Dental Resources: Low Cost & Financial Support

Low-cost Dental Services

University of Colorado School of Dental Medicine
303-724-6900 or 303-724-6942 (Emergency Services)
13065 East 17th Avenue, 3rd Floor, Aurora, CO 80045
http://www.ucdenver.edu/academics/colleges/dentalmedicine/PatientCare/Pages/PatientCare.aspx

- **Notes:** Provides low-cost, high-quality dental care to clients, regardless of insurance. Offers general dentistry for adults – crowns, bridges, fillings, implants, root canals, dentures, partials, wisdom teeth removal, orthodontics, and emergency appointments (deposit required for emergency visits).

- **Services are generally provided at a lower cost that most private dental practices (up to 30% less).** Also accepts Medicaid. Offers payment plans for orthodontia.

Dental Access Center (Affordable Dental)
303-394-0231
3216 High Street, Denver, CO 80205

- **Notes:** Low income families, Medicaid or most insurance; no sliding scale – fees are lower than regular dentist.

Kipling Dental Center
Phone #: 303-935-5881
Address: 3785 Kipling St., Suite 1, Wheat Ridge, CO 80033

- **Notes:** Discounted services. Cost is $25 for a dental evaluation or denture evaluation. Familiar with AV Hunter and Friends of Man grant application process (does not help with completing applications)

Martinez Dental Care
303-733-7533 (For Dentures)
1200 S. Wadsworth Blvd., #105, Lakewood, CO 80232
M-F 9a-5a

- **Services Provided:** Discounted services, implants, cleanings, root canals.
- **Notes:** Discounted services; cost: $40 dental evaluation, $20 denture evaluation. Bilingual staff.

Red Rocks Family Dentistry
303-933-8230
6169 South Balsam Way #330, Littleton, CO 80123
http://redrocksfamilydentistry.com/

M-Th 8am-5pm, Fridays by appointment only
- **Services Provided:** Full Dental Services

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• Notes: May offer discounts. $90 adult cleaning, exam and X-rays ($60 child); $749 per denture, or full set of dentures for $1499; $780 crowns

STRIDE Community Health Center (formerly MCPN)
303-360-6276
11005 Ralston Rd., #100G, Arvada, CO 80004
https://stridechc.org/services/oral-health/

• Services Provided: STRIDE’s Oral Health Program provides preventative, restorative and emergency services to patients of all ages.
• Notes: Prices vary based on services provided. However, they accept Medicaid, CHP+/Delta Dental, and sliding scale. No insurance: Financial screenings are available.

Community College Of Denver, Dental Hygiene Program
303-365-8338
Lowry Campus, Building 753, 1062 Akron Way, Denver, CO 80230

• Each visit lasts 3-4 hours by appt.
• Services Provided: Screening and X-rays $30; cleanings $15-50; fillings starting at $99
• Notes: Uninsured; now also accepting Medicaid

The People’s Dentist
303-430-7399
1245 E. Colfax Suite 301, Denver, CO 80218
www.dentalhealthcolorado.com

• Services Provided: Preventative and Diagnostics services, restorative surgery, bridges, crowns, root canals, fillings, cleanings, deep cleanings.
• Notes: Medicaid, CHP+ and uninsured patients accepted; Does not provide free care; Sliding scale for uninsured patients based on income and number of people residing in household

Denver Health Community – Westside Dental Clinic
303-436-4345
1100 Federal Boulevard, Denver, CO 80204
M-F 8am-5pm

• Services provided: Full range of dental treatments, except orthodontics, to people living in Denver County; Emergency services only available Monday-Friday from 8-9am.
• Notes: Picture ID and a utility bill with the patient’s name is required to qualify for services using CHP+. Not required for patients using Medicaid. Co-pay or deposit due at the time of service. Cost based on income level. Must apply for discount program through an enrollment specialist at 990 Bannock St., Denver, CO, (303) 602-2300.

Denver Rescue Mission
303-294-0157
Lawrence Street Shelter, 1130 Park Ave West, Denver, CO 80205
http://www.denverrescuemission.org/our-services/emergency-care
Open 2x monthly – call for availability and location

- **Services Provided:** Free dental extractions based on availability; for dental services involving lab fees, the Mission seeks individual grants for patients that qualify
- **Notes:** Offers extensive services to members of the Denver Rescue Mission

**Inner City Health Center, Dental Clinic**
303-296-4873
3800 York St., Denver, CO 80205

- **Services Provided:** Offers an oral hygiene class once a month that provides information on oral health and assistance that the agency provides. Patients must attend the oral hygiene class before they can be scheduled for treatment. Offers cleanings, fillings, crowns, bridges, dentures and extractions.
- **Notes:** Sliding fee scale; Medicaid, Medicare, CHP+, Colorado Access Advantage and CoFinity accepted. Uninsured patients must provide one month's worth of paycheck stubs from the previous month's employment. EMERGENCIES ($90 flat fee), cannot be a patient of record

**New Hope Dental Services (Inner City Health Center)**
720-956-0310
4200 West Conejos Place, Suite Lower Level 5 Denver, CO 80204

- **Services Provided:** Full range dental services.
- **Notes:** Uninsured and low-income. Sliding scale, Medicaid not accepted for adults. $50 evaluations and $80 emergency visits (per person, per tooth). Must provide: total household income for the past 30 days, proof of address, photo ID, Medicaid/insurance card (if applicable). Call for times.

**Stout Street Dental Clinic**
2130 Stout Street, Denver, CO 80205: 303-293-2220
2111 Champa Street, Denver, CO 80205 303-312-9703

Emergency M-F at 7am; Appointments M-F 7:30am-4pm

- **Services Provided:** Offers comprehensive dental care for homeless individuals including cleanings, fillings, exams and x-rays.

**Dental Aid, Inc**
303.645.4850
Boulder, Longmont and Louisville clinics
[www.dentalaid.org](http://www.dentalaid.org)

- **Services Provided:** Information, Offers cleanings, digital x-ray, initial exam, root planning, sealants, crown/bridge, complete restoration, extractions, fillings, partials.
- **Notes:** No sliding scale but fees are 30-40% reduced compared to private practice feeds. Have funds to help subsidize care for individuals not covered under Medicaid and/or cannot afford the reduced fees. Accepts Medicaid and CHP+.

**Denver Indian Health and Family Services: Location may be changing**
Clinic – 303-953-6600 or Dental direct – 303-953-6601
1633 Fillmore St., Suite GL1, Denver, CO 80206

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Navigation Services
303-432-5130 • navigation@jcmh.org
Dentists that Offer Services for Uninsured Children

Children’s Dental Health Center

- West Denver – 495 S. Federal Boulevard, Denver, CO 80219 – (303)-937-7511
- Aurora – 2295 S. Chambers, Aurora, CO, 80014 – (303) 751-6511
- East Denver – 7901 E Colfax Ave, Denver, CO 80220 – (303) 331-6511

http://www.coloradokidsdental.com

- Services Provided: Full range of dental services, including same day emergencies
- Notes: Accept most major insurance including Colorado Medicaid, Dental Child Health Plan Plus (CHP), Blue Cross, and many others. They provide low cost dental care for low income patients without insurance. English, Spanish and Vietnamese services available.

Children’s Hospital – Healthy Smiles Dental Clinic

720-777-6788
1575 Wheeling, Aurora, CO 80045


- Services Provided: Evaluation and treatment of children with dental problems including teeth cleaning, cavity prevention, fillings, gum disease treatment and referrals for orthodontics, surgery, cleft lip and palate. Injuries to the mouth and teeth, growth or development problems
- Notes: Services available in Spanish. Children 6 months – 18 years, handicapped up to 19 years
Cost: Special payment arrangements made for kids without health insurance. $80 deposit due at time of appointment. No residency requirement.

Kids In Need Of Dentistry (KIND)

303-733-3710
2465 South Downing St., Suite 210, Denver

- Services Provided: Serves children up to 18 years old whose families are considered low-income.
- Notes: Must live in Adams, Arapahoe, Aurora, Denver, Douglas, or Jefferson county to qualify; They also accept children with Medicaid and CHP+; cannot have private dental insurance

Pediatric Dental Group of Colorado


www.pediatricdentalgroupco.com

- Services Provided: Full range of pediatric dental services
- Notes: Additional locations in: Wheat Ridge, Summit County, Lafayette, Evergreen, Greeley, and Arvada
Theroux Orthodontics
303-779-0565
8200 E Bellview Ave, # 415E, Greenwood Village, CO 80111
www.drtheroux.com
- **Services Provided**: Full range orthodontics for children and adults
- **Notes**: Whether or not you have insurance or a dental plan, they will structure a convenient payment plan that will allow you to pay for necessary services over a period of time that usually coincides with your treatment plan

Financial Support for Dental Services

AV Hunter Trust, Inc:
303-399-5450
650 S. Cherry St., Suite 535, Glendale, CO 80246
http://avhuntertrust.org/
- **Notes**: Please do not contact AV Hunter directly. They will cancel your application if you call. Complete the application with your therapist/case manager and submit a written evaluation/estimate from the dentist. Application must be submitted online. Only provides assistance for fillings, extractions, partials and dentures. Once in a lifetime assistance. Dental work that has already been done does not qualify for funding.

Friends Of Man
303-798-2342
PO Box 937, Littleton, CO 80160
http://www.friendsofman.org/
- **Services Provided**: Financial assistance for dentures and some other dental needs (fillings and partials). Will sometimes work with children if need is extreme.
- **Notes**: Does not help with crowns, implants, bridges, root canals, x-rays, or exams. Dental work that has already been done does not qualify for funding.
- **Requirements**:
  - Must be working or have a strong work history (need to provide list of jobs and dates of employment). Will request a Social Security earnings Statement.
  - Need to complete the application with your care coordinator and submit a written evaluation/estimate from the dentist. Navigation can provide application.

Jeffco Action Center-Emergency Funds
303-237-7704
8755 W. 14th Ave. Lakewood, Co 80215
- **Notes**: Only toothbrushes and toothpaste available if needed. Need to meet with a Health Navigator to find out about funds available.

CHARG Resource Center
303-830-8805 (Clinic); 303-830-2130 (Drop-In Center)
Clinic – 709 E. 12th Ave., Denver, CO 80203 (M-F 8-5pm)
Drop-In – 920 Emerson St., Denver, CO 80218 (Mon/Wed/Fri 10-5, T/TH 12-5, Sat 10-2)
http://www.charg.org/
• **Notes**: Mental health clinic that may pay for necessary dental and eye care, or assist in obtaining free treatment if it is available. They ask that the client agree to pay back the cost of treatment over an extended time period, as they are able to do so. Must have mental health diagnosis, but do not need to be receiving mental health treatment there. Will be sent application that will need to be signed by referring agency. Waitlist 9 months to 1 year (as of January 2014)

_Dental Programs that Serve Specific Populations_

**Elderly:**

_Seniors Answers and Services Dental Program – Colorado Gerontological Society_
303-333-3482  
[https://www.senioranswers.org/programs/dental-grants/](https://www.senioranswers.org/programs/dental-grants/)

• **Services Provided**: Seniors over 60 years of age can receive help with exams, x-rays, fillings, extractions, dentures and partials. Will not pay for crowns, root canals, fixed bridges or implants. Assists residents in Jefferson, Adams, Arapahoe, Broomfield, Clear Creek, Denver, Douglas and Gilpin counties.

• **Notes**: **No dental grants currently available through the society (as of June 2015).**

_Colorado Dental Health Care Program for Low-Income Seniors_
1-800-221-3943  
Multiple Locations  

• **Services Provided**: Access to dental care for low-income seniors that meet the following criteria: 60 years of age or older; Lawfully present in the state, Economically Disadvantaged, and not eligible for dental services under Medicaid or the Old Age Pension Health and Medical Care Program, and does not have private dental insurance.

• **Notes**: The following agencies may have funding available. Please contact the agency directly.
  o Colorado Gerontological Society - 303-333-3482
  o Cozy Dental - 303-340-0422
  o Dental Lifeline Network - 303-534-5360
  o Inner City Health Center - 303-296-4873
  o STRIDE Community Health Center (formerly MCPN) - 303-239-9964 ext. 3065 or 3066
  o Red Rocks Community Dentistry -303-933-8230
  o Senior Mobile Dental- 303-257-0772 (days varies)

**Elderly and Disabled:**

_Dental Lifeline Network_
303-534-5360  
1800 15th Street, Suite 100 Denver, CO 80202  

• **Services Provided**:
  o Dental Donation Services (303-534-3931)  
    Applicants must lack adequate income to pay for dental care and: Have a permanent disability, or are elderly (age 65 or older), or Qualify as medically fragile.
  o Dental HouseCalls (720-287-6197)  
    Brings care to people who cannot easily travel to dentist’s offices, including:
Residents of nursing homes, Homebound individuals and People with developmental disabilities attending day programs or living in residential centers. Most of the people have very little income.

- **Notes:** Services for disabled, elderly, and/or medically at risk by application; can apply online or mail in a paper application. One time comprehensive dental assistance. No emergency services. Application process takes six months to one year. Accepting applications for disability based on mental illness.

**Domestic Violence: The Smile Again Program – Metropolitan Denver Dental Society**
303-488-9700
3690 Yosemite St., Suite 200, Denver, CO 80237
http://www.mddf.org/dental-foundation/smile-again

- **Services provided:** Free dental work provided to qualifying disadvantaged domestic violence survivors with compromised dentition resulting from domestic violence and/or neglect.

**HIV/AIDS: Howard Dental Center**
303-863-0772 or 303-837-0166
1420 Ogden Street, Denver 80218
www.howarddental.org

- **Notes:** Comprehensive oral health for kids and adults living with HIV/AIDS in the metropolitan Denver area. Cost: Sliding fee, 90% pay nothing for routine care.

**Veterans:**
**Veterans Administration Dental Clinic**
(303) 393-2823
1055 Clermont St., Denver, CO 80220
http://www.va.gov/health/services/dental/patients.asp

- **Services Provided:** One-time cleaning within 180 days of discharge from the military
- **Notes:** Eligibility: 100% service connected disabled (permanent or total), ex-prisoner of war, currently being compensated for dental injury received during military duty, currently enrolled in vocational rehab, or just out of military (90 days); no residency requirement.

**Dental Events**

**Heroes Appreciation Month: DeCino Family Dentistry**
303-237-3640
950 Wadsworth Blvd. Suite 207, Lakewood, CO 80214
http://www.decinofamilydentistry.com/

- **Notes:** To further honor our heroes, all firefighters, first-responders, police, law enforcement and military (active duty, retired or honorably discharged) who contact DeCino Family Dentistry during the month of September will receive a special discount offer for a new patient visit. All services performed in our Lakewood office will be at 50% off customary fees and will extend to services provided through September of next year. (Yes, an entire year!) This includes immediate family, spouse, and children under 18, as well.