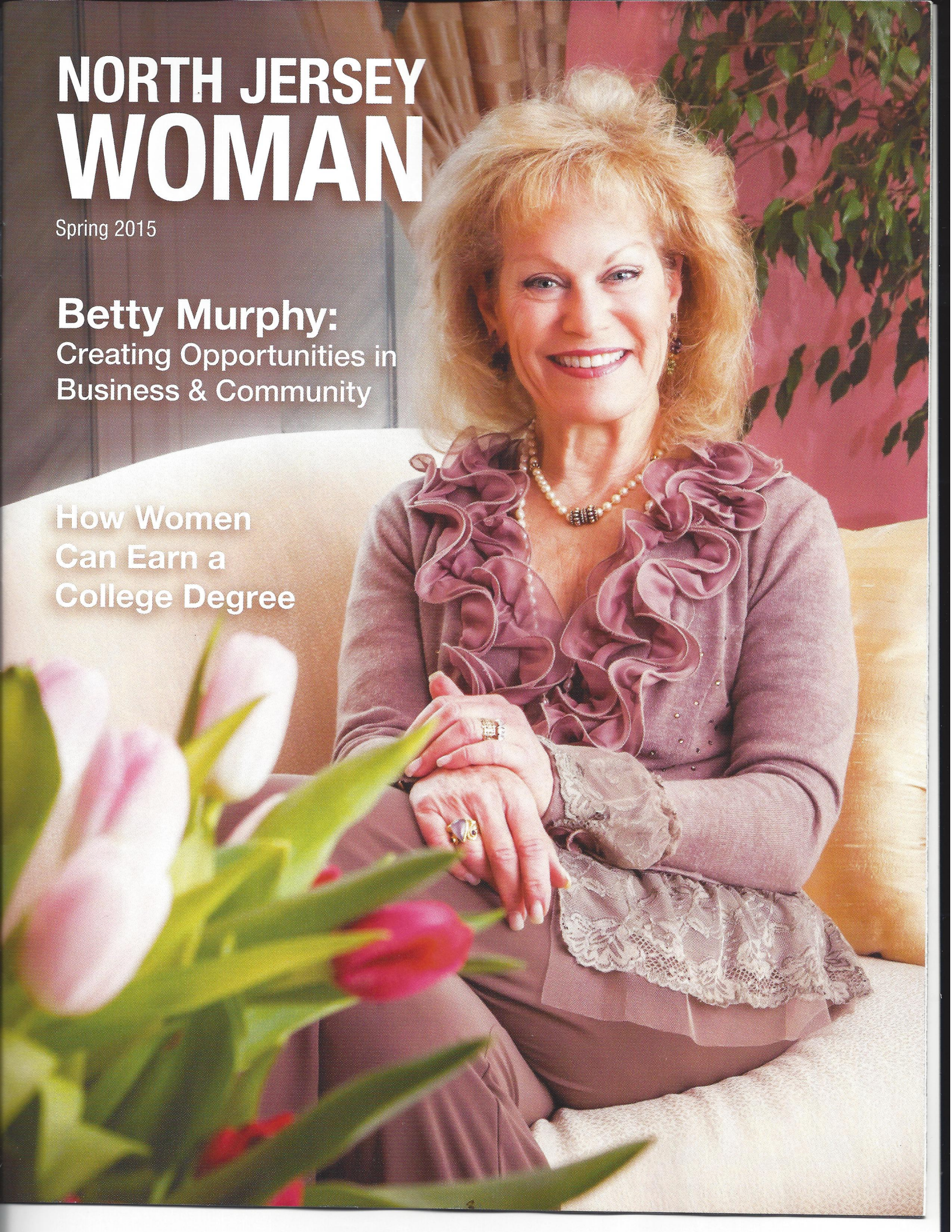


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Providing Patients with COMPLETE DENTAL CARE

By Susan Wilinski, photo by Dan Epstein

After being diagnosed with an ailment like periodontal disease, a patient often will be referred by their dentist to a specialist in a different location who may or may not have the same values and level of service. With the addition of periodontist Dr. Samantha Aaron in 2011 to The Silverstrom Group, a dental practice in Livingston, patients can receive care for their teeth, bones and gums in one location.

"It is a huge benefit for a periodontist and a dentist to work under one roof," Dr. Aaron states. "We can coordinate treatment so patients can get all of their work done in one visit. Without leaving the building, a patient can get a procedure done and have all the aesthetic work completed at the same time. It enables us to consult with a patient together, through all phases of treatment, to make sure the end result meets everyone's expectations. Communication is at its best, making planning as well as treatment seamless."

Having graduated from the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey and completing her residency at New York University, Dr. Aaron worked at private practices in both New Jersey and New York City before joining The Silverstrom Group, which is comprised of Dr. David Silverstrom, Dr. Gary Silverstrom, oral surgeon Dr. David Koslovsky, endodontist Dr. Blumberger, and Dr. Aaron. In addition to the benefit of having these specialties in one place, Dr. Aaron feels that the success of working together is largely attributed to the doctors sharing similar ideals, goals and philosophies.

"It was very apparent to me from our first meeting that our philosophies of treating patients and our approaches to dentistry are very similar," she says. "I very much admired how focused they are to comprehensive care and making sure every patient is treated as you would treat your family. I was attracted to how the group stays up-to-date in terms of technology, how active they are in attending lectures and conferences to stay on top of the latest procedures and advances in the field and how well the office is run."



Dr. David Silverstrom, Dr. Samantha Aaron
and Dr. Gary Silverstrom

At The Silverstrom Group, all of the doctors are focused on their patients' optimum oral health which means providing expert care in all areas and making it as convenient as possible for those patients to be evaluated in one appointment. Having Dr. Aaron as an integral part of that team, who is available during their exams, gives patients the benefit of an expert in the supporting structures of the teeth.

"A periodontist specializes and has advanced training in the treatment of the supporting structures of the teeth," Dr. Aaron explains. "We work hand in hand with the dentists to build a strong 'foundation' so that they can build a beautiful 'house.'"

"I hope that more patients are able to take advantage of the wonderful arrangement and the skills we can offer to make their treatment as comfortable, easy and seamless as possible."

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