The Law Article Allowing the Employment of Dentists in Dental Offices Was Adopted By the General Assembly of The Turkish Parliament.

As the Turkish Dental Association, we have been demanding since 2018; the discussions on the Proposal for the Amendment of Certain Health-Related Laws and the Decree Law No. 663, including the regulation that allows the employment of dentists in dental practices, started today in the General Assembly of the Grand National Assembly of Turkey.

The article of the bill that allows dentists to be employed in dental practices was adopted at the General Assembly.

According to this, only one dentist can be employed in the practice, and it will not be possible to employ more than one dentist. The details of the implementation will be determined by a regulation to be issued by the Ministry.

Discussions on other articles of the law are ongoing.

We Are At The Earthquake Zone On The 1st Year Of February 6 Earthquakes

‘Our Visits to Adıyaman and Kahramanmaraş’

TDB President A. Tarık İşmen, Deputy President Burak Saran and Secretary General Emel Uzer visited the earthquake zone between February 3-7, 2024 to contacted with the Chambers of Dentists, colleagues and authorities about the problems and solutions on the 1st year of the earthquake disaster.
After Malatya, TDB delegation visited Adıyaman on February 5 and met with Adıyaman Chamber of Dentists President Mahir Taştan and Secretary General Yusuf Zeytin.

After receiving information about oral dental health services in Adıyaman and the problems of our colleagues, Adıyaman Oral and Dental Health Center was visited. Chief Physician Abdullah Karakuş and our colleagues met and received information.

TDA delegation also met with the dentists in Kahramanmaraş and made evaluations about the general problems of the dentists in the region after the earthquake.

Afterwards, the delegation went to Hatay to participate in the local commemoration program starting at 04.00 on February 6.
On March, 1-2 2024, third edition of Mesopotamia Dentistry Days will be held in Dicle University Culture and Congress Center in Diyarbakır under the Coordination of Chamber of Dentists of Diyarbakır.

The Event was previously, held dated 25.02.2022 in Diyarbakır and dated 17.08.2023 in Sanliurfa.

While this traditional event offers such rich science programs and courses on the field of dentistry, there is also opportunity for people who comes from abroad to see to city of Diyarbakır which has a historical past of approximately 9000 years. For more information about the event, please visit:

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