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Anthony Charles Caputo, D.D.S. is an expert spokesperson on anesthesia for the American Dental Association (ADA), a professional organization representing approximately 161,000 U.S. dentists.

Dr. Caputo is currently in private practice providing anesthesia services for pediatric and adult dental patients including patients with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities. He is and Adjunct Professor with AT Still University. He works with and teaches AEGD Residents at AT Still University (ASDOH) in Mesa, Arizona and Winslow Indian Health Care Center in Winslow, Arizona. In January 2020, Dr. Caputo was selected as the AEGD Program Director for Johnston Memorial Hospital based in Abington, VA. Dr. Caputo lectures nationally on Medical Emergencies, Local Anesthesia Administration, and a variety of topics on sedation and anesthesia in dentistry.

Dr. Caputo is a Board Member and Speaker of the House for the Arizona Dental Association. He is an ADA 14th District Delegate and Chair for the Arizona Dental Foundation. He is an Anesthesia Evaluator and has served on the Anesthesia Committee as well as an expert consultant for the Arizona State Board of Dental Examiners (BODEX). Dr. Caputo serves as Chair for the BODEX Investigative Committee that functions to efficiently and transparently process and adjudicate dental complaints.

Dr. Caputo earned a bachelor's degree in Philosophy from the University of Arizona in 1989, his D.D.S. from the University of Colorado School of Dentistry in 1993. He earned his certificate in Hospital Dentistry from the University of California, Los Angeles, School of Dentistry in 1995 and his certificate in Anesthesiology from the University of Pittsburgh, School of Dental Medicine in 1997. He completed his Masters in Education, specializing in Dental Education in 2014 from the University of Pacific/AAL.

