



Your December LDC newsletter



Wishing you and your families all the best this holiday season from all of us at the BDA!

[LDC Officials Day 2018: debating dentistry today](#)

The annual Local Dental Committees (LDCs) Officials Day took place on Friday 30 November in London, welcoming LDC reps from across the UK to discuss the challenges faced by local committees.

Read about some of the highlights from the day.

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[Henrik's Hometruths](#)

Henrik Overgaard-Nielson, chair of GDPC gives an update on DDRB, the delay in uplifts and and the contract reform programme.

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[Sugar and oral health summit](#)

Public health leaders, academics and campaigners gathered at the British Dental Association to map out the next phase on the war on sugar.

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[Uplifts: Inexcusable delays place services in peril](#)

We have welcomed news that dentists in England will get a 1.68 per cent uplift in their December pay run which should be seen in early January 2019. However, the delays to pay mean late award implementation and further delays for next year.

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[National Performers List Change Notification](#)

NHS England has agreed that dental performers are not required to notify PCSE of a change to practice at this point in time. The requirement will be re-introduced once the new Performers List service has been rolled out.

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