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Don't forget to submit
your nominations for the
annual Excellence in Oral

Conference Registration Now Open!

The 2014 Oral Health Kansas Conference is right around the corner! The conference is November 6-8 at Wichita State University's Eugene M. Hughes Metropolitan Complex.

Highlights of the conference include:

- Medical-Dental Integration keynote address by Dr. Hugh Silk
- Debut of the new State Oral Health Plan
- Best practices in rural dentistry
- Achieving equity in oral health delivery
- Oral health opportunities in the new health insurance marketplaces

Health Awards by this
Monday,
September 29th.



Categories are:

Community Leader
Dentist
Dental Hygienist
Organization
Volunteer
Policy Maker
Dental Champion

Submit your
nominations with our
web-based form [here](#).

Visit our [awards page](#) for
more information.

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Reserve our traveling
Sugary Drink Display for
your business or event!



Take advantage of the early bird registration and register today! The conference brochure and on-line registration are available through [Wichita State University](#). Please contact Oral Health Kansas with any questions: 785-235-6039 or info@oralhealthkansas.org.

Keep Fluoride in Salina!

This fall, Salina voters will be asked to stop fluoridating the water. Since 1968, Salinans have enjoyed the health benefits of drinking water with a small amount of fluoride. Learn more about the campaign to keep Salina fluoridated by "liking" the new [Keep Fluoride Facebook page](#).



KeepFluoride.com 



Reservations are made for one month at a time. Return postage is covered by Oral Health Kansas. [E-mail Sarah here](#) if you would like to make reservation.

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National Preparedness Month



September is National Preparedness Month! The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) have launched their annual [Ready campaign](#) to educate Americans about emergency situations. Check out their site for information on emergency planning and building a disaster kit.

[Kansas Cavity Free Kids](#) has developed dental first aid resources for families to use at home. Especially common are toothaches and injuries to the mouth and teeth.

Check out their dental first aid chart in [English](#) and also in [Spanish](#).

The CDC also offers [resources](#) to help you and your family plan for any emergency.

If you have an idea, story or suggestion for a Oral Health Kansas Weekly Wednesday Update please contact us at info@oralhealthkansas.org.

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