

# Biographical Description for The HistoryMakers® Video Oral History with Dr. St. Elmo W. Crawford

PERSON

Crawford, St. Elmo W, 1952-

**Alternative Names:** Dr. St. Elmo W. Crawford; Dr. St. Elmo Crawford;

**Life Dates:** September 26, 1952-

**Place of Birth:** Washington, District of Columbia, USA

**Residence:** Washington, D.C.

**Work:** Washington, D.C.

**Occupations:** Dentist

## Biographical Note

Dr. St. Elmo Wallace Crawford, Jr., was born on September 26, 1952, in Washington, D.C. He is the son of Dr. St. Elmo Crawford, Sr., and Maime Crawford, a musician. He is also the great grandson of prominent businesswoman Maggie Walker. Crawford graduated from Calvin Coolidge High School in 1970 and received his B.S. degree from Hampton University in 1973. He later earned his D.D.S. degree from Howard University Dental School in 1977.

Crawford fulfilled his Residency at Georgetown University College of Dentistry and earned his certificate in pediatric dentistry and orthodontics at Children's Hospital in 1982. He began teaching at Howard University College of Dentistry in the Department of Pediatric Dentistry in 1977. Crawford went on to become an assistant professor in the College of Dentistry for Howard University in the Department of Pediatric Dentistry. In addition to his teaching, Crawford began a private practice in 1983 which later expanded to three practice locations.

Crawford is an active member of the National Dentist Association and the Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity. He is also a member of the National Dental Association, Robert T. Freeman Dental Society, American Society of Dentistry for Children, Academy of Dentistry International and the American Association of Dental Examiners.

Crawford was interviewed by The HistoryMakers on July 27, 2008.

## Related Entries

**Brightwood Elementary School** [STUDENTOF]

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**Calvin Coolidge Senior High School** [STUDENTOF]

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[from ? to ?]

**Howard University College of Dentistry** [STUDENTOF]

[from ? to ?]

**Georgetown University** [STUDENTOF]

[from ? to ?]

**Howard University College of Dentistry** [EMPLOYEEOF]

[from ? to ?]

**Professor**

**Dr. St. Elmo W. Crawford, D.D.S. and Associates** [EMPLOYEEOF]

[from ? to ?]

**Dentist**

**Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity** [MEMBEROF]

[from ? to ?]

**Member**

**National Dental Association** [MEMBEROF]

[from ? to ?]