

MESSAGE SENT ON BEHALF OF
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Attendance at the ADA Conference in Evidence-based Dentistry

We have received an invitation from the ADA intended for individuals interested in attending the 2nd evidence-based dentistry (EBD) Champions Conference May 29-30, 2009 in Chicago (regretfully conflicts with the Faculty Advance).

Our Dental School highly encourages evidence based education and patient care. Therefore, Dr. Kalkwarf is willing to support attendance at this conference for up to 3 of our faculty members.

This year, we are giving priority to sending faculty members who are already working or interested in starting to work with Dr. Rugh's CATs programs as a mechanism to disseminate the principles of EBD.

If you would like to attend this interesting ADA conference and learn more about the highly topical issue of EBD, we welcome you to submit your short statement of interest. Please describe briefly how you are currently involved with the CATs initiative, and how you would like to contribute the process on a longer term basis at our Dental School. This initial application must be submitted by E-Mail to Gloria Abdin (abdin@uthscsa.edu) by **Thursday January 15 at noon** to be considered.

We will inform you about your selection. Candidates selected from our Dental School will subsequently have to submit a final application to the ADA for participation. That deadline is January 20, 2009.

For further information and application go to: www.ada.org/goto/ebdconf
<<http://www.ada.org/goto/ebdconf>> or contact Dr. Tom Oates who attended the previous conference.