SUBJECT: IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING THE NOVEMBER 2020 DENTAL APTITUDE TEST

To keep you informed of the status of the November 2020 Dental Aptitude Test (DAT), the DAT office is offering a special exception to receive a refund.

Registrants of the November 2020 DAT exam who have health and/or COVID-19 pandemic related concerns have the option to cancel by or before Friday, November 20, 2020, 1 p.m. EST.

To meet the needs of dental schools who use the DAT as part of their admission decision framework, the Canadian Dental Association (CDA) is doing everything possible to make the DAT available to a maximum number of dental school applicants. To ensure that this is done in the safest possible fashion, CDA is committed to abide by all local public health requirements, including those that might force test center closures or reductions in the number of individuals who can take the test.

Refunds for November 2020 DAT:

To receive a full refund, including the administration fee, please reply to this email, **by or before** the deadline, with the following details:

- First and last name used to register for the November 2020 DAT exam; and
- Clearly state that you wish to cancel writing the November 2020 DAT exam.

Please note: If you choose to cancel your session, you cannot, under any circumstance, take the test the day of the exam.

Registrants who do not meet the cancellation deadline, or who fail to show up for the exam, can apply to receive a refund for the registration fee. The administration fee will not be refunded.

Refunds can take at least three (3) weeks to process.

February 2021 DAT Exam:

Due to the uncertainty caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, dates for the February 2021 DAT exam are tentative and subject to change. Updates will be posted on the <u>DAT website</u>, as information becomes available. Please ensure to visit the website regularly.

Kind regards and stay safe,

DAT Office