**Don’t miss the Dental Awards**

This year’s Dental Awards will be showcasing the best that the UK dental profession has to offer.

The Dental awards ceremony takes place on 24 April at the Royal Lancaster Hotel in London.

Broadcaster and writer, Gyles Brandreth, will be hosting the event.

Chair of the judging panel, Lisa Townshend said: ‘The entries for this year’s event were of an amazingly high standard across all of our categories, so much so that in many of the categories it was difficult to choose a winner.

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This year, due to the number of high quality entries in some of the categories, it has been decided to split them into Northern and Southern regions, with the winner of each region in contention to become the overall National Winner. This has been done for Dentist of the Year, Team of the Year and Practice Design & Interior.

The finalists in each category are as follows:

**Dental Laboratory of the Year**
- Demecraft – Sheffield, South Yorkshire
- Castlebridge Dental Studio – Gillingham, Dorset
- Bucks Oral Design Studio Ltd – High Wycombe, Bucks

**Dental Team Support**
- EL-Nashar Dental Care Ltd – Newton Abbot, Devon
- Perfect3.com – Beverley, East Yorkshire
- Westbury Park Dental Practice – Clayton, Newcastle under Lyme
- The 130 Dental Centre – Hayes, Middlesex
- Thompson & Thomas – Sheffield, South Yorkshire

**Practice Design and Interior South**
- Backwell Dental Care – Backwell, Bristol
- Senova Dental Studios – Watford, Hertfordshire
- Swiss Smile Kids – London
- The Ivory Room Dentalcare – London
- Gentle Dental Care – Winchester, Hampshire

**Practice Design and Interior North**
- The Dental Healthcare Centre and Cleveland Cosmetic & Dental Implant Clinic – Stockton on Tees
- Abbey Dental – Isle of Man
- Cleveland Orthodontics – Middlesbrough
- Gencare Dental Clinic – Tickhill, South Yorkshire
- Gencare Dental Clinic – Huddersfield, West Yorkshire

**Dentist of the Year South**
Michael Sultan – 99 Harley Street, London

**Dentist of the Year North**
Dr Michael Cahill – Cahill Care Centre Ltd, Bolton, Lancashire

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- Gary Rowland – Perfect3.com, Beverley, East Yorkshire
- Michael John Heads – The Dental Healthcare Centre and Cleveland Cosmetic & Dental Implant Clinic – Stockton on Tees
- Duncan Thomas, Amble Dental Practice, Amble, Northumberland
- Claire T Lawson – Lion House Dental Practice, Richmond, North Yorkshire
- David Thomas – Thompson & Thomas, Sheffield, South Yorkshire

**Dental Therapist of the Year**
- Kirsty Louise Smith – Smile & Wellbeing Dental Care, Bishops Stortford, Hertfordshire
- Kevin Lawlor – M&S Dental Care, Fort William, Scotland
- Catherine Gray – Special Care and Community Dental Service, Barking, Essex

**Dental Hygienist of the Year**
- Melanie Prebble – Senova Dental Studio, Watford, Hertfordshire
- Kirsty Louise Smith – Smile & Wellbeing Dental Care, Bishops Stortford, Hertfordshire
- Karen Hails – The Dental Healthcare Centre and Cleveland Cosmetic & Dental Implant Clinic, Stockton on Tees
- Debbie Bell – Cheam, Surrey
- Joanna Louise Jones – Various London practices

**Oral Health Promoter of the Year**
- Emma Clithero – Dentith & Denstith Dental Practice, Oakham, Rutland
- Julia Wilkinson – Oral Health Promotion, Nottinghamshire
- Elaine Sharp – Blantyre Health Care, North Lanarkshire

**Dental Nurse of the Year**
- Madeleine Fielder – Backwell Dental Care, Backwell, Bristol
-_Rachel L Walker – Andrews Dental, Chesterfield, Derbyshire
- Kayne Barnes – The Smile Boutique, Peterborough, Cambridgeshire
- Shabana Shaski – 130 Dental Centre, Hayes, Middlesex
- Bridget Hayes – Tideford Dental Centre, Tideford, Wiltshire

**Clinical Dental Technician of the Year**
- James Neilson – Winning Smiles, Gillingham, Dorset
- Marc Northover – Various Dental Practices, Birmingham
- Philip McKeown – Hamilton Clinical Dental Technicians, Hamilton, South Lanarkshire, Scotland

**Team of the Year South**
- 99 Harley Street – London
- Bannas Dental Care – Backwell, Bristol
- El-Nashar Dental Care Ltd – Newton Abbot, Devon
- The Smile Boutique – Peterborough, Cambridgeshire
- Wendy Sandeman Dental Practice – Drumpston, Dorset
- Sue Cottrell – Dentith & Denstith Dental Practice – Millingdon, Middlesex
- Bedfordshire Community Health Services – Ampthill, Bedford

**Team of the Year North**
- Cahill Care Centre Ltd – Bolton, Lancashire
- Oral Health Promotion Team – Nottinghamshire
- Perfect3.com – Beverley, East Yorkshire
- The Dental Healthcare Centre and Cleveland Cosmetic & Dental Implant Clinic – Stockton on Tees
- Thompson & Thomas – Sheffield, South Yorkshire
- Woodseats Dental Care – Sheffield, South Yorkshire

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