

Call to Serve 2012 – 2014

The Academy of General Dentistry (AGD) Foundation's Nominating Committee seeks nominations for candidates to serve on the 2012 – 2014 Board of Directors.

The 12-member AGD Foundation Board of Directors is the ultimate governing authority of the AGD Foundation. Its mission is to govern the Foundation, protect the organization's image and assets, and support the activities of the AGD through fundraising and grant-giving.

AGD members are encouraged to recommend individuals to serve on the AGD Foundation Board of Directors. In order for your recommendations to be considered, please formulate your submissions around the following points—the nominee's skills, strengths, and how he or she will benefit the AGD Foundation.

Professional qualifications include a demonstrated effectiveness on AGD or AGD Foundation committees or task forces, leadership experience in another organization (desirable), a solid professional reputation producing high-quality work products, a willingness and ability to make the time commitment required, and a willingness and ability to access resources or open doors on behalf of the AGD Foundation.

Personal qualifications include having honesty and integrity, vision, communication, critical thinking and organizational skills, the ability to work effectively with a team and through others, self-confidence, and a respect of others.

It is imperative that the individual(s) you nominate knows that he or she is being recommended. The nominee's acquiescence for service is a prerequisite for your submission. This will ensure that nominated individuals are not placed in the awkward position of having to decline a nomination. The board position(s) will be elected at the AGD Foundation Board of Directors meeting, which is held in conjunction with the AGD Annual Meeting & Exhibits, June 21 – 24, 2012, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

For a full listing of AGD Foundation Board service commitments, terms of office and roles and responsibilities, please contact Jennifer Howard, Specialist, AGD Foundation, at 888.243.3368, ext. 4345, or email at foundation@agd.org.

To make a recommendation, send the individual's curriculum vitae no later than January 31, 2012, to Jennifer Howard, Specialist, AGD Foundation, 211 E Chicago Ave, Suite 900, Chicago, IL 60611, or via email to foundation@agd.org.

To learn more about the AGD Foundation, please visit the AGDF website at www.agd.org/agdf.