

**ASTDD Data and Oral Health Surveillance  
Annual Report  
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1. List any new members or subcommittee members or changes to the committee/focus area:

The Data Committee met once in January of 2022. Unfortunately, due to the Office of Management and Budget's restrictions on making any changes to the annual state synopses or basic screening survey for children once OMB approved both items, the data committee had little to do. Consequently, the ASTDD Board decided to dissolve the committee and instead establish a BSS community of practice that builds on the informal BSS support group established earlier this year. ASTDD will convene workgroups for specific data related projects "as needed."

2. Describe the focus of your committee/focus area:

The Association provides technical assistance and support to state and territorial oral health programs for state and territorial-based oral health surveillance, the National Oral Health Surveillance System (NOHSS), Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS), Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System (YRBSS), Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System (PRAMS), Synopses of State Dental Public Health Programs (State Synopses), Basic Screening Survey (BSS) training and technical assistance, and any chronic disease or maternal and child health related data requests or technical assistance. Two coordinators and various ad hoc advisory groups work to accomplish all objectives. The two coordinators also provide technical assistance and training to states on oral health assessment and surveillance.

3. List your committee accomplishments for the last calendar year.

- Data and Surveillance consultants (Kathy Phipps and Mike Manz) provided technical assistance on oral health surveillance issues to the following states/territories: Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Dakota, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Washington, Wisconsin.

- Kathy Phipps completed the 2022 Synopses report and updated the 2023 Synopses questionnaire including the online submission process.
- Kathy Phipps updated the list of state added BRFSS/PRAMS/YRBS questions.
- Kathy Phipps worked with Sahiti Bhaskara MPH, BDS and a workgroup on updates to the 7-Step Model. Sahiti is working with Dr. Phipps to learn the skills needed to provide technical assistance to state oral health programs on oral health needs assessments and oral health surveillance.
- Kathy Phipps completed an analysis and three reports using data from the environmental scan of COHSII states.
- Kathy Phipps updated the older adult BSS manual.
- Kathy Phipps fielded the bi-annual ASTDD Salary Survey.
- Mike Manz updated the Recommended Guidelines for Surveillance of Non-Traumatic Dental Care in Emergency Departments, the Guidance on Assessing Emergency Department Data for Non-Traumatic Dental Conditions, and the Methods in Assessing Non-Traumatic Dental Care in Emergency Departments Publications Update,
- Chris Wood updated the focus area's logic model and workplan.

4. Describe the future activities planned by your committee:

- Kathy Phipps distributed the 2023 Synopses questionnaire on January 4<sup>th</sup> with a due date of February 28, 2023. On January 25, 2023, she provided an overview of changes to the annual ASTDD State Synopses questionnaire. She provided guidance on completing the survey and answered questions from the audience.
- A weekend workshop, From Sampling to Analysis, a Hands-On Workshop for Epidemiologists and Analysts is planned for the 2023 National Oral Health Conference. The material covered will also be presented during a series of virtual meetings during the 2023 calendar year.
- Identify and contract with an oral health data and surveillance trainee and initiate training to eventually take on full responsibility for data and surveillance technical assistance and support.
- Continue to provide technical assistance to states and territories as requested.

5. Describe any workgroups, their roles and activities: NA

6. List any unmet needs of your committee (e.g., members, funding, etc.): None