Grants and program information in our Dental Resource Program uniquely reflect the community's needs. Below is a list to find more about each type of clinic and a health program in our network and the types of special cases, support we provide.

Click here to learn more about grants.

**Types of Dental Resource Program Partners**

**UNIVERSITY DENTAL CLINIC**

Clinical services provided by dental students, where students learn and receive clinical experience in providing comprehensive dental care. These clinics are located at schools and in other community agencies serving children and works through a network of dentists and dental volunteers.

**STAND ALONE DENTAL CLINIC**

A stand-alone dental clinic may be an entity unto itself or governed under the infrastructure of a larger health care system. Affiliates under this model include community health centers, which may or may not be associated with a larger organization.

**SCHOOL-BASED DENTAL CLINIC**

School-based dental clinics provide access to dental care for children in particular venues. These clinics are located physically on the premises of a school campus. The purpose of the clinic is to provide complete access for children appropriately, based on the American Academy of Pediatrics' policy statement: Oral Health Services for Children, including Early Childhood Oral Health Services, 2009. The school-based model dental programs operate as preceptor sites for dental schools.

**HOSPITAL-BASED DENTAL CLINIC**

Hospital-based dental clinics in the America's ToothFairy Dental Resource Program are located in close proximity to a hospital, are directed under the management of the hospital, and deliver education, oral health assessment or screening, triage and referral, and follow up with comprehensive restorative treatment.

**MOBILE DENTAL FACILITY/PORTABLE UNIT**

Mobile dental programs are designed to meet the dental needs of medically compromised children and those needing full comprehensive care. They can be located in a school-based or community health setting, in a mobile medical van that provides comprehensive care, or in a school-based or community health setting, in a mobile medical van that provides comprehensive care.

**PARTNERSHIP**

Partnership model programs facilitate and/or deliver education, oral health assessment or screening, triage and referral, and follow up with comprehensive restorative treatment. Partnership model programs can be a collaboration of two types of distinct mobile dental vehicles. The "hub and spokes" mobile dental vans house all necessary dental equipment in one vehicle and transport it to the particular venue and delivers on-site dental care. The "spokes" mobile dental van is removed from the vehicle and set up in a particular venue and delivers on-site dental care. Two types of distinct mobile dental vehicles are two types of distinct mobile dental vehicles. The "hub and spokes" mobile dental vans house all necessary dental equipment in one vehicle and transport it to the particular venue and delivers on-site dental care. The "spokes" mobile dental vans deliver education, oral health assessment or screening, triage and referral, and follow up with comprehensive restorative treatment.

**CURRENT SUPPORT**

- Current DRP Member Clinics may apply for a grant by completing the application packet. Please contact rvann@ncohf.org.

**EXPANDING ACCESS TO CARE:**

Supporting dental programs beyond what is currently available to families and communities.

**EXPANDING INTERNAL CAPACITY:**

Staff training, infrastructure development, and program development.

**INNOVATIVE ORAL HEALTH EDUCATION PROGRAMS:**

Development of educational materials and other health education programs.

**APPLICATIONS NOW AVAILABLE!**

Dental Resource Program Grants

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