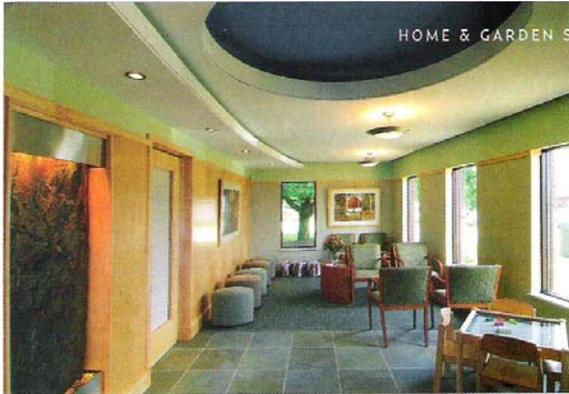


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## Office of Eric Henize, DDS

health care

### natural comforts

CK Designworks and Randal Corral Architect "Interior landscape" was the design concept for this dental office that exudes spaciousness and serenity. CK Designworks and Randal Corral used natural materials—maple paneling, porcelain slate tile, stone, water—to create a soothing space inspired by the textural richness and appeal of nature. The picture rail creates a horizon between earth and sky. Above, circles and sweeping arcs and the cool colors used in the recessed cove ceiling detail create a sense of space and distance. Lots of natural daylight, including skylights in windowless areas, is featured as essential to the well-being of staff and patients. A finishing touch: A structural column was transformed into a large toothbrush light fixture.



DESIGN TEAM: Randal Corral  
and Connie Foster

### ***Cincinnati Magazine's*** **5th Annual Interior Design Competition** **honors CK Designworks and Randal Corral Architect**

CINCINNATI – CK Designworks and Randal Corral Architect received an award for Health Care design in *Cincinnati Magazine's* 5th Annual Interior Design Competition. Award winners were announced Thursday, August 9, 2007 at a dinner held at the Kingsgate Marriott on UC's campus.

*Cincinnati Magazine's* interior design competition honors outstanding and innovative residential and commercial interior design in Cincinnati, Dayton and Northern Kentucky. Competition winners will be featured in the "Home & Garden" section of *Cincinnati Magazine* this November.

Designers wanted to achieve an interior landscape inspired by the textural richness and aesthetic appeal of nature. The comfort and serenity of this design are reflected in the dentist's attention to each individual patient. Sweeping arcs and cool colors create a sense of space and distance within an otherwise small area. The addition of natural light was considered essential to the well-being of staff and patients.

# Dr. Eric Henize

Blue Ash, Ohio

Designworks  
studio

Sq. ft.: 2,000 sq. ft.  
Completion date: 1998-2000  
General Contractor: Indell Construction  
Building Architect: Randal Corral Architects  
Interior Design: Connie Foster/CK Designworks

Dr. Henize contacted Connie Foster to design his new office remodel and expansions. From the project startup, the client requested a timeless yet comfortable and calming interior environment for patients and staff. Nothing sterile or cold in appearance was acceptable. He very much wanted to incorporate natural finishes and textures that mimic nature's ability to soothe the soul. Natural day lighting was important as well. Since one side of the building had existing windows and the new expansion side did not; the architect was able to incorporate new skylights that could fit nicely between existing roof trusses.

The team discussed the importance of recycling as many furnishings as possible. We were able to incorporate maple wood lobby chairs that needed only new upholstery. This allowed the client some flexibilities with the budget.



Interiors: Connie Foster was Principal while at CK Designworks



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Lobby area looking toward reception desk



Business area behind reception desk