



Annual Report

April 2002 to March 2003

June 23, 2003

Sindi Hawkins
Ministry of Health Planning
Parliament Buildings
Victoria, BC
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Dear Ms. Hawkins:

It is my pleasure to present the eighth Annual Report to the Ministry of Health.
This report covers the period April 1, 2002 to March 31, 2003.

Sincerely,

Doug Hengel
Chair of the Board
College of Denturists of British Columbia

Chair's Comments

I am pleased to present the eighth Annual Report of the College of Denturists of British Columbia, pursuant to Section 17(2) of the *Health Professions Act*, on behalf of the Board of the College. This report covers the time from April 1, 2002 through March 31, 2003.

Doug Hengel
Chair of the Board

The Board

Two Registrants were elected for the period ending March 31, 2005, and the College welcomed Geri Hinton as the newly appointed Public Member.

Board Members

Professional Representatives

Jim Connolly (2000-2003)
Gary Feldman (2002-2005)
Doug Hengel (2001-2004)
Fern MacPherson (2001-2004)
Alison Nicholls (2000-2003)
Gary Stewart (2002-2005)

Public Representatives

Geri Hinton
Andrea Jones
Hari Varshney

Administrative Staff

John Mayr, Registrar

Stephanie Pontes, Executive Secretary

Committees

Inquiry Committee

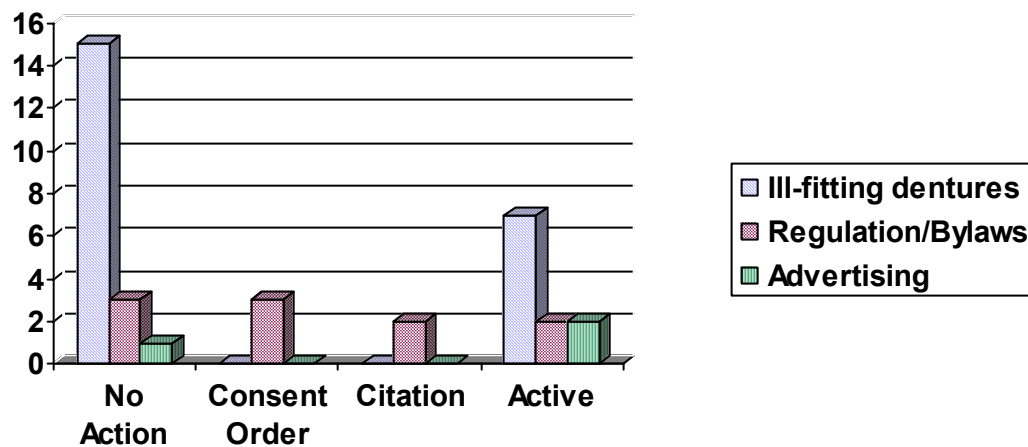
Members: Gary Feldman (Chair), Jim Connolly (Prof. Rep.), A. Jones (Public Rep.)

Activities:

Receive, review, and resolve complaints in a fair and timely manner.

Assist other Committees with ongoing regulatory compliance.

Complaint Type/Resolution Summary



*NO ACTION includes mediated settlement without formal action by the College.

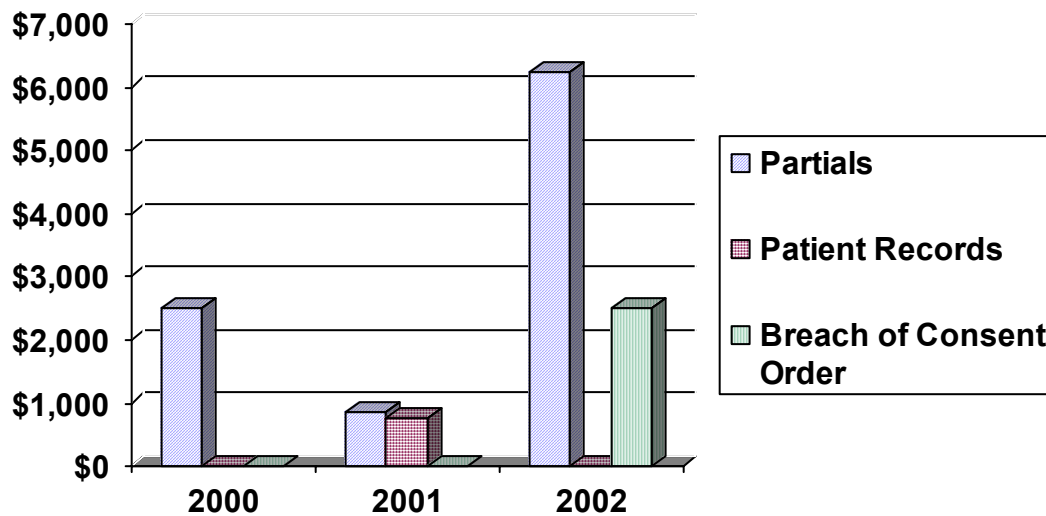
Discipline Committee

Members: Gary Stewart (Chair), Fern MacPherson (Prof. Rep.), Hari Varshney (Public Rep.)

Activities

Complete hearings into the activities of 6 Registrants by way of Agreed Statement of Facts.

Comparative Table of Fines and Costs: Years 2000-2002



Registration Committee

Members: Gary Stewart (Chair), Fern MacPherson (Prof. Rep.), Hari Varshney (Public Rep.)

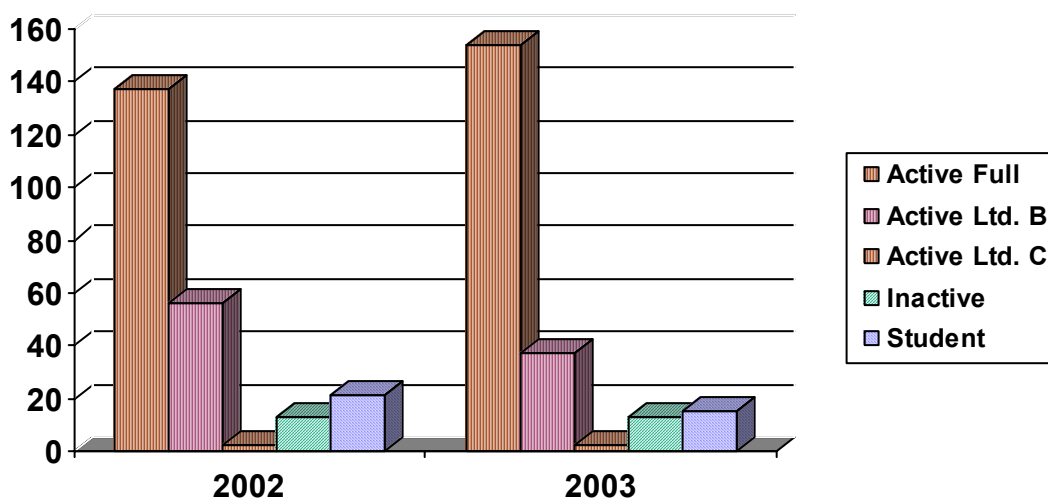
Activities

Offer Theory Examinations.

Offer Clinical Examination and OSCEs (objectively structured clinical examinations).

Continue to offer Advanced Practice Examination for provisions of removable partial dentures and dentures over implants.

Registration Table



Period Ending March 31, 2002

Active	195
Inactive	13
Student	21

Period Ending March 31, 2003

Active	193
Inactive	13
Student	15

Patient Relations Committee

Members: Alison Nicholls (Chair), Fern MacPherson (Prof. Rep.), Andrea Jones (Public Rep.)

Activities:

Review the program to prevent professional misconduct of a sexual nature.

Quality Assurance Committee

Members: Alison Nicholls (Chair), Robb McInnis (Prof. Rep.), Geri Hinton (Public Rep.)

Activities

Review requests for Continuing Education Credits.

Clarified the process of approving Continuing Education Courses.

COURSES VIEWED

45

APPROVED

34

NOT APPROVED

11

Executive Committee

Members: D. Hengel (Chair), G. Stewart (Prof. Rep.), A. Jones (Public Rep.)

Activities

Administer the finances of the College to ensure usage in an efficient, effective, and responsible manner.

Prepare and monitor the annual budget for the College.

Act as a panel when required.

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