



## RAY SUGIYAMA, B.S., D.D.S., M.S.

Dr. Raymond M. Sugiyama was born and raised in Long Beach California. He attended Long Beach Polytechnic High School where he played football and captained the track team to a state title. He ran track at California State University, then joined the US Army where he was trained as a dental technician at Fort Ord, California. He attended dental school at Western Reserve University and later joined the US Public Health Service and served a one year dental internship in Staten Island, NY. Later, he was assigned to a mobile dental unit serving the US Coast Guard up and down the coast of California. He later pursued the specialty of orthodontics at Loma Linda University.

Dr. Sugiyama is a member of several organizations whose purpose is to protect the environment. He is an avid fly fisherman and has fished all over the world along with teaching a fly fishing class to doctors every July in Alaska. Dr. Sugiyama's wife is Founder and Director of Asians for Miracle Marrow Matches, an organization whose purpose is to find bone marrow donors for Asian children dying from leukemia and cancer.

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### EDUCATION

- Long Beach State College
- Long Beach City College
- Case Western Reserve University
- Loma Linda University

### AWARDS

- Delta Sigma Delta Award for Highest Academic Achievement
- Omicron Kappa Upsilon (Top 10% in class standing)
- Pierre Fauchard Society
- Diplomate, American Board of Orthodontics
- Past-President, College of Diplomates of the American Board of Orthodontists
- Past-President, CDABO FOUNDATION
- Honorary Member of the Thai Association of Orthodontists
- Honorary Member of the Guatemalan Association of Orthodontists

### RESEARCH

- Palatal Expansion in the Macaca Mulatta Monkey (Master's Thesis)
- Comparative studies in the dental anatomy and cephalometric measurements between Caucasians versus Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Thai and Filipinos. This research led to the development of SEBA (Sugiyama Evidence-based Asian Appliance)
- Comparative studies in the dental anatomy and cephalometric measurements between Caucasians versus Latin/Hispanics. This research led to the development of the Latin/Hispanic prescription called ProTorque.

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Clinical Instructor for 35 years at Loma Linda University
- Visiting lecturer at USC, UCLA, UCSF, UOP and University of Illinois
- Visiting lecturer at 41 universities in China, Japan, Korea, Thailand, India, Indonesia, Singapore, Malaysia, Philippines, Hong Kong and Taiwan
- Visiting lecturer at 17 universities in Mexico, Panama, Guatemala, Brazil and Peru

### CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Dr. Sugiyama has established two scholarships at Christ First Presbyterian Church and also a Humanitarian Award in memory of his mother
- Dr. Sugiyama teaches fly tying to children with cancer and also other children.

### MEMBERSHIPS

- American Dental Association
- California Dental Association
- American Dental Association
- Pacific Coast Society of Orthodontists
- American Board of Orthodontists
- College of Diplomates of the ABO
- Academy for Orthodontic Excellence
- World Federation of Orthodontists

