

DECATUR

Doctor Cole, was very professional. His unique ability and bedside manner is second to none. His ability to calm me and put me at ease, made the surgery a calming experience. I recommend Doctor Cole for any or all surgeries. In all my years going to the doctors, he the best dental surgeon I have encountered.

FAYETTEVILLE

If I could give a higher rating I would. Atlanta Oral & Facial Surgery's staff members were warm and professional. Dr. Gonzalez and Shelby are excellent professionals and they made me extremely comfortable. Dr. Gonzalez was extremely thorough and compassionate with his care for me. I strongly recommend this group.

CALHOUN

Dr. Worley and Elena were two of the finest dental people we have ever dealt with! They were so pleasant and so professional, we will have all our oral surgery work done by them!!



STOCKBRIDGE

Dr. Martin and staff are friendly and very professional. They are kind and explained the procedures and made me very comfortable with the tooth extraction.

EAST COBB

I fell in my garage and broke my jaw in December. As you can imagine December is an oral surgeons busiest months. Not only did they fit me in through my extensive journey, but they were always patient and answered all my questions and made me feel comfortable. Their x-ray machine is state of the art. I will be forever grateful for the 5 months of treatments many times weekly but no less than every 2 weeks. Can't say enough good things about them! And absolutely loved Dr Schaner!!!

HAMILTON MILL

I got an excruciating infected tooth removed by Dr. Threadgill, something I've never had done before. I was very nervous, worried about pain and what to expect, but my worries were immediately smoothed over by Alana, the wonderful assistant taking care of me. Everything was explained clearly and carefully, I was given exceptional care by both the assistant and Dr. Threadgill! I didn't feel a thing and it was over before I knew it, I would HIGHLY recommend Dr. Threadgill for any dental emergencies.

JOHNS CREEK

I would highly recommend Dr. Meaders and his staff. He is efficient, great bed side manner and superior professionalism. I also have to recognize Dr. Meaders Assistant Ms. Shelby, Ms. Kristen through this difficult time for me. Reassured of Gods Plan for my Life is Ultimately Better than any plan I think of on my own. Thank You AOFS for sharing this journey with me, I have complete faith I'm in The Best Of Hands!

SUGAR HILL

Dr. Sherrell is a rarity! He's a specialist in oral mucosa. His experience and knowledge is vast. There is a population of people who need this kind of care - mouth & tongue soreness, mouth tissue issues during chemo, etc. I was lucky to have been referred to Dr. Sherrell! He's very compassionate with an easy going manner!

STAFF SPOTLIGHT

Meet Crista! 🌸

Crista is the newest edition to our AOFS marketing team. She has lived around the Atlanta area almost her entire life. She grew up in Fayetteville, GA and lived there until she moved to Orlando in January 2017. During that time, she worked at Walt Disney World, where she worked at some of the most iconic rides in Magic Kingdom, Splash Mountain and the Peppercorn. After she left Orlando, she moved to Kennesaw to finish her bachelor's degree at Kennesaw State. She graduated in 2020 with a BS in Media and Entertainment and certification in Fundamental Music and Entertainment Business. During her time at KSU, she began working for the Atlanta Braves as a tour guide and she stayed there for four years, moving from tours to Event Operations and then finally over to retail. In her free time, you can find her writing a novel that she hopes to have published in the next few years or traveling with her older sister and her two nephews. She is a big fan of musical theater and also a fan of comedy- she watches Saturday Night Live every Sunday afternoon with her cat, Winnie.



Meet Catt! 🌸

Catt has been with the AOFS team for almost five years now. She's the ITC/surgical supervisor at the Woodstock office. Catt likes to spend her free time reading, spending time with her husband, and dogs, Ziti and Matzo. Her and her husband recently tied the knot six months ago. She's an awesome addition to the AOFS team and if you happen to meet her, you'll enjoy her personality and sense of humor!



Have anyone you'd like to nominate for the staff spotlight or an A+ Moment?

Email: aofsmarketingteam@atlantaoralsurgery.com

COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS

Assistant Night with Newnan & Fayetteville

Thanks to all our Newnan and Fayetteville referrals who came out to Assistant Night with our very own Implant Director, Judy Miller. The first of many assistant focused programs, Judy spoke on different implant systems, their parts and pieces, implant candidates, case studies, and much more.



COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS

Assisting the Assistants with Dunwoody, Alpharetta & Roswell

Judy spoke again at our latest Assistant Night. We are so thankful to have such a knowledgeable and experienced leader on our team here at AOFs! Our awesome referral's presence and support made it even more special. We hope to see you at the next one!



COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS

Employee Referral Bonus Opportunity!

REFER A FRIEND, START EARNING



Beacon is expanding & we want your help to spread the word!

EARN UP TO \$1,000 PER REFERRAL!

Give the candidate your referral card or share on social media. Ask them to send you their resume, which you then must forward to HR to start the process.

PAYOUT DATES				
Interview	30 Days	90 Days	6 Months	Total
\$25	\$150	\$250	\$575	\$1,000

We are excited to announce our new Employee Referral Program! Do you know a friend, past colleague or peer with great skills and experience? Would they make a great addition to the Beacon family? We value your referrals and understand our own team knows the best candidates. Help us build a team of dedicated professionals like you! Referral cards are coming! Write your email address on them and hand them out to potential employees. The ZipRecruiter page with our current openings is attached to the QR code below and it is continually updated. Feel free to share the QR code.

A few guidelines:

- There is no limit on number of referrals.
- Employees will receive bonus within two weeks of each stage.
- Employee must be active on the payout date to receive bonus.
- Candidates already in the recruiting process are not applicable.
- Internal promotions or transfers are not eligible.
- Leaders are not eligible for new hires within their own department.



Have questions?

Email Laura McLand at lmcland@beaconoralspecialists.com

COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS

2023 Event Guidelines

Meaningful staff promotion and participation maximizes the return on events, we look forward to an incredible 2023 calendar of opportunities to showcase AOFS, our surgeons and our staff.

As we grow and continue to refine our events, we wanted to share updated guidelines. We want to continue to encourage you to attend these work events where you can enjoy excellent meals, a few good drinks, and the company of your coworkers while getting to know your referrals and helping your surgeons grow their practices.

Please see the updated guidelines below: 

1. Each event has differing levels of capacity for staff engagement. Your marketing coordinators will share with your offices the number of AOFS staff we can have at each event.
2. If you plan to attend, you need to register at least a week in advance for planning purposes.
3. Each staff member will be given a maximum of 2 drink tickets at each event where alcohol is served.
4. Professional behavior is expected to be maintained at all times while in the presence of referrals & their staff.
5. Taking alcohol shots during the events, regardless of being funded by AOFS, is not considered appropriate.
6. Referral & referral staff engagement is highly encouraged and appreciated.



UPCOMING EVENTS



DWO & KES Happy Hour

Join the West Cobb and Kennestone offices for an awesome happy hour event at Glover Park Brewery. There'll be snacks, drinks, and tons of mingling. Make sure to register as soon as possible!



Date: Thursday, April 20, 2023

Time: 5:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Location: Glover Park Brewery –

65 Atlanta St SE, Marietta, GA 30060

Hosted by: Dr. Paul “PJ” Schaner & Dr. Joshua Levy

Finding the Hidden Implant Patient

Sometimes the opportunity is right in front of us, but it just isn't visible. This program will help hygienists fine tune the skills necessary to start the conversation on dental implants at the time of the appointment. Together we will learn the value of dental implants, the different types of implant restorations, and most importantly, how to discuss all of this information with the patient.

Date: Thursday, April 27, 2023

Time: 5:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Location: Andretti –

2925 Buford Drive Buford, GA 30519

Speaker: Cyndi Roussert, RDH

Hosted by: Drs. Erik Belinfante, Chris Jo, John LaBanc, & Jonathan Threadgill (CMO, DAW, HAM, JCK, SHO & SLF)



DWO Digital Scan Night

Join us for a night of learning the benefits of digital dentistry. Together, we will learn how Encode Emergence Technology provides natural tissue healing for great aesthetics, easy scanning, and impressing for digital workflow efficiency.

Date: Thursday, April 27 2023

Time: 5:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Location: L On North –

113 N Park Square, Marietta, GA 30060

Speaker: Matt Garis

Hosted by: Dr. Paul “PJ” Schaner



LET'S CELEBRATE!

Happy Birthday!



Teresa Jameson
Richard Staviss
Dawn Jewett
Joy Jenkins
Cheryl Brambrut
LaToya Garcia
Kristin Cook
Erica Billie
Yesenia Sorto
Vicki Woolridge
Tabitha Bass
Nicholas Carilli
Kassandra Suderback
Valeria Betancur
Kallie Martin
Nhung Tran
Candace Cline
Juliet Balducci
Angela Ceballos
Mackenzie Cole
Alexis Samples
Alma Raygoza
Ashia Shelton
Deisy Lopez-Barrera
Tyler Kuczanski
Madison Deal
Savanna Noles
Melanie Sheriff

*Editor's note:

We try hard to get it right, but if your milestone was missed, please email yramos@atlantaoralsurgery.com and we'll make sure it's in the next issue. We don't want to miss anyone!

Happy Anniversary!



Katrese Hill - 26 years
Robin Flick - 22 years
Jennifer Rakestraw - 18 years
Carol Godfrey - 17 years
Pamela Hilton - 9 years
Dr. Steven Levy - 8 years
Kiara Breaker - 4 years
Kristin Cook - 4 years
Sharrie Smith - 4 years
Vicki Woolridge - 4 years
Tiffany Loving - 2 years
Morgan Bragg - 2 years
Mingzhe Lu - 2 years
Monica Dominguez - 2 years
Madison Deal - 2 years
Christine Cantrell - 2 years
Mackenzie Cole - 2 years
Tiffany Adams - 1 year
Kelly Hammett - 1 year

CONGRATULATIONS!

**THANK YOU FOR ALL OF YOUR
HARD WORK OVER THE YEARS!**