If you should ask any dentist you know what she would like her child to be, she would no doubt tell you a dentist. There could be no better evidence that dentistry is a desirable career for a young man or a young woman. The successful dentist today finds it extremely difficult to imagine a way of life that provides more in the way of rewards such as the satisfaction that results from doing good, the comfort of a good income, the respect of the public, and the excitement of a dynamic and expanding field. Dentistry does, however, require years of intense education.