



## 2016 GRANTS

(as of 12/15/15)

The Delta Dental of Oklahoma Oral Health Foundation has announced its initial 36 statewide grants for 2016. Selected through a board-reviewed application process, the foundation allocated more than \$1.84 million to fund free and low-cost dental clinics, dental education programs and various oral health initiatives.

<b>Grants awarded to statewide programs</b>		
MobileSmiles Oklahoma	A partnership program of Delta Dental of Oklahoma Oral Health Foundation and Oklahoma Dental Foundation, MobileSmiles delivers dental care statewide utilizing two RV-style dental offices on wheels.	\$300,000
Dentists for the Disabled and Elderly in Need of Treatment	D-DENT provides free dental care and dentures to disabled, elderly, and low-income patients and veterans with the help of volunteer dentists.	\$135,000
OU College of Dentistry	For dental student scholarships	\$60,000
OU College of Dentistry	For externship scholarships	\$30,000
OU College of Dentistry	For its Community Based Dental Education Program	\$50,000
OU College of Dentistry	For OU Scientific Day and student research project support	\$21,000
OU College of Dentistry Student Clinic	To provide reduced fee dental care for qualifying patients	\$50,000
Captain Supertooth Program	To conduct oral health education presentations and distribute toothbrushes to elementary students	\$85,000
Special Olympics of Oklahoma	For its Healthy Athletes "Special Smiles" Program, which provides oral health screening and education to Special Olympics athletes	\$2,000
Alliance to the Oklahoma Dental Association	For its Community Dental Health Project	\$10,000
Natl. Children's Oral Health Foundation	For a joint program which will increase oral health awareness and education in Oklahoma	\$45,000
<b>Grants awarded to programs serving Central Oklahoma</b>		
Oklahoma Mission of Mercy	For its free dental clinic being held at the Cox Convention Center in Oklahoma City on February 5-6, 2016	\$100,000
Neighborhood Services Organization	For its dental clinic in south Oklahoma City, for its dental clinic outreach and for its transitional living clients	\$85,000
Crossings Community Clinic	For its free dental clinic in north Oklahoma City	\$25,000
Good Shepherd Ministries	For its free dental clinic in downtown Oklahoma City	\$190,200
City Rescue Mission	To provide free dental care for its homeless and transitional living program clients.	\$60,000
Ministries of Jesus	For its free dental clinic in Edmond	\$32,000
OU College of Dentistry Dental Hygiene Department	For its Geriatric Dentistry Program, which provides free dental treatment to low-income elderly patients	\$50,000
Heart & Hands Ministries Fund	To provide free dental care for clients in its transitional living program	\$3,000
WaterRock Ministries	For its Open Wide Dental Clinic, which provides free dental care to the uninsured and underinsured	\$16,000
Variety Care	A program to provide dental care access to qualifying patients	\$10,000
Comm. Health Centers	To provide preventive services and free dental care for its homeless clients in Oklahoma City	\$20,000
Homeless Alliance	To provide brush kits and free dental care for homeless clients	\$7,200
Positive Tomorrows	To provide dental care to its homeless students in Oklahoma City	\$5,900
Red Rock	To provide free dental care for low-income mothers of young children in its Jordan's Crossing recovery program	\$10,000

ReMerge	To provide dental care services to a female incarceration diversion program serving pregnant women and mothers	\$20,000
Norman Regional Foundation – GKAS	For its “Give Kids a Smile” program	\$875
<b>Grants award to programs serving Northeastern Oklahoma</b>		
Eastern Oklahoma Donated Dental Services (EODDS)	To provide dental care and dentures for low-income, elderly and disabled patients in the 918/539 area codes through their network of volunteer dentists	\$135,000
Neighbor for Neighbor (Tulsa)	For its NFN Dental Clinic, which provides free dental care services to those in need	\$50,000
Catholic Charities of Tulsa	For its Mother Teresa Dental Care Clinic to provide free dental care and dentures to those in need	\$140,000
Morton Comprehensive Health Services	For its Free Dental Clinic serving the homeless population in mid-town Tulsa	\$10,000
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Green Country Free Clinic	For its Free Dental Clinic in Bartlesville	\$15,000
Free Clinic of Mayes County	For its Dental and Dentures Program in Pryor	\$5,000
Tri-County Technology Center (Bartlesville)	For its Dental Hygiene Clinic and Volunteer Dental Clinic, which provide free and low-cost treatment for qualifying patients	\$6,000
Dentovative Foundation	For its Dental Baby Bootcamp, which provides education for families on proper dental hygiene for children and infants	\$5,000
<b>Grants awarded to programs serving Western Oklahoma</b>		
Western Oklahoma Family Care Center (Elk City)	For its Hope Dental Clinic, which provides free dental care to those in need	\$10,000
Western Technology Center (Weatherford)	For its Dental Hygiene Program’s “Give Kids a Smile” Sealant Project	\$6,000
<b>Grants awarded to programs serving Southern Oklahoma</b>		
Good Shepherd Medical & Dental Foundation	For its Free Dental Clinic in Ardmore	\$20,000
Garvin County Community Living Center	To provide dental care access for its developmentally disabled clients in Pauls Valley.	\$25,000
Southern Oklahoma Technology Center	For its Dental Hygiene Clinic, which provides low-cost and free dental hygiene services in Ardmore	\$5,000