RICHARD J. STALLER, D.D.S.

Dr. Richard Staller knows a lot about teamwork. Whether he is quarterbacking his highly successful cosmetic and reconstructive dental practice in Delray Beach or on the sidelines in his role as team dentist for Florida Atlantic University, Dr. Staller sees firsthand the benefits of working together toward success.

"We're a winning team also at our office," says Dr. Staller, who has been practicing dentistry in Florida since 1982, and has spoken extensively all over the country on topics such as implants, and cosmetic and reconstructive dentistry. The team at Dr. Staller's practice includes traditional staff, such as dental assistants and hygienists as well as dental specialists, including a periodontist, endodontist and oral surgeon. "We provide the most comprehensive dental treatment with the highest technology the profession has to offer," Dr. Staller says.

Through cosmetic and reconstructive dentistry, Dr. Staller has been helping patients improve their appearance as well as their self-image. "A great smile demonstrates confidence, health and success," he says.

For the past seven years, Dr. Staller has donated his time and services to protecting the smiles of more than 500 FAU student athletes. Each year, he and his staff fabricate custom mouth guards for every athlete as well as treating their dental needs to ensure each athlete's health.

Since the inception of FAU's football program, Dr. Staller has traveled with the team to every game and is a constant figure on the sidelines. "I might be one of the only dentists that travels with a college team," he says. But that's not surprising, considering head football coach Howard Schnellenberger often refers to him as an extra coach. Constantly talking with athletes and encouraging them to work hard academically, Dr. Staller has earned trust and respect from both coaches and players. He serves as a mentor to many students, including one interested in a dental career. "Both on and off the field, my involvement has been a very fulfilling and exciting experience. I have been very fortunate to be very successful and well-recognized in my dental career. It's great to be able to have a positive impact on the lives of my FAU student athletes."

"I love being involved in sports, but my real passion is seeing students mature into great athletes and responsible adults."

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