

Tuesday, August 31, 2004

## **Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario Notifies Public Suspended Dentist Continues to Practise**

**TORONTO** – On June 25, 2004, the Executive Committee of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario suspended the registration certificate of David Chuang on an interim basis having referred specified allegations of professional misconduct to the College's Discipline Committee. The Committee was of the opinion that Chuang's conduct exposes or is likely expose his patients to harm or injury.

On August 30, 2004, the Superior Court General Division ordered an interim injunction forbidding David Chuang to practice dentistry or to hold himself out as a dentist.

This means that David Chuang cannot legally practise as a dentist or call himself a dentist.

Among its objects under the *Regulated Health Professions Act, 1991*, the College has a duty to serve and protect the public interest.

One of the ways that the College does this is by licensing or registering dentists. Only members of the College can call themselves dentists or practise dentistry in Ontario.

It has come to the attention of the College that David Chuang may be advertising that he is a dentist and may be practising as a dentist, although it is illegal for him to do so.

David Chuang maintains a dental office at the following location:

Queenstate Dental Care  
143 Queen Street East, #201  
Brampton, Ontario

The College will continue to take all legal steps to protect the public in enforcing the College's order and the order of the Superior Court.

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