
Mandy McGill

Registered Dental Hygiene Practitioner

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Innovative public health leader excelling in implementing transformative oral health programs globally, and successfully guiding organizations, communities, and healthcare providers. Recognized for collaborative and interdisciplinary strategies, leveraging digital platforms for data-driven decision-making and international collaboration.

EXPERIENCE

World Health Dental Organization, Kenya - *Program Project Manager*

NOVEMBER 2017 - CURRENT

- Designs evidence-based public health program for underserved populations.
- Pioneered maternal, early childhood, and school-based programs in Kenya.
- Ensures respectful community collaboration and engagement.
- Utilizes digital platforms for efficient data collection, report generation, and to improve oral health programs globally.
- Develops custom educational tools, tailored to specific cultures, populations, and community needs.
- Establishes sustainability systems and inspires community members to actively contribute to the success of oral health projects.
- Creates content for grants, reports, and communication materials.
- Develops yearly budget proposals and oversees operational aspects of grant and publicly funded outreach activities.

Interior Health, British Columbia - *Dental Hygienist*

NOVEMBER 2014 - CURRENT

- Develops and modifies program resources, shapes policies, and authors oral health awareness articles.
- Proficient at utilizing public health informatics for comprehensive data collection, analysis, surveillance, and informed action.
- Administers the Interior Health Early Childhood Development Dental Program, conducting risk assessments, fluoride varnish clinics, school surveys, and delivering presentations and group sessions tailored to priority populations.
- Facilitates the Home Support for Community Living Dental Program, offering essential oral health assistance to adults with developmental disabilities and their caregivers.

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- Provides oral health assessments, oral consultations, referral services, and community advocacy.
 - Leadership in various roles including the Professional Practice Council, Oral Health Promotion Committee, and the Healthy Schools Working Committee Dental Representative.
 - Development of community networks to integrate and promote oral health initiatives.

Department of National Defense, Canadian Navy Force Base Esquimalt -

Civilian Dental Hygienist

2006 - 2007

Private Practice Dental Offices, British Columbia - Dental Hygienist

1996 - 2018

AWARDS

- **2023 Sunstar/RDH Award of Distinction Recipient.** North American Public Health Category.
- **2022 Social Responsibility Program, first place award.** Maasai Mama Baby Project. International Federation of Dental Hygienists.
- **2021 Readers' Choice Award.** Canadian Dental Hygiene Association Oh Canada! Magazine. Authored published article titled [Healthy Smiles in Africa: A Dental Hygienist's Vision.](#)

GRANTS

- **2020 Every Child Has a Toothbrush Grant,** International Federation of Dental Hygienists
- **2019 International Dental Volunteer Project Grant,** American Dental Association

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- **2023 Global Oral Health Summit,** International Federation of Dental Hygienists, Virtual Event, *Building Capacity for a Future of Healthy Smiles.*
- **2023 Success Stories of Oral Health Programs in the Community,** MedCZ, Virtual Event, *Oral Health Outreach: Empowering Communities.*
- **2022 International Symposium on Dental Hygiene,** Dublin, Ireland, *Maasai Mama Baby Project.*
- **2017 Columbia Dental Hygiene Seminar,** Castlegar, British Columbia, *Inter-Professional Collaboration and Connecting Professional Links for Better Access to Care.*

EDUCATION

Thompson Rivers University, British Columbia - *Dental Hygiene Practitioner License, College of Dental Hygienists of British Columbia Prior Learning and Assessment Program*

2018 -2019

University of British Columbia, Vancouver, British Columbia - *Local Anesthesia for Dental Hygienists Certificate*

1996

University of Manitoba, School of Dental Hygiene, Winnipeg, Manitoba - *Dental Hygiene Diploma*

1994 – 1996

- Manitoba Dental Association Scholarship in Dental Hygiene (1994)
- Dean's Honor List

University of Manitoba, Faculty of Arts, Winnipeg, Manitoba - *Dental Hygiene Prerequisites*

1993 – 1994

- Richardson Scholarship in Arts for High Standing (1994)
- Dean's Honor List

AFFILIATIONS

- **British Columbia Dental Hygiene Association (BCDHA)** - *Member*
 - Board Director (2017- 2020)
 - Vice-Chair (2019 – 2020)
 - Extensive knowledge in Policy Governance
 - Audit Committee Member (2019 – 2020)
 - Owner Linkage Committee Member (2017 – 2019)
 - Board Orientation Committee Member (2018 – 2019)
- **Canadian Dental Hygiene Association** - *Member*
- **International Federation of Dental Hygienists** - *Member*
- **Olmalaika Trust, Kenya** - *Advisory Council Member*