

**The American Dental Association
Commitment Statement on Clinician Well-Being**

The American Dental Association (ADA) is pleased to present this commitment statement in support of the National Academy of Medicine's (NAM) Action Collaborative on Clinician Well-Being and Resilience. For over 25 years the ADA has been advocating for the health and well-being of our member dentists so they can survive and thrive in both their personal and professional lives. We look forward to discussing and sharing plans of action with the Action Collaborative that help reverse dentist burnout and promote dentist well-being.

The ADA is eager to work with NAM's network of more than 50 organizations committed to reversing trends in clinician health by: 1) understanding the challenges of clinician well-being, 2) raising the visibility of clinician stress and burnout, and 3) elevating evidence-based, multidisciplinary solutions that will improve patient care by caring for the caregiver.

Supporting clinician well-being requires sustained attention and action at the both the national and state levels, as well as investment in research and information-sharing to advance evidence-based solutions. We wholeheartedly commit to improving dentist well-being and reducing dentist burnout, and serving as an active contributor to the NAM's Action Collaborative on Clinician Well-Being and Resilience.