

Theo's Corner

Rockin' Theo!

The St. David's Dental Program is one of the founding members of Health Alliance for Austin Musicians (HAAM), which provides health care to uninsured professional local musicians. There are more than 8,000 musicians working in Austin, which is the self-proclaimed "Live Music Capital of the World," and these musicians are the linchpin of a business that city statistics show contributes nearly a billion dollars each year to the Austin economy. St. David's Dental Program is proud to play a role in keeping our musicians healthy and our music business humming along.

Since HAAM's inception in 2005, St. David's dentists have provided free dental care to **678** musicians in **1504** encounters, with **388** patients receiving care in 2007 alone.

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Upon occasion, some patients need advanced dental treatment that is beyond the scope of care available on our mobile dental vans. And that is where local community dentists can help.

If you would be willing to treat an occasional adult musician and/or family member, please give Deborah Durham a call at 879-6227. A professional profile survey will be mailed to you. That information will be entered into our data bank and should a patient need your services we will call your office to discuss the referral.

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