

American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology  
IPC Meeting Progress Report  
March 2009

There are currently 289 registered Diplomates of the Board. This total includes 249 actively practicing Diplomates and 40 Diplomates who are retired from active practice and hold Emeritus status.

Nine individuals challenged the ABOMP examination in September 2008 and seven new individuals were registered as Diplomates after successfully completing the certifying examination. The next examination will be given on October 1-2, 2009.

The Board is continuing development of the recertification examination. At last fall's test construction committee meeting, the directors began submitting cases to be used in constructing the recertification examination, which will be given at the AAOMP annual meeting beginning in 2011.

Our Head and Neck Pathology Case Review program remains fully subscribed this year as it has for several years. Four glass slides are sent to each participant three times a year. Diplomates are to return their diagnoses for each case. The official diagnoses along with case discussions and a review of all participants' diagnoses for previous cases are sent out with each slide mailing.

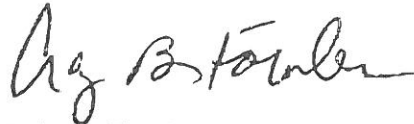
The Board continues to benefit from its close association and affiliation with the American Board of Pathology in Tampa.

The officers of the Board for 2008-2009 are:

Dr. Paul Freedman – President

Dr. John Wright – Vice-President

Dr. Craig Fowler - Secretary-Treasurer



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