

Discounted Dental Care Options

cdaonline.org/lowcostcare provides a regularly updated list of low-cost care options for patients. We provide information on all reputable programs that we are aware of. If a group would like to be added to the list, they can contact the Colorado Dental Association at (303) 740-6900.

You are welcome to share this link and resources in this packet with constituents and other interested groups. Some of the listed programs may have income and residency requirements. The programs vary in frequency and cost.

Low-Cost Dentistry

The Colorado Dental Association supports Colorado dental charities and non-profit dental clinics throughout the state. These organizations offer dental care on a sliding fee scale to individuals who are unable to afford treatment. Several of these organizations have financial and residency requirements. Others are established to help a certain portion of the population (i.e. children, the homeless, people with disabilities, etc.).

For a list of these clinics and health centers, [click here.](#)

In addition, the CDA hosts charitable dental programs to help both children and adults. Colorado dental professionals are constantly giving back to their communities and have given millions of dollars in donated dental services through these charitable programs.

- **Give Kids a Smile Day** is a day of free dental treatment and education for kids. This program takes place on the first Friday of February each year. Dental volunteers from across Colorado donate their time to help children without dental insurance or the ability to afford dental care. Children must have an appointment in advance to receive free care. [Click here to learn more!](#)
- **Colorado Mission of Mercy (COMOM)** is a 100-chair portable dental clinic that travels to different areas of the state. This annual clinic provides two days of free dental treatment to adults and children. Treatment is delivered on a first-come, first-served basis — appointments are NOT made in advance. [Click here to learn more!](#)

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Dental Professional

To learn more about the medical plans offered, call 800-232-2588, ext. 1269.

CDA Benefit Plan, Inc.

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Organized Programs and Events:

Programs Exclusively for Children

Scheduled Events

Give Kids a Smile

cdaonline.org/GKASpatient

Location: Various across the state

Give Kids a Smile is a day of free dental treatment and education for kids organized by the Colorado Dental Association. This program takes place on the first Friday of February each year. The next event will be held on Friday, February 4, 2011. Dental volunteers from across Colorado donate their time to help children without dental insurance or the ability to afford dental care. Children must have an appointment in advance to receive free care.

Ongoing Programs

Medicaid and CHP+

www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite?c=Page&cid=1197969485591

cchp.org

The state's Medicaid and CHP+ program offers a dental benefit for children under age 19 and pregnant women with family income less than or equal to 250% of the federal poverty level. Families can find a dentist that participates in Medicaid using the CDA's Find a Dentist tool (red tab at the top right corner of cdaonline.org). Simply click on the "Accepts Medicaid" box under payment options. Select fewer options to yield the most search returns.

Total Oral Prevention Strategies (TOPS)

3216 High St., Denver, CO 80205 – 303-996-4811

kidsoralprevention.org

TOPS is a non profit, bilingual dental clinic serving Denver's low-income preschool children and their families. TOPS provides free preventative care including dental screenings, cleanings, fluoride varnish applications and dental care education to parents. TOPS strives for early intervention that results in long term cost savings.

The Children's Hospital Healthy Smiles Pediatric Residency Dental Clinic

13123 E. 16th Ave. B240, Aurora, CO 80045 – 720-777-6788

thechildrenshospital.org/conditions/dental/healthy-smiles.aspx

The Healthy Smiles Clinic is a large and innovative pediatric dental clinic for children who have limited access to dental care. The clinic sees more than 25,000 children per year at reduced cost. The clinic is open for walk-in dental emergency care weekdays from 8-10 a.m. The clinic also offers general anesthesia for children who may benefit from sedation.

Kids In Need of Dentistry (KIND)

2465 S. Downing St., Ste. 210, Denver, CO 80210 – 303-733-3710 (administrative office)

825 E. Pikes Peak Ave., Ste. 101, Colorado Springs, CO 80903 – 719-227-1018

4201 E. 72nd Ave., Commerce City, CO 80022 – 720-322-1561

1350 Clarkson St., Denver, CO 80218 – 720-424-0714

www.kindsmiles.org

KIND offers dental care, including reduced-cost orthodontic treatment, on a sliding fee scale based on income. KIND also has a mobile dental unit that travels throughout the state to provide care.

Rocky Mountain Youth Mobile Van

1766 High St., Ste. 7, Denver, CO 80218 – 303-523-3728

rockymountainyouth.org/?q=node/22

The mobile dental unit travels around the Denver metro area and to rural areas of Colorado. It provides dental care to uninsured children and adolescents.

Programs for Adult Populations: Domestic Violence

Ongoing Programs

MDDF Smile Again

mddsdentist.com/misc/MDDF.asp

Location: Various dental offices in metro-Denver

The Smile Again Program offers cost-free dental care to disadvantaged survivors of domestic violence. Organized by the Metropolitan Denver Dental Foundation, dentists in the community volunteer their time to provide free care to men, women and children who have survived situations of abuse or neglect.

Programs for Adult Populations: Elderly/Disabled

Ongoing Programs

Colorado Foundation of Dentistry for the Handicapped (CFDH)

1800 15th St., Unit 100, Denver, CO 80202

303-534-3931 (metro), 303-534-3863 (non-metro)

nfdh.org

The CFDH arranges comprehensive dental treatment and long-term preventive services to needy disabled, elderly or medically compromised individuals through volunteer dentists in Colorado. They also offer a Dental HouseCalls program that provides in-home care to low income seniors who are too frail or ill to travel to a dental office. In 2009, CFDH provided over \$1.5 million in care to over 450 Coloradans.

Old Age Pension Program

303-692-2470

www.cdphe.state.co.us/pp/oralhealth/OAP.html

The state-funded Old Age Pension (OAP) program provides low-cost dental services, including dentures, to eligible seniors. Since Medicaid does not offer a sufficient adult dental benefit, this program is one of the only options available to Colorado seniors.

Private Dentist Discounts

Seniors can find a dentist who offers senior discounts using the CDA's Find a Dentist tool (red tab at the top right corner of cdaonline.org). Simply click on the "Senior Citizen Discount Offered" box under payment options. Select fewer options to yield the most search returns.

Programs for Adult Populations: Homeless

Scheduled Events

Project Homeless

volunteer.united-e-way.org/milehigh/user/events/one.aspx?event_id=10352319895

CDA is a 2010 sponsor of Project Homeless Connect, a one-day event that works to connect homeless individuals to needed services, including basic healthcare, legal services, IDs, birth certificates, food-stamp benefits, and information about employment opportunities and shelter openings. Metro area dentists will provide free dental care during the May 22, 2010 event at Coors Field.

Ongoing Programs

Colorado Coalition for Homeless - Stout St. Clinic

2111 Champa St., Denver, CO 80205 –303-291-5165

coloradocoalition.org/what_we_do/healthcare/dental_clinic.aspx

Denver Rescue Mission

1130 Park Ave. West, Denver, CO 80205 – 303-294-0157

denverrescuemission.org/clinic.html

Peak Vista Community Health Centers - Homeless Clinic

722 S. Wahsatch Ave., Colorado Springs, CO 80903 – 719-471-2789

Programs for Adult Populations: Immunocompromised

Ongoing Programs

Denver Health Community Health Services ID Clinic for HIV/AIDS Patients

605 Bannock St., Denver, CO 80204 – 303-436-7928

Howard Dental Center

Clinic for HIV/AIDS Patients

1420 Ogden St., Denver, CO 80218 – 303-863-0772

howarddental.org

Programs for Adult Populations: Women

Ongoing Programs

Women's Resource Center

424 Pine Street, Ste 201, Fort Collins, CO 80524-2421 – 970-484-1902

womens-resource.org

The Women's Resource Center provides the opportunity for disadvantaged women in Larimer County to obtain affordable oral healthcare and dentures. In 2009, the dental program served 310 women, and 21 low-income adults received free dentures.

Programs for All Coloradans

Scheduled Events

Colorado Mission of Mercy (COMOM)

cdaonline.org/COMOM

2010 Location: Colorado Springs

COMOM is a 100-chair portable dental clinic that travels to different areas of the state each year. Dental volunteers from across Colorado will again donate their time on October 1-2, 2010 to provide two days of free dental treatment to adults and children in Colorado Springs.

Ongoing Programs

Dental Aid

4155 Darley Ave, Ste C, Boulder, CO 80303 – 303-499-7072

1715 Princes Dr., Longmont, CO 80501 – 303-682-2619

877 S. Boulder Rd., Louisville, CO 80027 – 303-665-8228

University of Colorado School of Dental Medicine

13065 E. 17th Ave., Aurora, CO 80045 – 303-724-6941

Treatment is provided by dental students under the direct supervision of dentists who are faculty members of the School of Dental Medicine. Most dental services that are available in private practices are also available at the school. The fees at the school are heavily discounted in exchange for the additional amount of time necessary for students to provide treatment and the patient's scheduling flexibility, but patients are expected to pay for services at each visit.

Federally Qualified Health Centers/Community Health Centers

Federally qualified health centers and community health centers care for some of the nation's most vulnerable populations. They are nonprofit or public health clinics that focus on providing primary healthcare services, including dental care, to Colorado's low income residents. Health centers serve a large number of low-income Coloradans. In 2008, 37 health center dental clinics in 21 Colorado counties provided over 175,000 visits to more than 76,000 patients.

Visit cchn.org/map.php for an up-to-date list of Colorado's Community Health Centers. Centers providing dental care are highlighted throughout this document and below.

Urban & Metro

Clinica Campesina

8990 N. Washington St., Thornton, CO 80229 – 720-207-0170

Denver Health Community Health Services Dental Programs

301 W. 6th Ave., Denver, CO 80204 – 303-436-6440

501 28th St., Denver, CO 80205 – 303-436-4600

1100 Federal Blvd., Denver, CO 80204 – 303-436-4345

Health District of Northern Larimer County

202 Bristlecone Dr., Fort Collins, CO 80524 – 970-416-5331

Inner City Health Center

3800 York Street, Denver, CO 80205 – 303-296-4873
4200 W. Conejos Pl., LL5, Denver, CO 80204 – 720-956-0310

Marillac Clinic, Inc.

2333 N. 6th St., Grand Junction, CO 81501 – 970-255-6320
www.MarillacClinic.org

Metro Community Provider Network (MCPN)

3292 Peoria St., Aurora, CO 80010 – 303-360-6276

Peak Vista Community Health Centers

2828 International Cir., Colorado Springs, CO 80910 – 719-475-0783
34 Hybrook Rd. South, Divide, CO 80814 – 719-687-4460
301 E. Iowa Ave., Fountain, CO 80817 – 719-322-0777

Pueblo Community Health Center

2030 Lake Ave., Pueblo, CO 81004 – 719-564-4823

Salud Family Health Centers

1860 Egbert St., Brighton, CO 80601 – 303-655-4955
6075 E. Parkway Dr., Ste. 160, Commerce City, CO 80022 – 303-286-8900
5995 Iris Pkwy., Frederick, CO 80530 – 303-833-2050
1115 Second St., Ft. Lupton, CO 80621 – 303-892-6401
909 E. Railroad Ave., Ft. Morgan, CO 80701 – 970-867-0300
220 E. Rogers Rd., Longmont, CO 80501 – 303-772-1906
1410 S. 7th Ave., Sterling, CO 80751-4557 – 970-526-2589

Sunrise Family Dental Clinic

1006 A St., Greeley, CO 80631 – 970-352-0048

Sunrise Loveland Community Health Center

450 N. Cleveland Ave., Loveland, CO 80537 – 970-669-4855

Mountain & Rural**Community Dental Clinic**

1901 S. Townsend, Montrose, CO 81401 – 970-252-8896

Dolores County Health Association Community Dental Clinic

495 W. 4th St., Dove Creek, CO 81324 – 970-677-2291

High Plains Dental Center

200 Kendall Dr., Ste. 1, Lamar, CO 81052 – 719-336-8445

Northwest Colorado Dental Care

485 Yampa Ave., Craig, CO 81625 – 970-824-8000

Plains Medical Center

820 1st St., PO Box 160, Limon, CO 80828 – 719-775-0300
55981 E. Colfax Ave., Strasburg, CO 80136 – 303-622-4660

Summit Community Care Clinic

360 Peak One Dr., PO Box 4337, Frisco, CO 80443 – 970-668-4040

Uncompahgre Medical Center

1350 Aspen St., PO Box 280, Norwood, CO 81423 – 970-327-0522

Valley-Wide Health Systems

128 Market St., Alamosa, CO 81101-4339 – 719-589-9691
220 S. Worth St., Center, CO 81125-9001 – 719-754-3584
1800 E. 3rd St., Ste. 110, Durango, CO 81301 – 970-385-5930
421 Walnut St., La Jara, CO 81140-0661 – 719-274-8948
903 S. 12th St., Rocky Ford, CO 81067-2127 – 719-254-7623
North Hwy 159, San Luis, CO 81152-0328 – 719-672-3352



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