

SMILES@SCHOOL SUMMIT: INTER-CONNECTING CHILDREN'S  
ORAL HEALTH AND LEARNING

AGENDA

7:30 a.m.	Doors open; registration; seating	<b>Networking: coffee/tea; continental breakfast</b>
8:30 a.m.	<b>Welcome and Plan for the Day: Inter-connecting</b>	*Dr. Joyce Ester, Ph.D., President, Normandale Community College *Merry Jo Thoele, MPH RDH, Director, MDH Oral Health Program *Nancy Franke Wilson, M.S., Executive Director, Minnesota Oral Health Coalition
8:45 a.m.	<b>Keynote: Oral Health Meets the Whole School, Whole Community, Whole Child Model (WSCC)</b>	*Lynn Ann Bethel Short, RDH MPH, Consultant, former Dental Director, Commonwealth of Massachusetts
9:45 a.m.	Break	Network; visit exhibitor tables
10:00 a.m.	<b>Strengthening School-based Sealant Programs: Preview of <i>National Sealant Work Group</i> Recommendations</b>	*Matt Jacob, Director of Communications & Outreach, Children's Dental Health Project *Matt Crespin, RDH MPH, Associate Director, Children's Health Alliance of Wisconsin
11:00 a.m.	<b>Ways to Connect and Collaborate with the Minnesota Department of Health and Minnesota School Representatives</b>	*Bilquis Khan, Msc. (Epi), MBA, Msc. (Stats), Epidemiologist/Program Evaluator, MDH *Erika Yoney LSN PHN, School Health Consultant, MDH *Becky Gerdes, A Principal's Perspective on Oral Health Integration in Schools *Julie Myhre, MS BA RN PHN, Director Office of Statewide Health Improvement Initiatives, MDH
12:00 p.m.	Lunch	Network; visit the NCC campus Japanese Garden
1:00 p.m.	<b>Wellness Stretch!</b>	*Nancy M. Johnson EdD, Health Instructor, Normandale Community College
1:15 p.m.	<b>Keynote: New priorities: Integrating oral health into primary care and chronic disease prevention</b>	*Katherine Weno, DDS JD, Senior Advisor on Oral Health and Chronic Disease, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
2:00 p.m.	<b>Innovative Pathways to Advanced Practice for Dental Hygienists</b>	*Colleen Brickle, EdD, RDH, RF, Dean of Health Sciences, Normandale Community College
2:15 p.m.	Break	Network; visit exhibitor tables

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2:30 p.m.	<b>Dental Sealant Programs: Experiences and Practices from the Field; Questions and Answers</b>	Moderator: Matt Jacob, Children's Dental Health Project *Bilquis Khan, MDH Oral Health Program *Elizabeth Branca, RDH ADT, Children's Dental Services *Lynnette Engeswick, RDH PhD, Interim Chair of Human Performance; Professor in Dental Hygiene- Minnesota State University, Mankato; Open Door Health Center
3:30 p.m.	<b>Call to Action!</b>	*Dr. Katherine Weno
3:45 p.m.	<b>Continuing education certificates, evaluation, closing, and thank you</b>	*Clare Larkin, RDH MSEd, MDH Prevention Coordinator

Conference Objectives

- Learn about the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's *Whole School, Whole Community, Whole Child* model promoting integration of oral health programs that support student learning, development, and existing health-related initiatives.
- Learn from national and local experts about policies and practices for incorporating or expanding oral health programs, in particular school-based/linked sealant programs, in school districts across Minnesota.

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Nancy Franke Wilson, MN Oral Health Coalition and Crystal Yang, Community Dental Care, facilitators.

Minnesota Department of Health staff and student interns.

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