

**Delta Dental of Oklahoma  
CHARITABLE FOUNDATION**  
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**Mark your calendars...**

**RAM Oklahoma free clinic event to be held July 9 - 11**

Remote Area Medical (RAM) Oklahoma will hold a free medical/dental/vision clinic July 9th through 11th at the State Fairgrounds in Oklahoma City. For details, call 405-410-5411 or go to [www.ramok.org](http://www.ramok.org).



**Deadline for 2011 grant applications Aug. 31<sup>st</sup>**

To ensure consideration for 2011 funding, applicants must submit grant applications by the August 31, 2010 deadline. Existing grantees should include an interim grant report along with their application. Please **download the most recent version** of each form by visiting the **grantmaking section** of our website at [www.DeltaDentalOK.org/foundation](http://www.DeltaDentalOK.org/foundation).

**Dates set for next OkMOM**

The 2011 Oklahoma Mission of Mercy will be held February 4th and 5th at the Cox Convention Center in downtown Oklahoma City. Again co-sponsored by the DDOK Charitable Foundation and the Oklahoma Dental Association, hundreds of dental professionals and other volunteers are needed. Volunteer registration will open October 15th. For details, go to [www.okmom.org](http://www.okmom.org).



**Foundation announces mid-year grants**

The Delta Dental of Oklahoma Charitable Foundation committee has awarded mid-year grants to the following first time grantees:

- **King's Clinic** in Oklahoma City – \$20,000 for its free dental clinic
- **Free Clinic of Mayes County** (Pryor)– \$5,000 for its free dental care program

The Foundation committee also awarded supplemental grants to:

- **Eastern Oklahoma Donated Dental Services (EODDS)** – \$28,000
- **Neighbor for Neighbor Dental Clinic** (Tulsa) – \$20,000
- **Ministries of Jesus Dental Clinic** (Edmond) – \$5,000

**Foundation receives commendation**

Lt. Gov. Jari Askins recently presented commendations to the Delta Dental of Oklahoma Charitable Foundation, the Oklahoma Dental Association and the Oklahoma Dental Foundation for bringing the first **Mission of Mercy** free dental clinic event to Oklahoma.

Last February in Tulsa, more than 1,800 Oklahomans in need of dental care they could not afford received services thanks to over 680 volunteer dental professionals and 600 other volunteers.



*Foundation committee chair Michael McLeod, DDS, accepts commendation from Lt. Gov. Jari Askins.*

**Remote Area Medical raises funds for upcoming event**

A team representing Delta Dental and its foundation participated in a bowling tournament in June to raise funds for Remote Area Medical (RAM) Oklahoma. Held at Boulevard Lanes in Edmond, the event raised funds for the RAM Oklahoma free medical/dental/vision clinic being held at the Oklahoma State Fairgrounds July 9th - 11th.

The Delta Dental of Oklahoma Charitable Foundation is also supporting the clinic event with \$7,000 in grant and in-kind donations. For event details, visit the RAM website at [www.ramok.org](http://www.ramok.org).



*Delta Dental employees (pictured left to right) Pam Weber, Debra Nugent, Marie Ryan, Stephanie Casey, and Katrena Chormicle bowled for a worthy cause at the RAM Oklahoma fundraiser.*