

KENNESTONE

My husband had a consult here and was very impressed.

He is nearly deaf and everyone spoke up so he could hear. His concerns were thoroughly addressed. We would go back if we need any services from them!

SUGAR HILL

I was very frightened when I arrived for a biopsy on my tongue. Both Kristy and Dr. Sherrell reassured me and explained everything prior to my procedure. They were very professional and very compassionate. I would highly recommend their care.

CUMBERLAND

This place has given me such a great experience. I was terrified to get my wisdom teeth removed, but Dr. Bankston made it as pleasant as possible. The staff are great as well!

DOUGLASVILLE

Great service! Dr. Treadway was very nice and professional.

NEWNAN

Excellent service from Kalen!



TOP REVIEWS

FAYETTEVILLE

The service here was great. Mrs. Chris and Dr. Gonzalez were awesome.

DAWSONVILLE

Dr. Shariff is wonderful! She numbed me up really well and I barely felt a thing. Before I knew it my tooth was out. She is very kind and patient. She answered all my questions. I would highly recommend her if you have to have a tooth extracted.

ROSWELL

Great experience. Dr. Blair and team made me feel very comfortable even though I was nervous. Always made me feel like I was their only patient.

EAST COBB

Great staff! They took the time to explain everything, made us feel at ease, and took excellent care of my son! Did not feel like we were just a number, but a valued patient!

ALPHARETTA

Everyone in the office is super friendly and helpful! Dr. Keim is the best, he thoroughly explained my son's procedure. Reassuring him and told him everything he could expect in recovery. Such a great guy. An excellent consult and we are scheduling our oral surgery as soon as we get the school calendar!

STAFF SPOTLIGHT

AOFS Welcomes Dr. Michael Hall!

AOFS is pleased to announce the addition of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeon, Dr. Michael Hall, to our Cartersville & Hembree locations.

Dr. Michael Hall was born in Cheyenne, Wyoming. Born to a military family his travels in early life played a critical role in his development of an open mind and a global perspective. Outside of work he enjoys golf, culinary arts, remaining physically active, and developing genuine relationships with quality individuals. His compassionate nature and love for sciences has always hinted towards his life's work being rooted in healthcare so as an ambitious first-generation college student he embraced the notion of utilizing these qualities to positively impact the world around him. This led him to Georgia State University where he became a highly decorated student leader, a division 1 collegiate athlete, and a two-time graduate having received both his bachelor's and master's degrees in Exercise Science. He went on to complete his Doctor of Dental Medicine (D.M.D.) training at the Dental College of Georgia at Augusta University. During this time, he remained an active student leader serving, most notably, as the national executive chair to the Student Professionalism and Ethics Association.



Following dental school, Dr. Hall served his 4-year Oral & Maxillofacial residency at Howard University Hospital, a level I trauma center in Washington, DC. During residency Dr. Hall was trained in broad scope Oral and Maxillofacial surgery with considerable focus on complex dental extractions, dental implant placement, bone grafting, orthognathic surgery, the management of medically complex patients, pathology, anesthesia, and trauma. Dr. Hall remains certified in Advanced Trauma and Life Support (ATLS) by the American College of Surgeons.

Dr. Michael Hall is an active member of several professional organizations that include:

- American Dental Association
- Georgia Board of Dentistry
- Northern District Dental Society
- American Association of Maxillofacial Surgeons

**Dr. Hall is a valuable asset to AOFS, and we are excited to have him!
He will start seeing patients Monday, August 8th.**

Have anyone you'd like to nominate for the staff spotlight?

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Meet Joelle! 🌿

Hey y'all! My name is Joelle, and I am the admin supervisor of our Kennestone office with Dr. Levy and Dr. Slaughter. August of this year will be my first full year with AOFS, and I am having a blast! A few examples of how things run at our office are 1) Vacations must be scheduled!! 2) Positive vibes only and 3) Have fun!!!! I can honestly say working with our front and back staff is the best part of my job. The relationships we share are amazing and I know I can always count on these girls both inside and outside of the office. They truly are my BFFs.

I was born and raised here in Georgia, but Alabama will forever be my home (Roll Tide!). Away from work I enjoy spending time with my amazing girlfriend, beautiful (brats) kids, and my cute puppies. Plants are my jam and yard sales are my guilty pleasure. I love going through other people's junk.

I'm as simple as it gets, I love making people laugh and being the one others depend on. My experience here at AOFS has been nothing short of amazing and I am grateful for my position. I can't wait to see what the future holds for our offices and company!! Love y'all K byeeee!



Congrats Kristina! 🌿

Kristina Patrick recently passed the D.A.A.N.C.E. and is now a certified Dental Anesthesia Assistant by the American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons. She works alongside Dr. Threadgill, so if you see her around give her a warm "Congrats!"

Way to go, team! 🌿

A few weeks ago, some of our awesome Canton and Calhoun staff ran the Hotlanta half marathon. Shout out to Dr. Kragor, Hayley, and Anna for completing the race despite the summer heat. We are proud of you all and love it when our AOFS family represents us in the community!



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COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS

Woodstock & Canton Happy Hour

The Woodstock and Canton offices had their final happy hour event of the fall. We are so appreciative of everyone that came out despite the bad car accident on the way there. Thanks for showing up and showing out!



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. Beacon's Indeed 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

BRAND FOUNDATIONS

Brand Foundations Focus: Core Values

What are Core Values?

They are the guiding principles for how AOFS works to fulfill its mission.

WHY AOFS VALUES QUALITY?



- A company that puts quality first as a core value maintains a reputation of high standards and quality care that helps our business stand out.
- Quality ensures customer satisfaction, increased profitability, and overall growth.
- At AOFS we take pride in providing quality high value products and services that we stand behind.
- A positive quality environment creates a cultural mindset: We are all in this together.

WHO IS THE AUDIENCE?

First and foremost, it's the AOFS team. However, your core values likely will connect with others, such as current and prospective patients, referring dentists, community organizations and more.

WHY IS IT ESSENTIAL?

They provide direction for surgeons, staff and clients to help tell others more about who you are.



UPCOMING EVENTS



Hygiene Program: Oral Considerations for Cancer Patients

Join us for dinner, drinks, and an interactive program focused on strengthening the working relationships of dental hygienists and assistants in the community in order to elevate the patient experience.

Date: Thursday, August 11, 2022

Time: 5:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Location: Tam's Backstage -

215 Ingram Ave, Cumming, GA 30040

Hosted by: Dr. Erin Shariff (DAW), Dr. Richard Meaders, Dr. Jonathan Threadgill, & Dr. Erik Belinfante (CMO, SHO & JCK)



Back-to-School Happy Hour



Please join the Cumberland location for their first event of the fall! Stop by for drinks, snacks, and tons of fun. We hope to see you there!

Date: Wednesday, August 17, 2022

Time: 5:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Location: Red Hare Brewing Company -

1998 Delk Industrial Blvd SE, Marietta, GA 30067

Hosted by: Dr. Stephen Bankston, Dr. Wesley Sherrell, & Dr. Thomas David (CMB)

Women in Dentistry



Join us for a discussion on establishing systems for patient follow-up, the specialty referral, the relationship, making the appointment, and writing the referral, and much more!

Date: Thursday, August 18, 2022

Time: 5:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Location: Mac's Chophouse -

19 N Park Square, Marietta, GA 30060

Hosted by: Dr. Joshua Levy, Dr. Donald Nunn, Dr. Paul "PJ" Schaner, Dr. Joseph Slaughter, & Dr. Robert Wunderle III (KES, DWO, ECS)

LET'S CELEBRATE!

*Happy
Birthday!*



Pamela Hilton	Kristina Patrick
Kimberly Ribson	Jessica Brooks
Kristine Balizet	Ashly Veal
Sunshine Trevino	Taylor Trout
Shelby Smith	Megan Hall
Mandi Jones	David Cole
Bryan Fletcher	Casi Lynch
Dr. Erin Shariff	Lisa Jenkins
Heather Charlton	Victoria Pinyan
Alyssa Baker	Madelyn Schaner
Alyssa Tawadros	Connor McGhee
Melisa Whyte	
Cassie Pate	
Sarah Austin	
Merlinda Benefield	
Catherine Jenkins	
Dr. Robert Wunderle	
Monica Dominguez	
Kristina Beringause	
Cristal Alonso Lopez	
Paige Cantrell	
Mariana Resendiz-Cruz	
Massiel De La Cruz	
Dr. Abtin Etezadi-Tabrizi	
Dr. Christopher Kragor	

***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!*



Joelle Baker - 1 year
David Cole - 1 year
Wesley Sherrell - 1 year
Piolo Baker - 1 year
Molly Britton - 1 year
Miranda Peavy - 1 year
Haley Jones - 1 year
Cattabrie Wigley - 1 year
Kristen Gilbert - 1 year
Shelby Brancheau - 1 year
Tatiana Rojas Florez - 2 years
Meghan Parks - 2 years
Brooklynn Stinchcomb - 2 years
Kristy Fordham - 3 years
Jessica Burroughs - 3 years
Teresa Burns - 4 years
Christopher Kragor - 4 years
Cassie Pate - 4 years
Nichole Brodeur - 4 years
Maranda Phillips - 4 years
Christy Thacker - 5 years
Jonathan Threadgill - 5 years
Taylor Stanton - 5 years
Amy Michiaels - 6 years
Robert Wunderle III - 7 years
Chelsia Ware - 7 years
Elena Salazar - 8 years
Rebecca Dabbs - 12 years
Martin Velez - 16 years
Donald Nunn - 22 years
Teresa Jameson - 22 years
Karen Loconto - 27 years

CONGRATULATIONS!

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