator Responsible for Clinical Affairs

Chair of the Restorative Department

Chair of Community Dentistry (ACTS Director)

Chair of Surgical Dentistry Department

Chair of the Division of Periodontics or Designee

Chair of the Division of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Chair of the Division of Endodontics

Chair of the Division of Operative Dentistry

Chair of the Division of Prosthodontics

Chair of the Division of Oral Medicine

Director of the International Student Program

Comprehensive Care Team Leaders

Administrators Responsible for Academic Affairs, Diversity and Inclusion, and Students Affairs
(ad-hoc/ non-voting)

Appropriate Comprehensive Care Faculty as required

Student Professionalism and Academic Integrity Subcommittee

The Student Professionalism and Academic Integrity Subcommittee shall be responsible for developing policies for the evaluation of dental student professional conduct and academic integrity issues. It shall also be responsible for implementing and enforcing student professional conduct and academic integrity policies that have been approved by the Faculty Senate and it shall make recommendations to the dean and other parties regarding discipline of each student. The subcommittee shall follow guidelines approved by the Faculty Senate in full accord with the Rule of the Regents and the requirements of due process.

Chairperson: Administrator Responsible for Student Affairs (non-voting)

Administrator Responsible for Academic Affairs (non-voting)

Administrator Responsible for Professionalism (non-voting)

Four (4) full-time faculty members (voting)

One Representative from each Dental/ISP Class (voting)

President of the Student Professionalism and Ethics Association in Dentistry (voting)

ADVANCED DENTAL EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

Oversight Subcommittees have responsibilities for student/resident admissions, curriculum management, academic performance and outcomes assessment, clinical performance and outcomes assessment, academic and clinical scheduling coordination, and other activities of the advanced dental education programs.

Chairperson: Administrator Responsible for Advanced Dental Education

Administrator Responsible for Academic Affairs

Administrator Responsible for Clinical Affairs

Director of Graduate Periodontics

Director of General Practice Residency

Director of Graduate Orthodontics

Director of Pediatric Dentistry

STUDENT AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

The Student Affairs Committee will be responsible for oversight of predoctoral student life at the School of Dental Medicine. This shall include oversight of predoctoral admissions, student organizations, student government, and other student activities.

Chairpersons

One Representative from each of the Division and/or Departments

Community Dentistry
Craniofacial Biology
ISP
Endodontics
Periodontics
Diagnostic and Biological Sciences
Restorative
Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery
Orthodontics
Pediatric Dentistry

One Representative from each Dental and ISP Class

DS 4	DS 1
DS 3	ISP 1
DS 2	ISP 2

Dental Admissions Subcommittee

The Dental Student Admissions Committee shall develop admissions policies for the program in dentistry. It shall also conduct the admissions process and select those applicants most qualified for admission to the program.

Chairperson: Administrator Responsible for Admissions

Director of Post-Baccalaureate Program

Full-Time Faculty (the total number of committee members of full-time and non-full-time faculty members shall not be less than 10)

Non-Full-Time Faculty

Staff Representative

33% of the total of F/T and non-F/T faculty will be replaced annually

Dental Student Representative at the DS-2, DS-3, or DS-4 level (The activity of the dental student representative shall be determined by the Admissions Subcommittee.)

Prior to the start of each admissions cycle, the Chairperson of the Admissions Subcommittee shall recommend to the Faculty Senate the composition of the Dental Admissions Subcommittee for concurrence by the Faculty Senate.

International Student Program Admissions Subcommittee

The International Student Program Admissions Committee shall develop admissions policies for the program. It shall also conduct the admissions process and select those applicants most qualified for admission to the program.

2 Chairpersons (Co-Chairs): Director and Assistant Director of the International Student Program

Faculty Members

RESEARCH COMMITTEE

The Research Committee shall be responsible for stimulating and assisting research activities by making available financial support for small faculty research projects. The committee's charge shall be reviewing the scientific merit and fiscal propriety of each application and making recommendations concerning funding to the Dean. The committee shall provide guidance to faculty during the early phases of preparation of applications, and help investigators seek other funds by reviewing and offering advice on applications to be submitted to external granting bodies. In addition, committee members shall provide advice on research design and promising avenues for research.

Chairperson – Senior Associate Dean for Research

One Representative from each of the following Departments

Community Dentistry

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences

Surgical Dentistry

Orthodontics

Craniofacial Biology

Pediatric Dentistry

Restorative

Faculty Advisor of the Student Research Group, Colorado Chapter of AADR

President of the Colorado Chapter of AADR

One Dental Student Representative (Student Research Group of Colorado, Chapter of AADR)

President of the Student Research Group

FACULTY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

The Faculty Affairs Committee is concerned with policies and procedures that influence the personal and professional welfare of the faculty. Activities of the Committee include examining all policies and procedures of the University which influence the professional and personal welfare of the faculty, and to recommend improvements in the design and implementation of faculty personnel policies, including such matters as tenure and promotion (in conjunction with the Tenure Committee), salary and benefits, faculty development, and hiring and retirement alternatives. The Chairperson will serve a three-year term.

Chairperson

Members determined by the Faculty Senate

Faculty Development Subcommittee

The Faculty Development Subcommittee shall assist in promoting faculty development in the School of Dental Medicine. The subcommittee will identify mechanisms and provide assistance to help faculty, department chairs, and other mentors develop in teaching, service and scholarly activities. Further, the subcommittee shall serve as a resource to faculty, department chairs, and other mentors in instructing faculty on institutional processes.

2 Chairpersons (Co-Chairs)

One Representative from each of the following Departments:

Restorative Dentistry

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences

Orthodontics

Pediatric Dentistry

Surgical Dentistry

Craniofacial Biology

Community Dentistry

Director of Faculty Affairs and Development (ex-officio)

Faculty Calibration Subcommittee

The Faculty Calibration Subcommittee shall be responsible for developing programs and policies to improve faculty knowledge of course content, standardize clinical evaluations and clinical competency examinations evaluations, introduce new digital technologies, disseminate information regarding school policies and procedures, and familiarize faculty with all other areas that enhance teaching and learning, among other topics. The Subcommittee shall ensure the continuous calibration of all full-time, part-time, and volunteer/preceptor faculty members.

Chairperson

Co-Chairperson

One Representative from each discipline/are that informs the work of faculty:

Administrator Responsible for Clinical Affairs

Restorative Dentistry

Prosthodontics

 Fixed

 Removable

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

ACTS program

Periodontics

Endodontics

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences

In-house lab

axiUm Manager

Manager of Digital Education and Academic Technologies

Research

Director of Integrated Curriculum

Faculty Promotion, Tenure and Post-Tenure Review Subcommittee

The School of Dental Medicine Faculty, Promotion, Tenure and Post-Tenure Review Subcommittee shall review and evaluate all recommendations for promotion, tenure, and post-tenure review, and part-time/volunteer faculty appointments, except those full-time new appointments recommended by search committees appointed by the Dean. This subcommittee shall review all documents submitted to support a recommendation, in order to assure that all documentation is complete and current and to evaluate each recommendation in terms of the degree to which the faculty member's achievements are consistent with School-wide and University criteria for the recommended rank or tenure. This subcommittee forwards all of its recommendations to the Dean's Review Committee. The Chairperson will serve a 3-year term.

Chairperson of the subcommittee shall be a tenured faculty member at the professor level, elected by the Faculty Senate.

Only full-time, tenured or clinical track faculty members at the associate professor level or above should comprise the committee membership.

Selection of committee members will be by department chairs (1 person per department) with ratifying vote and continued oversight by officers of the Faculty Senate.

Departments represented:

Restorative Dentistry

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences

Orthodontics

Community Dentistry

Surgical Dentistry

Pediatric Dentistry

Craniofacial Biology

Faculty Grievance Subcommittee

The Faculty Grievance Subcommittee shall review and evaluate grievances brought forth by a faculty member and shall submit a recommendation concerning the grievance to the dean. Grievances relating to work assignments, work schedules, annual evaluations, annual salary increments, or similar matters may be brought before the Faculty Grievance Subcommittee by a faculty member. The Faculty Grievance Committee will not, however, review any grievances relating to promotion or denial of promotion in academic rank or reappointment. These would be referred to the Dean's Review Committee. The Faculty Grievance Committee shall have the authority to determine if a grievance should be heard or processed through alternative channels. (The administrator shall serve as chairperson.)

One Administrator

Two Department Chairpersons

Three Full-time Faculty at the Level of Associate Professor or Above

Dean's Designated "Appointing Authority"

Committees Responsible to the Dean

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Executive Committee is the executive body of the School of Dental Medicine. It shall advise and assist the dean in administrative aspects of the School of Dentistry's operations. In addition, the Executive Committee should review minutes from all other Committees in the SDM. (Dean shall serve as chairperson.)

Dean

Administrators

Academic Affairs

Financial Affairs

Clinical Affairs

Student Affairs

Diversity and Inclusion

Research

Department Chairpersons

Community Dentistry

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences

Surgical Dentistry

Orthodontics

Restorative Dentistry

Craniofacial Biology

Pediatric Dentistry

Program Directors

ISP Program

Graduate Periodontics Residency Program

General Practice Residency Program

Public Health and Community Outreach

Instructional Technology

Faculty Senate President

CONTINUING EDUCATION COMMITTEE

The Continuing Education Advisory Committee, under the Chairmanship of the Director, CE/ES, advises the dean and the director on policies relating to continuing education. This includes short and long-term planning, all types and locations of courses to be offered, as well as guidelines concerning honoraria to be paid to speakers and fees to be charged to participants. It also advises the director concerning the appropriateness of individuals who are being considered as possible speakers.

ChairpersonFaculty

One DDS Part-time Faculty/Private Practitioner who is a member of the CDA

DEAN'S REVIEW COMMITTEE

The Review Committee shall assist the dean in the evaluation of recommendations for reappointment, promotion and/or tenure received from the primary unit Evaluation Committee (Promotion and Tenure Committee). (Chairperson appointed by the Dean) (Term limits should apply)

ChairpersonCampus Representative

Faculty (appointed at the discretion of the Dean)

CREDENTIALING COMMITTEE

The Credentialing Committee is concerned with policies and procedures of faculty credentialing at the School of Dental Medicine. Activities of the Committee include establishing faculty credentialing policies and procedures that comply with University and Colorado State licensure boards, and recommend improvements in the design and implementation of the SDM policies to the Dean and faculty. The Committee will review any adverse actions pertaining to an individual applying for a faculty appointment during the credentialing process and make recommendations to the Dean and Promotion and Tenure Subcommittee regarding faculty appointments and awarding of clinic privileges.

Chairperson - School of Dental Medicine's Representative on the University of Colorado Hospital's Credentialing Committee

Chair of the Faculty Affairs Committee

Chair of the Promotion and Tenure Committee

Director of Faculty Affairs and Development (ex officio)

OPERATIONS COMMITTEE

The Operations Committee shall be advisory to the dean with responsibilities including oversight of patient care, facilities, equipment, instruments, IT, and the patient management system. The Committee shall assist the dean by suggesting strategies for improving didactic, preclinical and clinical education environments, and patient care.

Chairperson

Faculty

Staff

One Staff Representative from Each Floor

Class Pres from DS3, DS4, ISP1, ISP2

AxiUm Operations Subcommittee

2 Chairpersons (Co-Chairs)

Faculty

Staff

Quality Assurance/Quality Improvement Subcommittee

Chairperson - Administrator responsible for Clinical Affairs

Chair of Surgical Dentistry

Chair of Oral Surgery

Director of General Practice Residency Program

Chair or Representative from:

Restorative

Orthodontics

Infection Control Officer

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

The Scholarships, Awards and Financial Aid Committee is responsible to the dean for determining the recipients of School of Dental Medicine pre-doctoral scholarship awards. The committee recommends the individuals who will receive awards and the level of each award.

Chairperson

Administrator Responsible for Student Affairs

Faculty

Student Representatives (1 from each DS Class)

DS 4

DS 3

DS 2

DS 1

Administrative Support Staff

ARTICLE III: AMENDMENTS

1. The Constitution of the Faculty Senate of the School of Dental Medicine may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the faculty of the School of Dental Medicine.
2. Amendments may be proposed by any member of the faculty and shall be distributed in writing to all members no later than two weeks prior to the meeting at which they are to be considered.
3. Amendments which are approved shall become effective immediately upon passage unless otherwise stated in the amendment.

ARTICLE IV: POLICIES AND PROCEDURES OF THE FACULTY

Operating policies and procedures of the faculty which are not specified by the Constitution of the Faculty Senate of the School of Dental Medicine may be created by regular vote of the Faculty Senate and shall be followed provided that they do not contradict the provisions of the Constitution of the Faculty Senate of the School of Dental Medicine or the Laws of the Regents.

ARTICLE V: RATIFICATION

Upon approval of two-thirds of the members of the Faculty Senate, the academic and administrative functions of the Faculty shall be conducted according to this Constitution. All previous Articles of Governance of the School of Dental Medicine (excluding policies and procedures of the faculty) are nullified by the passage of this Constitution.

Faculty Senate Officers and Committee Membership

For the most up-to-date information, see the Faculty Senate folder on the G:drive

OFFICERS (2019-2020)

President:	Ethelyn Thomason
Vice President:	Lindsey Yates
Secretary/Treasurer:	Tamara Tobey
Parliamentarian:	Sophia Khan
Faculty Assembly:	Jamie Just
	Liz Ramos

COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

For updated committee membership, please contact the Faculty Senate Secretary

COMMITTEES RESPONSIBLE TO THE FACULTY SENTATE (as of January 9, 2020)

INSTITUTIONAL EFFECTIVENESS COMMITTEE

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Subcommittees reporting to the Institutional Effectiveness Committee include the Dental Curriculum Subcommittee, Dental Student Performance Subcommittee and the Competency Review Board Committee.

Chairperson – [Lonnie Johnson](#)

One Representative from each of the following Departments:

Community Dentistry – [JoAnn LeClaire](#)

Craniofacial Biology – [Lynn Heasley](#)

Pediatric Dentistry – [Chaitanya Puranik](#)

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences – [Cathy Flaitz](#)

Orthodontics – [Craig Shellhart](#)

Restorative Dentistry – [Songjiang Luo](#)

Surgical Dentistry – [Enrique Rosado](#)

ISP – [Beth Towne](#)

Goal Directors: Faculty Representatives (appointed by the Faculty Senate)

[TBD](#) (academic Affairs), [Lynn Heasley](#), [Jeff Stansbury](#), [Dan Wilson](#), [Bill Bailey](#), [Brian Davis](#), [Lonnie Johnson](#)

Dental Student Representatives (one from DS-2, DS-3, and ISP2 classes) –

[See the “Student Officers and Representatives” document \(Student Affairs Office\) for the list of current students](#)

Faculty Senate President – [Ethelyn Thomason](#)

Dental Curriculum Subcommittee

The Dental Curriculum Subcommittee shall have the responsibility, authority, and accountability for the entire dental curriculum of the School of Dental Medicine. The subcommittee’s responsibilities shall include determination of course offerings, assignment of courses to the appropriate department, approval of course content, coordination of the academic calendar and periodic evaluation of the curriculum.

Co-Chairpersons:

Administrator responsible for Academic Affairs – [Liz Ramos \(Interim\)](#)

Director of Comprehensive Care Program – [Ethelyn Thomason/Lonnie Johnson](#)

One Representative from each of the following Departments:

Community Dentistry – [Tammy Tobey](#)

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences – [Brad Potter](#)

Surgical Dentistry – [Yanira Owens](#)

Craniofacial Biology – [Lynn Heasley](#)

Orthodontics – [Craig Shellhart](#)

Restorative Dentistry – [Dan Wilson](#)

Pediatric Dentistry – [Chaitanya Puranik](#)

ISP – [Krithika Baskaran/Beth Towne\(non-voting\)](#)

Four Dental Student Representatives

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Two ISP Student Representatives

[See the “Student Officers and Representatives” document \(Student Affairs Office\) for the list of current students](#)

Dental Student Performance Subcommittee

The Dental Student Performance Subcommittee shall be responsible for developing policies for the evaluation of dental student performance, including policies for grading, promotion, and graduation of students. It shall also be responsible for implementing and enforcing policies that have been approved by the Faculty Senate and it shall make recommendations to the dean and other parties regarding discipline, promotion, or graduation of each student. The subcommittee shall follow guidelines approved by the Faculty Senate in full accord with the Rule of the Regents and the requirements of due process.

Chairperson: Administrator Responsible for Academic Affairs – [Liz Ramos \(Interim\)](#)

Administrator Responsible for Student Affairs (non-voting) – [Rick Mediavilla](#)

Administrator Responsible for Clinical Affairs (non-voting) – [Lonnie Johnson](#)

Administrator Responsible for Diversity and Inclusion (non-voting) – [TBD](#)

One Representative from each of the following Departments/Disciplines:

Community Dentistry – [Bill Bailey](#)

Craniofacial Biology – [Cheng-Jun Hu](#)

Endodontics – [Ellie Carlson](#)

Periodontics – [Enrique Rosado](#)

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences – [Kentaro Ikeda](#)

Restorative – [Dan Wilson](#)

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery – [Ryan Dobbs](#)

Orthodontics – [Enrique Hernandez](#)

Pediatric Dentistry – [Chaitanya Puranik](#)

ISP – [Beth Towne](#)

At-Large ISP Representative –

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DS 3 Class President

DS 2 Class President

ISP 2 Class President

Competency Review Board Subcommittee

The CRB Subcommittee functions for the purpose of providing efficient clinical performance reviews of dental students and ISP students. Additional goals will include improving documentation of performance assessment and providing better, more immediate feedback to students. The CRB Subcommittee will monitor student progress of competency completions and provide feedback for ACTS and block rotation readiness. The CRB Subcommittee may report back to the Dental Student Performance Subcommittee when problems are identified that require DSPS action. (Structure revision approved by Faculty Senate vote on 12/14/2016)

Chairperson: Administrator Responsible for Clinical Affairs – [Lonnie Johnson](#)

Chair of the Restorative Department – [Dan Wilson](#)

Chair of Community Dentistry (ACTS Director) – [Tamara Tobey](#)

Chair of Surgical Dentistry Department – [Charles Powell](#)

Chair of the Division of Periodontics or Designee – [Sangeetha Chandrasekaran](#)

Chair of the Division of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery – [Ryan Dobbs](#)

Chair of the Division of Endodontics – [Ellie Carlson](#)

Chair of the Division of Operative Dentistry – [Ana Elashvili](#)

Chair of the Division of Prosthodontics – [David Gozalo](#)

Chair of the Division of Oral Medicine – **new division chair has not been named**

Director of the International Student Program – [Beth Towne](#)

Comprehensive Care Team Leaders – [Ethelyn Thomason](#), [Ken Peters](#), [Kevin McAuliffe](#), [Sophia Khan](#),
[James DeLapp](#)

Administrators Responsible for Academic Affairs, Diversity and Inclusion, and Student Affairs (ad-hoc/non-voting) – [TBD](#), [TBD](#), [Rick Mediavilla](#)

Appropriate Comprehensive Care Leaders as required

Student Professionalism and Academic Integrity Subcommittee

The Student Professionalism and Academic Integrity Subcommittee shall be responsible for developing policies for the evaluation of dental student professional conduct and academic integrity issues. It shall also be responsible for implementing and enforcing student professional conduct and academic integrity policies that have been approved by the Faculty Senate and it shall make recommendations to the dean and other parties regarding discipline of each student. The subcommittee shall follow guidelines approved by the Faculty Senate in full accord with the Rule of the Regents and the requirements of due process.

Chairperson: Administrator Responsible for Student Affairs (non-voting): [Rick Mediavilla](#)

Administrator Responsible for Academic Affairs (non-voting): [Liz Ramos \(Interim\)](#)

Administrator Responsible for Professionalism (non-voting): [Sophia Khan](#)

Four (4) full-time faculty members (voting): [Ken Peters](#), [Alan Sutton](#), [J.D. Tippets](#), [Tamanna Tobey](#)

One Representative from each Dental/ISP Class (voting)

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ISP2

President of the Student Professionalism and Ethics Association in Dentistry (voting): [Kate Sumerfield](#)

ADVANCED DENTAL EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

Oversight Subcommittees have responsibilities for student/resident admissions, curriculum management, academic performance and outcomes assessment, clinical performance and outcomes assessment, academic and clinical scheduling coordination, and other activities of the advanced dental education programs.

Chairperson: Administrator Responsible for Advanced Dental Education – [Chuck Powell](#)

Administrator Responsible for Academic Affairs – [Liz Ramos \(Interim\)](#)

Administrator Responsible for Clinical Affairs – [Lonnie Johnson](#)

Director of Graduate Periodontics – [Charles Powell](#)

Director of General Practice Residency – [Sheila Stille](#)

Director of Graduate Orthodontics – [Craig Shellhart](#)

Director of Pediatric Dentistry – [Anne Wilson](#)

STUDENT AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

The Student Affairs Committee will be responsible for oversight of pre-doctoral student life at the School of Dental Medicine. This shall include oversight of pre-doctoral admissions, student organizations, student government, and other student activities.

Chairperson – [Rick Mediavilla](#)

One Representative from each of the Division and/or Departments

Community Dentistry – [Elizabeth Shick](#)

Craniofacial Biology - [Kristin Artinger](#)

ISP – [Krithika Baskaran](#)

Endodontics – [Ellie Carlson](#)

Periodontics – [JoAnn LeClaire](#)

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences – [Kentaro Ikeda](#)

Restorative – [Sophia Khan](#)

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery – [Amy DeStaffany](#)

Orthodontics – [Galen Miller](#)

Pediatric Dentistry – [Katherine Chin](#)

One Representative from each Dental and ISP Class

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DS 4

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DS 2

DS 1

ISP 2

ISP 1

Dental Admissions Subcommittee

The Dental Student Admissions Committee shall develop admissions policies for the program in dentistry. It shall also conduct the admissions process and select those applicants most qualified for admission to the program.

Chairperson: Administrator Responsible for Admissions – [Rick Mediavilla](#)

Director of Post-Baccalaureate Program – **TBD**

Full-Time Faculty (the total number of committee members of full-time and non-full-time faculty members shall not be less than 10) – [Fernando Astorga](#), [Dennis Black](#), [Ellie Carlson](#), [Laurice De la Rosa](#), [James DeLapp](#), [Katherine Fantauzzo](#), [Jack Goodrich](#), [Tom Greany](#), [Sophia Khan](#), [Kunjan Kakar](#), [Adriana Lamounier](#), [Manti Lehn](#), [Kevin McAuliffe](#), [Ken Peters](#), [Amish Singh](#), [Ethelyn Thomason](#), [J.D. Tippets](#), [Tammy Tobey](#), [Heidi Tyrrell](#), [Doug Wilson](#), and [Lindsey Yates](#). University representatives: [Christian Valtierra](#)

Staff: Crystal Ridgley (ex-officio), [Melanie Trinkwald \(ex-officio\)](#)

Non-Full-Time Faculty– selected by Chairperson – none currently serving

33% of the F/T and non-F/T faculty will be replaced annually

Dental Student Representative at the DS-2, DS-3, or DS-4 level (The activity of the dental student representative shall be determined by the Admissions Subcommittee.)

International Student Program Admissions Subcommittee

The International Student Program Admissions Committee shall develop admissions policies for the program. It shall also conduct the admissions process and select those applicants most qualified for admission to the program.

2 Chairpersons (Co-Chairs): Director and Assistant Director of the International Student Program – [Beth Towne](#) and [Krithika Baskaran](#)

Faculty Members: [Gene Ball](#), [Gene Bloom](#), [Michelle Brichacek](#), [Ron Brown](#), [Kaushal Dhawan](#), [Jack Goodrich](#), [Tim Hinde](#), [Collis Johnson](#), [Jamie Just](#), [Kunjan Kakar](#), [Sophia Khan](#), [Vien Nguyen](#), [Yanira Owens](#), [Ken Peters](#), [Enrique Rosado](#), [Tamara Tobey](#), [Ethelyn Thomason](#), [Jay Tippets](#), [Doug Wilson](#), [Pierre Wohlgenuth](#); non-voting staff members [Jennifer Aguirre](#), [Marci Colb](#)

RESEARCH COMMITTEE

The Research Committee shall be responsible for stimulating and assisting research activities by making available financial support for small faculty research projects. The committee's charge shall be reviewing the scientific merit and fiscal propriety of each application and making recommendations concerning funding to the Dean. The committee shall provide guidance to faculty during the early phases of preparation of applications, and help investigators seek other funds by reviewing and offering advice on applications to be submitted to external granting bodies. In addition, committee members shall provide advice on research design and promising avenues for research.

Chairperson – Senior Associate Dean for Research – [Jeff Stansbury](#)

One Representative from each of the following Departments

Community Dentistry – [Tamanna Tiwari](#)

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences – [Bob Greer](#)

Surgical Dentistry – [Kerri Font](#)

Orthodontics – [Craig Shellhart](#)

Craniofacial Biology – [Mary Reyland](#)

Pediatric Dentistry – [Roopa Gandhi](#)

Restorative – [David Gozalo](#)

Faculty Advisor of the Student Research Group, Colorado Chapter of AADR

President of the Colorado Chapter of AADR

One Dental Student Representative (Student Research Group of Colorado, Chapter of AADR)

President of the Student Research Group – [Clif Carey](#)

FACULTY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

The Faculty Affairs Committee is concerned with policies and procedures that influence the personal and professional welfare of the faculty. Activities of the Committee include examining all policies and procedures of the University which influence the professional and personal welfare of the faculty, and to recommend improvements in the design and implementation of faculty personnel policies, including such matters as tenure and promotion (in conjunction with the Tenure Committee), salary and benefits, faculty development, and hiring and retirement alternatives. The Chairperson will serve a three-year term.

Chairperson – [Robert Greer](#)

Members determined by the Faculty Senate – [James DeLapp](#), [Lonnie Johnson](#), [open position](#)

Faculty Development Subcommittee

The Faculty Development Subcommittee shall assist in promoting faculty development in the School of Dental Medicine. The subcommittee will identify mechanisms and provide assistance to help faculty, department chairs, and other mentors develop in teaching, service and scholarly activities. Further, the subcommittee shall serve as a resource to faculty, department chairs, and other mentors in instructing faculty on institutional processes.

2 Chairpersons (Co-Chairs) – [Lonnie Johnson](#), [David Clouthier](#)

One Representative from each of the following Departments:

Restorative Dentistry – [Tim Hinde](#)

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences – [Bob Greer](#)

Orthodontics – [Caitlin White](#)

Pediatric Dentistry – [Roopa Gandhi](#)

Surgical Dentistry – [Meghan Crow](#)

Craniofacial Biology – [David Clouthier](#)

Community Dentistry – [Deirdre Callanan](#)

Director of Faculty Affairs and Development – [Sheila Kennedy \(ex-officio\)](#)

Faculty Calibration Subcommittee

The Faculty Calibration Subcommittee shall be responsible for developing programs and policies to improve faculty knowledge of course content, standardize clinical evaluations and clinical competency examinations evaluations, introduce new digital technologies, disseminate information regarding school policies and procedures, and familiarize faculty with all other areas that enhance teaching and learning, among other topics. The Subcommittee shall ensure the continuous calibration of all full-time, part-time, and volunteer/preceptor faculty members.

Chairperson - [TBD](#)

Co-Chairperson - [TBD](#)

One Representative from each discipline/area that informs the work of faculty:

Administrator Responsible for Clinical Affairs – [Lonnie Johnson](#)

Restorative Dentistry – [TBD](#)

Prosthodontics

Fixed – [TBD](#)

Removable – [TBD](#)

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery – [TBD](#)

ACTS program – [Tamara Tobey](#)

Periodontics – TBD

Endodontics – TBD

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences – TBD

Director of Integrated Curriculum – [Liz Ramos](#)

In-house lab – TBD (ex-officio)

axiUm Manager – [Pirin Becker](#) (ex-officio)

Manager of Digital Education and Academic Technologies – [Ben Wilkoff](#) (ex-officio)

Research – TBD

Faculty Promotion, Tenure and Post-Tenure Review Subcommittee

The School of Dental Medicine Faculty, Promotion, Tenure and Post-Tenure Review Subcommittee shall review and evaluate all recommendations for promotion, tenure, and post-tenure review, and part-time/volunteer faculty appointments, except those full-time new appointments recommended by search committees appointed by the Dean. This subcommittee shall review all documents submitted to support a recommendation, in order to assure that all documentation is complete and current and to evaluate each recommendation in terms of the degree to which the faculty member's achievements are consistent with School-wide and University criteria for the recommended rank or tenure. This subcommittee forwards all of its recommendations to the Dean's Review Committee. The Chairperson will serve a 3-year term.

Chairperson of the subcommittee shall be a tenured faculty member at the professor level, elected by the Faculty Senate. [Jeff Stansbury](#)

Only full-time, tenured or clinical track faculty members at the associate professor level or above should comprise the committee membership.

Selection of committee members will be by department chairs (1 person per department) with ratifying vote and continued oversight by officers of the Faculty Senate. Departments represented:

Restorative Dentistry – [Dan Wilson](#)

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences – [Robert Greer](#)

Orthodontics – [Craig Shellhart](#)

Community Dentistry – [Bill Bailey](#)

Surgical Dentistry – [Charles Powell](#)

Pediatric Dentistry – [Anne Wilson](#)

Craniofacial Biology – [Lynn Heasley](#)

Faculty Grievance Subcommittee

The Faculty Grievance Subcommittee shall review and evaluate grievances brought forth by a faculty member and shall submit a recommendation concerning the grievance to the dean. Grievances relating to work assignments, work schedules, annual evaluations, annual salary increments, or similar matters may be brought before the Faculty Grievance Subcommittee by a faculty member. The Faculty Grievance Committee will not, however, review any grievances relating to promotion or denial of promotion in academic rank or reappointment. These would be referred to the Dean's Review Committee. The Faculty Grievance Committee shall have the authority to determine if a grievance should be heard or processed through alternative channels. (The administrator shall serve as chairperson.)

One Administrator – [David Clouthier](#)

Two Department Chairpersons – [Craig Shellhart](#), [Dan Wilson](#)

Three Full-time Faculty at the Level of Associate Professor or Above – [Charles Powell](#), [2 open positions](#)

Dean's Designated "Appointing Authority" – [Brian Davis](#)

Committees Responsible to the Dean

Committees Responsible to the Dean (as of September 24, 2019)

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Executive Committee is the executive body of the School of Dentistry. It shall advise and assist the dean in administrative aspects of the School of Dentistry's operations. In addition, the Executive Committee should review minutes from all other Committees in the SDM. (Dean shall serve as chairperson.)

Dean – [Denise Kassebaum](#)

Administrators

Academic Affairs – [Liz Ramos \(Interim\)](#)

Financial Affairs – [Brian Davis](#)

Clinical Affairs – [Lonnie Johnson](#)

Student Affairs – [Rick Mediavilla](#)

Diversity and Inclusion – [TBD](#)

Research – [Jeff Stansbury](#)

Department Chairpersons

Community Dentistry – [Bill Bailey](#)

Diagnostic and Biological Sciences – [Bob Greer](#)

Surgical Dentistry – [Lonnie Johnson](#)

Orthodontics – [Craig Shellhart](#)

Restorative Dentistry – [Dan Wilson](#)

Craniofacial Biology – [Lynn Heasley](#)

Pediatric Dentistry – [Anne Wilson](#)

Program Directors

ISP Program – [Beth Towne](#)

Graduate Periodontics Residency Program – [Charles Powell](#)

General Practice Residency Program – [Sheila Stille](#)

Public Health and Community Outreach –

Instructional Technology – [Jaymil Patel](#)

Institutional Effectiveness and Innovation Strategies – [Sheila Kennedy](#)

Faculty Senate President – [Ethelyn Thomason](#)

CONTINUING EDUCATION COMMITTEE

The Continuing Education Advisory Committee, under the Chairmanship of the Director, CE/ES, advises the dean and the director on policies relating to continuing education. This includes short and long-term planning, all types and locations of courses to be offered, as well as guidelines concerning honoraria to be paid to speakers and fees to be charged to participants. It also advises the director concerning the appropriateness of individuals who are being considered as possible speakers.

Chairperson – [Fernando Astorga](#)

Faculty – [Laurice De la Rosa](#), [Brian Davis](#), [Kerri Font](#), [Lonnie Johnson](#), [Elizabeth Shick](#), [Ken Peters](#)

One DDS Part-time Faculty/Private Practitioner who is a member of the CDA –

DEAN'S REVIEW COMMITTEE

The Review Committee shall assist the dean in the evaluation of recommendations for reappointment, promotion and/or tenure received from the primary unit Evaluation Committee. (Chairperson appointed by the Dean) (Term limits should apply)

Chairperson – [Brad Potter](#)

Campus Representative –

Faculty (appointed at the discretion of the Dean) – [Kristin Artinger](#), [David Gozalo](#), [Lonnie Johnson](#), [Doug Wilson](#)

CREDENTIALING COMMITTEE

The Credentialing Committee is concerned with policies and procedures of faculty credentialing of School of Dental Medicine. Activities of the Committee include establishing faculty credentialing policies and procedures that comply with University and Colorado State licensure boards, and recommend improvements in the design and implementation of the SODM policies to the Dean and faculty. The Committee will review any adverse actions pertaining to an individual applying for a faculty appointment during the credentialing process and make recommendations to the Dean and Promotion and Tenure Subcommittee regarding faculty appointments and awarding of clinic privileges.

Chairperson - School of Dental Medicine's Representative on the University of Colorado Hospital's Credentialing Committee – [Ryan Dobbs](#)

Chair of the Faculty Affairs Committee – [Robert Greer](#)

Chair of the Promotion and Tenure Committee – [Jeff Stansbury](#)

Administrator Responsible for Clinical Affairs – [Lonnie Johnson](#)

Director of Faculty Affairs and Development (ex officio) - [Sheila Kennedy](#)

OPERATIONS COMMITTEE

The Operations Committee shall be advisory to the dean with responsibilities including oversight of patient care, facilities, equipment, instruments, IT, and the patient management system. The Committee shall assist the dean by suggesting strategies for improving didactic, preclinical and clinical education environments, and patient care.

Chairperson – Lonnie Johnson

Faculty – JoAnn LeClaire, Dan Wilson, Ellie Carlson, Beth Towne, Charles Powell, Gerald Minick

Staff – Todd Hinshaw, Jaymil Patel, Mohammad Dahleh, Mac Mc Allister, Emily Reddick, Sheila Kennedy, Brian Davis, Kathi Frymier, Jamye Smith, Pirin Becker, Alli Hughes, Colette Kuhfuss, Christine Forrester, Kristen Young,

One Staff Representative from Each Floor

Class Presidents (See the “Student Officers and Representatives” document (Student Affairs Office) for the list of current students):

DS4

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ISP2

ISP1

AxiUm Operations Subcommittee

2 Chairpersons (Co-Chairs) – Lonnie Johnson and Pirin Becker

Faculty – Charles Powell, Daniel Wilson, Ethelyn Thomason, Tom Greany, Heidi Tyrrell, Ellie Carlson, Brad Potter, Songjiang Luo, Caitlin White, Pierre Wohlgemuth

Staff – Mohammad Dahleh, Sheila Kennedy, Mac Mc Allister, Jaymil Patel, Emily Reddick, Alli Hughes, Kathi Frymier, Katie Salstrand, Jamye Smith, Annette Wand, Sze Pui Shum, Collette Kuhfuss, Kasey Stutler, Abby Jaquez, Brendan Joines, Erin Tatman, Nery Coronado, Khushboo Chawla

Quality Assurance/Quality Improvement Subcommittee

Chairperson - Administrator Responsible for Clinical Affairs – Lonnie Johnson and Jamye Smith

Chair of Surgical Dentistry (or representative) – Charles Powell

Chair of Oral Surgery – Ryan Dobbs

Director of General Practice Residency Program – Sheila Stille

Chair or Representative from:

Restorative – Dan Wilson

Orthodontics – Gerald Minick

Infection Control Officer – Jamye Smith

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

The Scholarships, Awards and Financial Aid Committee is responsible to the dean for determining the recipients of School of Dental Medicine pre-doctoral scholarship awards. The committee recommends the individuals who will receive awards and the level of each award.

Chairperson – [Rick Mediavilla](#)

Administrator Responsible for Student Affairs – [Rick Mediavilla](#)

Faculty – [Lonnie Johnson](#), [Manti Lehn](#), [Tamara Tobey](#), [Amisha Singh](#)

Administrative Support Staff – [Melanie Trinkwald \(ex-officio\)](#)