

Podunk City Study Club Mission Statement:

- Provide an educational environment that supports all members' aspirations of becoming better educated, better trained, and more skillful dentists.
- As members develop their knowledge, confidence and skill, support the improvement of the overall standard of dental care in our community.
- Build and strengthen relationships among the dental professionals in the community by sharing skills, experience, and social interaction. Through this sharing, create a trusted forum to bring professional concerns and clinical dilemmas.

Podunk City Study Club Organizational Goals

- Meet and exceed the member's expectations for local education and camaraderie with dental peers.
- Support a \$1000 Dental School scholarship
- Create treatment planning session to help solve clinical problems and encourage sharing of experience and knowledge among members.

Podunk City Long Range Education Goals- *CE goals should address both professional need and improved patient care.*

- Effectively meet our member's needs by conducting needs assessments and using the results to plan programs, and use formal and informal feedback on programs to make improvements as needed.
- Include considerations of our total community dental health needs in developing our educational needs assessments by formal evaluation of public health data for our local counties and consultation with county public health officials.
- Hold meetings 10 times a year, including:
 - A meeting with a scientific speaker four times a year
 - Journal club meetings five times a year, led by a specialist when possible
 - One two day meeting held at a resort location with scientific speakers