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ENDODONTISTS HONORED FOR SAVING UNDERPRIVILEGED TEENS' TEETH

The Palm Beach County Health Department Dental Program recently honored nine endodontists who have sponsored the "Save a Molar" program for the underprivileged teenagers in need of a root canal. Until these doctors began the program, the only alternative for these teens was extraction of the affected tooth through the Dental Program at the Palm Beach County Health Department. Upon referral from the Health Department, young patients are treated at no charge in the private offices of these generous dentistry specialists, where the tooth is saved for the teen.



Honorees for their extraordinary work on behalf of the children in Palm Beach County include (from Left to Right) Dr. Jaime Silberman, Dr. Sang Shin, Dr. Rory Mortman (a co-founder of the "Save a Molar" program,) Dr. Theodore Lerner, Dr. Jeff Albert, Dr. Charlyn Bradshaw, Dr. Kenneth Bradshaw, and Dr. Bradley Ginzler (Also receiving honors, but not pictured were Dr. Bruce Schulman and Dr. Bernard Metric (who donated root canal services to health dept. for 18 years.)

"These doctors are all very dedicated to preserving healthy teeth in all children of the county. I hope that more will follow their example and participate in this very important program that assures good dental health," said Dental Director Dr. Philippe Bilger at the ceremony on July 21, 2010.

Information on the Palm Beach County Health Department Dental Program can be obtained by calling 561-837-5660 or at www.pbchd.com.

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