

CURRICULUM VITAE

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- Education**
- **Harvard School of Dental Medicine** 2003-2006
Department of Oral Medicine, Infection, and Immunity
Division of Periodontology
Certificate in Periodontology
Master of Medical Sciences in the subject of Oral Biology
 - **University of Connecticut School of Dental Medicine** 1999-2003
Doctor of Dental Medicine
 - **Boston College**
Bachelor of Science, Magna Cum Laude
Major: Chemistry
Minor: Environmental Studies
- Teaching Experience**
- **Howard University College of Dentistry** 2006-2008
Assistant Professor, Department of Periodontics
Clinical instructor
 - **Harvard School of Dental Medicine** 2004-2006
Pre-Doctoral Clinical Instructor
Supervised initial and surgical periodontal therapy
 - **Harvard Medical School** 2003-2005
Department of Anatomy and Physiology
Dissection instructor, Head and Neck Gross Anatomy
- Professional Experience**
- **Associate Periodontist** 2006-2008
Michael P. Stiglitz, DDS, PC
All aspects of periodontal care in a private practice setting
 - **Associate Dentist** 2004-2006
Herbert Birnbaum, DDS, PC
Dental, periodontal and hygiene care in a private practice setting
- Publications**
- **Journal of Oral Maxillofacial Implants** March-April 2007
The Radiographic Bone Loss Pattern Adjacent to Immediately Placed, Immediately Loaded Implants
JOMI 2007;22:187-194
 - **Illustrated Handbook of Clinical Dentistry** 2005
Richard A. Lehman, DMD, MPH
Lexi-Comp, Copyright 2005
Contributing author
- Research**
- **Harvard, Dept. of Oral Medicine, Infection, and Immunity** 2004-2006
Harvard School of Dental Medicine
Master Thesis – The Radiographic Bone Loss Pattern Adjacent to

Immediately Placed, Immediately Loaded Implants

- **UCONN, Department of Neurosciences** 2000-2001
University of Connecticut Health Center
Research Project – Studied the concentration dependent effect of chlorhexidine on human taste perception.
- **Hinman Research Symposium** 2001
University of Tennessee
Poster Presentation – The Effect of Chlorhexidine on the Perception of Taste of Chloride Salts: Concentration Dependence
- **Merkert Chemistry Center** 1996-1997
Boston College
Research Project – Grew and maintained cervical cancer cell lines and examined the effect of heavy metal compounds on the cultures.

Society Affiliations

- **American Board of Periodontology**
Diplomate
- **American Academy of Periodontology**
Member
- **American Dental Association**
Member
- **Champlain Valley Dental Society**
Member
- **Vermont State Dental Society**
Member

Externships

- **Peru Oral Surgery Externship**
Iquitos, Peru
Co-Coordinator
Performed exodontia in underserved communities in Peru
- **Trinidad and Tobago Ministry of Health Externship**
Tobago
Co-Coordinator
Performed exodontia in underserved communities in Tobago

UCONN Honors

- **Omicron Kappa Upsilon** May 2003
Honor Dental Society
- **Fox Award** May 2003
Awarded to the student judged to be the best all-around in the graduating dental class
- **American Academy of Periodontology Award** May 2003
Awarded to the individual who has excelled in Periodontology
- **American Academy of Oral Medicine Award** May 2003
Awarded to a graduating senior who is outstanding in the field of Oral Medicine
- **American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons Dental Implant Student Award** May 2003
Awarded to a graduating senior who has demonstrated outstanding achievements and performance related to the placement and restoration of dental implants.

- **American Association of Endodontists Award** May 2003
Awarded to a student who has demonstrated exceptional ability in Endodontics
- **The Neurosciences Award** May 2003
Awarded to the student demonstrating the most promise in clinical or basic research relevant to neurosciences in dental medicine
- **School of Dental Medicine Community Service Award** May 2003
Awarded in recognition of contributions to the community in the area of oral health
- **Dr. Gilbert LeVine Mellion and Ruth Berman Mellion Award** Sept. 2002
Awarded in recognition of academic excellence
- **James E. Kennedy Award** Sept. 2001
Awarded in recognition of outstanding performance in the Basic Medical Sciences aspect of the dental curriculum
- **Dean's Award** Feb. 2001
Awarded in recognition of an outstanding research presentation
- **Human Development and Health Award** Nov. 2001
Awarded in recognition of top performance in the Law, Ethics and Human Development section of the dental curriculum
- **Certificate of Excellence** Aug. 2000
Awarded in recognition of academic achievement in Year 1 of the dental curriculum
- **Hinz Award** Sept. 1999
Awarded to the first year student with the strongest academic record and other entrance criteria judged by the Admissions Committee

Boston College Honors

- **Phi Beta Kappa** May 1997
Honor Society
- **Golden Key Honor Society** May 1997
- **High Honors Dean's List** 1993-1997
All Semesters

Community Service

- **Give Kids a Smile Day** 2007, 2008
Volunteer
Provide dental evaluations and treatment to children in the Washington DC area
- **South Park Homeless Shelter, Hartford, CT** 2001-2003
Co-Director
Organized dental screenings and referrals for the residents of the shelter
- **Migrant Farm Workers' Camp, Hartford, CT** 2001-2002
Volunteer
Performed oral examinations for the farm workers; gave oral hygiene instruction; made recommendations for treatment
- **Special Olympics, Hartford, CT** 2001-2002
Volunteer
Performed oral examinations for the athletes; gave oral hygiene instruction; made recommendations for treatment
- **Hartford Health Education, Hartford, CT** Jan-April 2000

Instructor

Educated middle school children on human health and development