## **Christopher A. Butler, DDS, MHS, MSD, a Pediatric Dentist** with Smile Stars Pediatric Dentistry & Orthodontics

Get to know Pediatric Dentist Dr. Christopher A. Butler, who serves patients throughout the State of Louisiana.



**New York City, New York Jul 13, 2022 (Issuewire.com)** - A skilled pediatric dentist, Dr. Butler is affiliated with Smile Stars Pediatric Dentistry & Orthodontics, serving patients at their offices in Baton Rouge and Prairieville, Louisiana. To date, he is believed to be the first African-American male pediatric dentist in Louisiana. Looking toward the future, his goal is to serve as a positive role model for his young patients while promoting the importance of excellent oral healthcare.

"Smile Stars Pediatric Dentistry and Orthodontics is committed to you and your needs. This commitment is founded on a "faith and value-centric" purpose through services and trust. We are truly blessed by the opportunity to be a positive influence in the lives of you and your children" as stated on their website.

A native of Plaquemine, Louisiana, Dr. Butler is a proud graduate of the award-winning Baton Rouge Magnet High School. In 2014, he earned his Bachelor of Science degree in Biological Sciences from Louisiana State University. Shortly after, he began attending Meharry Medical College, where, based on his exceptional scholastic ability, he was awarded the John and Rita Conroy Endowed Scholarship. He obtained his first Master of Health Science degree (MHS) in 2016 and his Doctor of Dental Surgery degree in 2020.

While attending Meharry Medical College, he served as Basileus of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. and became a well-known Student Ambassador. In honor of his determination, he was presented with the Ewell-Neil Graduate Research Award for demonstrating outstanding achievement in creating fellowship amongst peers and promoting opportunities for research.

During his education, Dr. Butler gained experience assisting in family dentistry and found his true passion in pediatric dentistry. Most recently, he received his second Master of Science in Dentistry degree (MSD) from the University of Louisville and completed his advanced training in pediatric dentistry. He was also inducted into The Society for Collegiate Leadership & Achievement Honor Society.

Pediatric dentistry is the branch of dentistry dealing with children from birth through adolescence. The pediatric dentist has an extra two to three years of specialized training after dental school and is dedicated to the oral health of children from infancy through the teenage years. Children of different age groups need different approaches to dealing with their behavior guiding their dental growth and development, as well as helping them avoid future dental problems. A pediatric dentist cares for special needs patients as well.

Outside of his white coat, Dr. Butler enjoys cooking, traveling, and spending time with his furry, four-legged son, Chapo. He also gets a thrill out of flying and, at the age of 12, began his formal training at Embry Riddle University. He earned his private pilot's license at the age of 17 from the Louisiana Regional Airport.

## **Learn More about Dr. Christopher A. Butler:**

Through his findatopdoc profile, <a href="https://www.findatopdoc.com/doctor/83325238-Christopher-Butler-Dentist">https://www.findatopdoc.com/doctor/83325238-Christopher-Butler-Dentist</a>, or through Smile Stars Pediatric Dentistry & Orthodontics, <a href="https://www.smilestars.com/our-office/meet-our-doctors">http://www.smilestars.com/our-office/meet-our-doctors</a>

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