

I am honored to be considered for a Board of Trustees position at APPNA.

When I was 9 years old, my family and I moved to the United States of America. Most of my early education was in New York City, including my undergraduate degree in Biochemistry from New York University.

After college, I studied at Harvard University and obtained my doctorate in dental medicine. Upon finishing the program, I moved back to New York and began my residency training program in oral and maxillofacial surgery at Long Island Jewish Medical Center. As part of the residency, I was accepted into Stony Brook School of Medicine where I received my medical degree.

After completing my training in 1997, I moved to New Hampshire with my family. I have been in private practice for the past twenty years and am one of the few in the state who is licensed in both dentistry and medicine.

Over the years, I have been involved with many organizations. This includes being one of the founding members of the Islamic Society of New Hampshire, Past President of the Rotary Club of Londonderry, NH, and a member of Governor Chris Sununu's Advisory Council on Diversity and Inclusion.

For over 10 years, I have performed cleft lip/palate surgeries in Mexico. Since 2011, I have been volunteering my time and services in training dental students at NYU and have helped provide much needed dental care in remote areas of northern Maine. In January 2019, I will be the team's oral and maxillofacial surgeon for NYU's Global Student Outreach Program in Ecuador.

I have been married to my wife, Romana, for over 28 years and have 3 lovely children, Umer, Raabia, and Henna.

Thank you.

Salman A. Malik, DMD, MD.