

## OHTF Application Instructions

The Oral Health Task Force Assistance Program is funded by grants through the Oral Health Task Force of the Sawtooth Mountain Clinic. It is available to all, regardless of existing insurance coverage.

Assistance Program: This program covers restorative and preventative dental care for children ages 18 months through 26 years of age, and pregnant women. Dental services are provided by Grand Marais Family Dentistry. Applicants may have other insurance and still be eligible. Eligible applicants pay 10%, or a minimum of \$5, for dental charges.

### **Instructions for Application**

Completed applications need to be submitted with proof of income. Applications can be returned to either Grand Marais Family Dentistry or Sawtooth Mountain Clinic. Enrollment in the program is good from June 1<sup>st</sup> (or date of enrollment) thru May 31<sup>st</sup>.

### **Proof of Income**

In order to qualify for the Oral Health Task Force Assistance Program, you will need to provide information about your income. The proof of income must be submitted within 30 days of submitting the completed application. If you file taxes, a copy of your 1040 showing your Adjusted Gross Income is required. If you do not file taxes, contact the Oral Health Task Force program coordinator for assistance. The Oral Health Task Force reserves all rights to review information on an individual basis regarding extenuating circumstances for Assistance Program eligibility.

### **Transportation**

Transportation is available between School and Grand Marais Family Dentistry. For more information, contact Bonnie Dalin at (218) 370-2559.

### **Billing**

Grand Marais Family Dentistry will bill your insurance (if any). Balances will be submitted to Sawtooth Mountain Clinic's Sliding Fee Scale (if applicable), or the Oral Health Task Force. Patient will be responsible for 10% of the original charge, or a \$5 minimum fee, payable to Grand Marais Family Dentistry. The terms and limitations of the Oral Health Task Force Assistance Program are subject to change at any time.

### **Other Area Services**

Sawtooth Mountain Clinic Sliding Fee Scale program covers dental procedures deemed medically necessary by Grand Marais Family Dentistry.

Medical Assistance and/or Minnesota Care covers most dental work. Information is available at Cook County Public Health and Human Services 387-3620.

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