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Dr. Victoria A. Vickers Re-Elected as ACP Public Relations and Communications Director *San Antonio Prosthodontist to Serve Three More Years on the ACP Board of Directors*



CHICAGO – <u>Victoria A. Vickers, DDS</u>, has been re-elected to serve a second term as the Public Relations and Communications Director for the Board of Directors of the American College of Prosthodontists (ACP), the national organization representing the dental specialty of prosthodontics.

"My goal is to further the specialty of prosthodontics by engaging other dental professional and prosthodontic organizations in ways that benefit patients through public relations," said Dr. Vickers.

Under Dr. Vickers' leadership, knowledge of the field of prosthodontics grew as media outlets around the country did stories on the specialty. Dr. Vickers also oversaw the revamping of ACP's consumer website, <u>GoToAPro.org</u>, and the launch of a new website for ACP members, <u>Prosthodontics.org</u>. Dr. Vickers has been a member of the ACP since 2000, holding leadership positions and serving on several committees.

Dr. Vickers maintains a private practice in San Antonio, Texas and serves as a part-

time clinical associate professor in the Department of Comprehensive Dentistry at the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio. She received her DDS from the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio Dental School, and obtained a Certificate in Prosthodontics from the Veterans Affairs Hospital in Houston, Texas. Dr. Vickers went on to complete a fellowship in Maxillofacial Prosthodontics at the University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center.

Dr. Vickers is an active member of numerous other professional organizations, including the American Dental Association at both the state and local levels. She is currently the President of the San Antonio District Dental Society and the Vice President of the Texas Dental Association.

About Prosthodontists

A prosthodontist is a dental specialist who focuses on the restoration and replacement of missing teeth and correcting other oral or facial issues. With their advanced training, prosthodontists are able to help patients with implants, dentures and veneers, all the way to full mouth and jaw reconstructions.

About the ACP

The American College of Prosthodontists (ACP) is the only ADA recognized organization for the specialty of prosthodontics, and is the only prosthodontic organization whose membership is based solely on education credentials. Founded in 1970, ACP is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to enhancing patient care, advancing the art and science of prosthodontics, promoting the specialty of prosthodontics to the public and other dentists and healthcare professionals, ensuring the quality of prosthodontic education and providing professional services to its membership. For more information, consumers can visit <u>GoToAPro.org</u> and dental professionals can visit <u>Prosthodontics.org</u>.