



Dr. JON SUDBØ.

**D**r. Jon Sudbø a renowned dentist and medical doctor is currently involved in clinical research, principal investigator on a phase III chemopreventive trial spanning all the Nordic countries, and with translational research collaboration in USA (Cornell, MSKCC, MDACC). He was born on 3rd May 1961.

*Dr. Sudbø was student Dental Faculty at the University of Oslo in 1980. He completed DDS in 1985, again studied in Medical Faculty at the University of Oslo for MD in 1994. He acquired Ph.D from the University of Oslo in 2001. He is a trained dentist and medical doctor with board certification in medical oncology. He conducted research on genetic and metabolic changes, as well as prognostic markers in oral premalignancies since early 90 s. Dr. Sudbø made his Thesis dissertation in 2001. He has approximately 40 publications since 1997 to his credit. Dr. Sudbø attended between 40 to 50 conferences over the last 5 years. Annually he receives 20 - 30 invitations to hold lectures internationally. Current research co-operation with several Nordic comprehensive cancer centers (University of Helsinki and Turku, Finland, University of Lund and Gothenburg, Sweden, University of Copenhagen, Denmark) as well as international Universities like University of Bristol, Guys and Kings College, London, both UK and USA (Cornell University, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, New York, and University of Texas, MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston).*

*Dr. Sudbø is involved in teaching at the University of Oslo, and currently supervising 4 Ph.D students doing research in oral premalignancies and oral carcinogenesis. He is currently serving as Principal Investigator in a multicenter, multinational randomized trial investigating the effect of early systemic intervention in high-risk (DNA aneuploid) oral leukoplakia. He is also serving as an Associate Editor of an international peer reviewed biomedical journal.*

*Dr. Jon Sudbø has been selected by the World Scientist Forum for "Eminent Scientist of the Year 2004" International Award for his excellent research work in oral pathology and dentistry. His research on premalignancies and oral carcinogenesis needs special mention.*