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**Name (please print):** Paras Bharatkumar Patel

**Signature:** 

**Date:** 5/17/2021

## Biographical Information Form

(Speakers/Presenters/Authors)

All speakers/presenters and authors are required to submit biographical information early in the event planning process. A previously prepared resume may be submitted in place of this form.

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Degrees	Institution (Name, City, State)	Major Area of Study	Year Degree Awarded
DDS	Howard University College of Dentistry, Washington D.C.	Dentistry	2011
BS	Texas A&M University	Biology	2006

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Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology	Texas A&M University College of Dentistry	Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology	2017

Use the space below to briefly describe your professional experience or areas of expertise (including publications) related to your involvement in continuing education and your particular role, e.g., speaker, presenter, peer reviewer, administrator, etc.:

I am a board certified oral and maxillofacial pathologist, who obtained my dental degree from Howard University College of Dentistry in 2011. I went on to practice general dentistry for a couple of years in the Lubbock area working on a mobile dental unit. In 2014, I began my residency in oral and maxillofacial pathology at TAMU College of Dentistry. Upon completion of my residency, I was offered an opportunity at the college of dentistry, and am currently a full-time faculty member in the department of diagnostic sciences. I maintain a clinical practice actively seeing patients who suffer from various oral diseases in the stomatology center at the college of dentistry as well as participating in an active surgical pathology practice. I am involved in research activity with the college of dentistry and through collaborations with other institutions. I serve as a reviewer for various journals and have authored several peer-reviewed articles. In addition, I currently serve as an associate editor for the Texas Dental Journal. In all, I am a clinician, pathologist, researcher, and educator.