



Los Angeles County



Oral Health
Collaborative Consortium

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MCH Access Monthly Meeting

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Oral Health Collaborative Consortium (OHCC)

Los Angeles County (LAC), Department of Public Health
(DPH),
Oral Health Program(OHP)



University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), UCLA
School of Dentistry



Director: Dr. Honghu Liu, PhD

Oral Health Collaborative Consortium (OHCC)

OHCC Mission

- Support and facilitate the implementation of COHIP objectives throughout LAC by community outreach services, leadership, and working within each of the four LAC Mega Service Planning Areas (MSPAs) to address the oral health needs in each community
- Host two Oral Health Summits (2021 & 2022)

COMMUNITY ORAL HEALTH IMPROVEMENT PLAN (COHIP)

Los Angeles County Department of
Public Health Oral Health Program

Community Oral Health Improvement Plan



2019-2023



COHIP Objectives

1. Oral Health Education

2. Oral Health Access

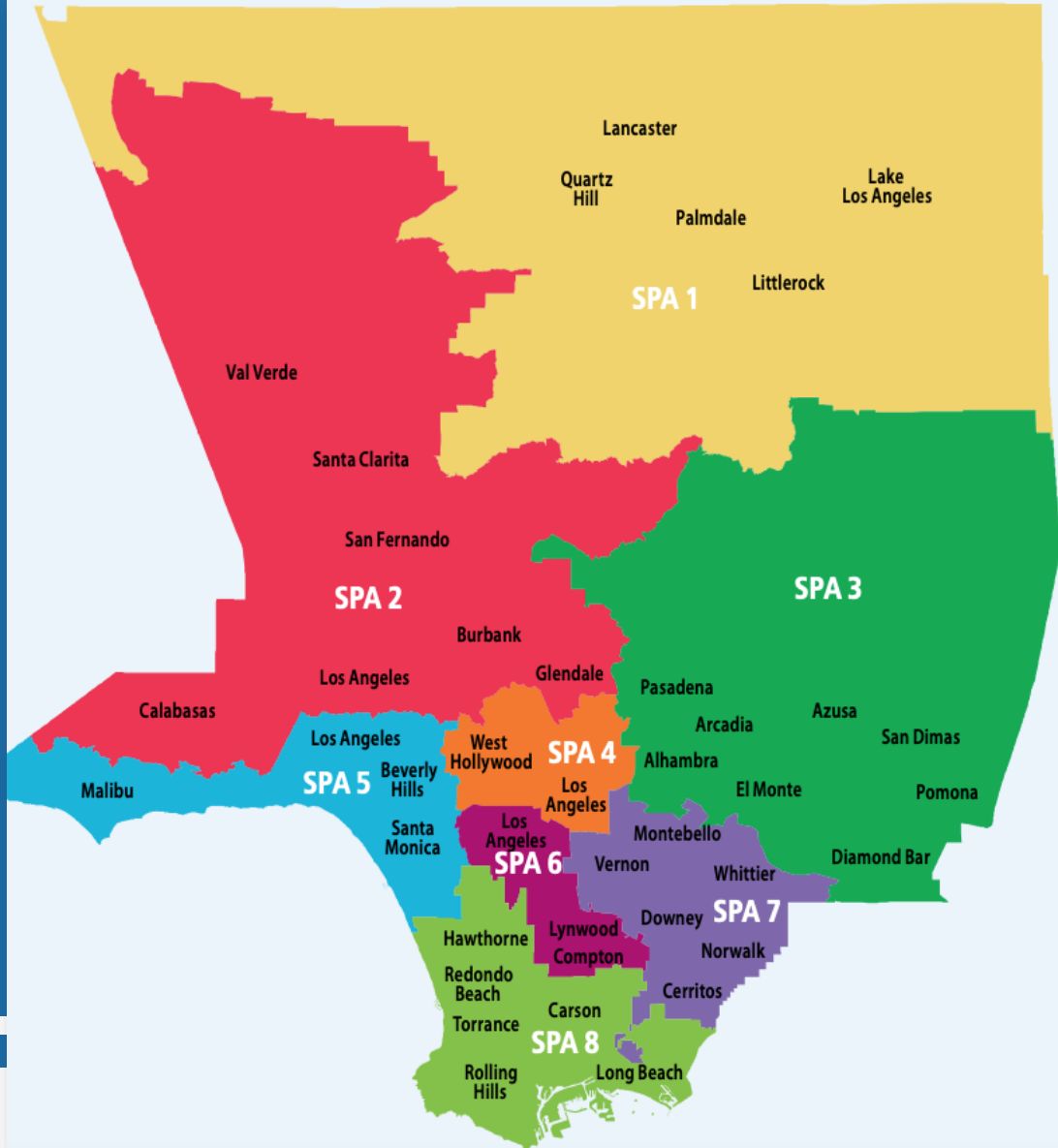
3. Care Coordination

4. Workforce Development

5. Policy

6. Data/ Surveillance

SERVICE PLANNING AREAS (SPAs)



Coverage Areas

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- SPA 1+2 - Elizabeth Brummel
 - SPA 3+4 – Nandita Kapadia
 - SPA 5+6 - Cynthia Cervantes
 - SPA 7+8 – Valeria Salceda



**LAC-DPH
Updates**

COUNTY UPDATES

SAVE THE DATE

4TH ANNUAL ORAL HEALTH SUMMIT

PRESENTED BY:
THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
ORAL HEALTH PROGRAM

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2021
9:00AM - 2:30 PM

AN IN-DEPTH LOOK AT THE IMPLEMENTATION
OF THE COMMUNITY ORAL HEALTH
IMPROVEMENT PLAN (COHIP) ACROSS LOS
ANGELES COMMUNITIES.

LA County Love Your Baby's Teeth Translation Update

- OHCC will be translating the LA County's Love Your Baby's Teeth Campaign Milestone's materials to:
 - 4 different languages
 - Armenian
 - Chinese
 - Tagalog
 - Farsi
- Spanish currently available

It's time to get ready for baby's oral health care and it starts with prenatal care.



- Go to the dentist during pregnancy.
- It's safe to have exams, X-rays, cleanings, and dental treatment throughout pregnancy.
- By going to the dentist during pregnancy you can avoid swollen gums (gingivitis), which can be caused by hormonal changes during pregnancy.
- Brush teeth for two minutes with a fluoride toothpaste twice a day.
- Avoid sugary drinks and foods. Choose healthy snacks like fruits and vegetables. Drink water throughout the day.
- Floss every day.

After feeding, wipe those gums!



- Put your baby to bed without a bottle in their mouth.
- Gently wipe your baby's gums with a washcloth or a finger toothbrush after every feeding.
- To ease teething pain, use a clean, cold teething ring, or apply a cold, wet washcloth.
- To keep cavity-causing germs out of your baby's mouth, clean pacifiers, utensils, teething rings, and baby-bottle nipples in soap and hot water, a bottle warmer, or a dishwasher after each use and whenever they get dirty. Parents and caregivers should avoid putting these items in their mouths. This can pass cavity-causing germs to your baby's mouth.

ED TO DENTAL REFERRAL PROGRAM

1. Dental clinic should be willing to see patient's same day or within 24 hours to address the dental concern.

2. Dental clinic should be willing to be the patient's dental home or provide the patient with information on establishing a dental home, if they are at capacity.

3. Dental clinic should be willing to be listed as referral source for hospitals or urgent care centers.



DENTAL CLINIC LIST

Listings of My Health LA (MHLA) Dental Clinics:

#	DENTAL CLINICS	ADDRESS	PHONE #
1	AVCC-Health and Wellness	45104 10th St. West	Lancaster, CA 93534 (661) 942-2391
2	AVCC-Palmdale	2151 E. Palmdale Blvd.	Palmdale, CA 93550 (661) 942-2391
3	APLAHW-Baldwin Hills	3743 S. La Brea Ave.	Los Angeles, CA 90016 (213) 201-1600
4	Arroyo Vista-Highland Park	6000 N. Figueroa St.	Los Angeles, CA 90042 (323) 254-5221
5	Arroyo Vista-Lincoln Heights	2411 N. Broadway	Los Angeles, CA 90031 (323) 254-5221
6	Benevolence-Crenshaw Community Clinic	3631 Crenshaw Blvd., #109	Los Angeles, CA 90016 (323) 732-0100
7	Chinatown-Community Health Center	767 N. Hill St. #200	Los Angeles, CA 90012 (213) 808-1700
8	Clinica Romero-Alvarado Clinic	123 S. Alvarado St.	Los Angeles, CA 90057 (213) 989-7700
9	Clinica Romero-Marengo Clinic	2032 Marengo St.	Los Angeles, CA 90033 (213) 989-7700
10	ChapCare-Fair Oaks	1855 N. Fair Oaks Ave., #200	Pasadena, CA 91103 (626) 993-1212
11	Comprehensive Community-Eagle Rock	1704 Colorado Blvd.	Los Angeles, CA 90041 (818) 630-6106
12	Comprehensive Community-Glendale	801 S. Chevy Chase Dr., #250	Glendale, CA 91205 (818) 630-6106
13	EVCHC-Pomona Clinic	1555 S. Garey Ave.	Pomona, CA 91766 (626) 919-5724
14	EVCHC-West Covina Clinic	420 S. Glendora Ave.	West Covina, CA 91790 (626) 919-5724
15	El Proyecto del Barrio-Winnetka	20800 Sherman Way	Winnetka, CA 91306 (818) 830-7133
16	Herald Christian Health Center	923 S. San Gabriel Blvd.	San Gabriel, CA 91776 (626) 286-8700
17	Herald Christian Health Center-Rosemead	8841 Garvey Ave.	Rosemead, CA 91770 (626) 286-8700
18	JWCH-Norwalk	12360 E. Firestone Blvd.	Norwalk, CA 90650 (323) 201-4516
19	JWCH-Weingart	522 S. San Pedro St.	Los Angeles, CA 90013 (323) 201-4516
20	LA Christian-Joshua House	311 Winston St.	Los Angeles, CA 90013 (213) 893-1960
21	LA Christian-Pico Aliso	1625 E. 4th St.	Los Angeles, CA 90033 (213) 893-1960
22	Mission City-North Hills	15206 Parthenia St.	North Hills, CA 91343 (818) 895-3100
23	Mission City-Northridge	8363 Reseda Blvd., #11	Northridge, CA 91324 (818) 895-3100
24	Mission City-San Fernando Mobile Van	9919 Laurel Canyon Blvd.	Pacoima, CA 91331 (818) 895-3100
25	Mission City-Sepulveda	8527 Sepulveda Blvd.	North Hills, CA 91343 (818) 895-3100
26	NEV-San Fernando	1600 San Fernando Rd.	San Fernando, CA 91340 (818) 898-1388
27	NEV-San Fernando High School Teen HC	11051 N. O'Melveny Ave.	San Fernando, CA 91340 (818) 898-1388
28	NEV-Sun Valley	7223 N. Fair Ave.	Sun Valley, CA 91352 (818) 898-1388
29	Ped and Family-Eisner Ped and Family	1530 S. Olive St.	Los Angeles, CA 90015 (213) 746-1037
30	QueensCare-Eagle Rock	4448 York Blvd.	Los Angeles, CA 90041 (323) 669-4301
31	QueensCare-East Third Street	4816 E. Third St.	Los Angeles, CA 90022 (323) 669-4301
32	QueensCare-Echo Park	150 N. Reno St.	Los Angeles, CA 90026 (323) 669-4301
33	QueensCare-Hollywood	4618 Fountain Ave.	Los Angeles, CA 90029 (323) 669-4301
34	South Bay-Redondo Beach	2114 Artesia Blvd.	Redondo Beach, CA 90278 (310) 625-8483
35	St. John's-Compton	2115 N. Wilmington Ave.	Compton, CA 90222 (323) 541-1600
36	St. John's-Dominguez	15301 S. San Jose Ave.	Compton, CA 90221 (323) 541-1600
37	St. John's-Downtown Los Angeles-Magnolia	1910 Magnolia Ave.	Los Angeles, CA 90007 (323) 541-1600
38	St. John's-Dr. Kenneth Williams	808 W. 58th St.	Los Angeles, CA 90037 (323) 541-1600

DENTAL CLINIC SHORT LIST

EMERGENCY DENTAL

Huntington Hospital
100 West California Blvd
Pasadena, CA 91105

Dental referral to ChapCare and Altadena Dental Center

Location #1: ChapCare Clinic Fair Oaks

1855 North Fair Oaks Avenue
Pasadena, CA 91103-1620
Dental: 626.398.6300

Monday – Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm
(Closed 12:00-1:00pm)

Location #2: ChapCare Clinic Peck

3703 Peck Road, Suite A-C
El Monte, CA 91731
Dental: 626.398.6300

Contact: Yesenia Marquez y Marquez@chapcare.org or Dr. Iris Paiso ipaiso@chapcare.org

Monday – Friday 8:00am – 5:00pm
(closed 12:00pm-1:00pm)

Note: General dentistry and referrals provided for specialty services as needed

Location #3: Altadena Dental Center

2036 Lincoln Ave
Pasadena, CA 91103
Dental: 626.797.6555
Contact: Maribel De La Santos

Monday - Thursday 10:00am – 7:00pm
(by appt Friday/Saturday)

Note: General dentistry and referrals provided for specialty services as needed

**This form is being given to you due to signs of a dental related infection. Please call one of the locations above to make an appointment with ChapCare or Altadena Dental Center dental immediately. ChapCare & Altadena Dental Center are Federally Qualified and takes MediCal dental benefits as well as other payment options. Please review the MediCal dental benefits on www.smilecalifornia.org. Thank you!*

HOSPITAL PRENATAL DEPARTMENTS

8 Hospital Prenatal Programs: APHCV, Centinela Hospital, St. Francis Medical Center, UCLA RR, Northridge Hospital, and Kaiser Sunset

Provided resources and handouts on the importance of oral health during pregnancy

Distributed 100 children's oral health kits per perinatal program

Facilitated presentation on the importance of oral health during pregnancy



PRENATAL HANDOUT

Medi-Cal Covers Dental During Pregnancy

Keeping your teeth and gums healthy is one of the most important things you can do during your pregnancy. It is also an important part of keeping your baby healthy.



The Medi-Cal Dental Program provides the following free or low-cost services during pregnancy:

- Exam*
- X-rays
- Teeth cleaning
- Fluoride varnish
- Fillings
- Tooth removal
- Emergency services
- Root canals
- Crowns
- Partial and full dentures
- Denture relines
- Scaling and root planing

*Every six months for members under the age of 21, every 12 months for members over the age of 21. More exams allowed when medically necessary.



It is safe and recommended to see your dentist for a cleaning and exam before your baby is born.



As a Medi-Cal member, you are covered during pregnancy and 60 days past the birth of your baby.



Eat a balanced diet and limit sugary foods and drinks. Remember, you are eating and brushing for two!

For more information on covered services, how to keep your baby's mouth healthy, or to find a dentist near you, visit [SmileCalifornia.org](https://www.smilecalifornia.org).



 DHCS | Medi-Cal Dental



Text **SMILECA** to **31996** to receive healthy dental tips from *Smile, California!*

Oral Health Integration and Fluoride Varnish training for non-dental providers

1. Oral Health Integration training
 1. Oral Health Hygiene and Basics
 2. Pregnancy and Oral Health
 3. First Tooth, First Year
 4. Oral Health and Chronic Diseases

2. Fluoride Varnish Application
 1. FV Application
 2. Oral Health Screening
 3. Frequency and Billability
 4. Best Practices



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Smiles For Life Fluoride Training ¹⁵

- 30 min Video
- 80% Post Test and Registration Required for 1 CME
- <https://www.smilesforlifeoralhealth.org/courses/caries-risk-assessment-fluoride-varnish-and-counseling/>




The screenshot shows the Smiles for Life website interface. At the top, the logo 'Smiles for Life' is displayed with the tagline 'A national oral health curriculum'. To the right of the logo is a navigation menu with links for 'Continuing Education', 'Resources', 'About Us', 'SFL Media', 'Contact Us', 'My Account', and 'Login'. Below the navigation, the course title 'Caries Risk Assessment, Fluoride Varnish, and Counseling' is centered. Underneath the title are two green buttons: 'Register for Courses' and 'Login'. Below these buttons are three small images: a dentist examining a child's teeth, a dentist applying fluoride varnish to a child's teeth, and a close-up of a dentist's hands applying varnish to a tooth. Below the images is an orange button that says 'Click Here to take the Pre-test'. At the bottom of the page, there is a paragraph of text describing the course content.

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Click Here to take the Pre-test

This course focuses on caries prevention offering a brief review of Early Childhood Caries (ECC) and addressing how the use of fluoride is part of a comprehensive approach to child oral health. Participants will learn the benefits, appropriate safety precautions, and dosing for fluoride, as well as how to apply fluoride varnish and provide follow-up care.

Integration of Tobacco Cessation Materials

1. Provided for all clinical dental patients
2. County-approved tobacco cessation materials

Untreated tooth decay is higher in people who smoke cigarettes

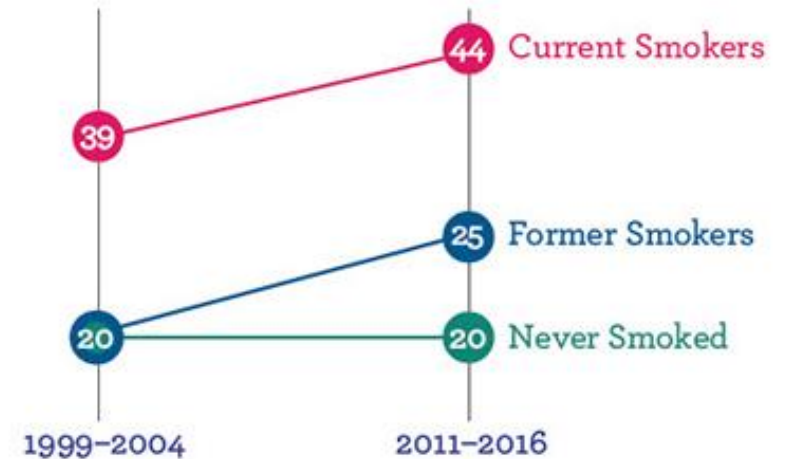


Among adults aged 20–64 years, over 40% who currently smoke cigarettes had untreated tooth decay.

<http://bit.ly/OralHealthReport>

03/2018

Percentage of adults aged 20–64 with untreated tooth decay



FQHC Partners: Term 2

Mega SPA 1

- SFCHC
- NEVHC
- JWCH
- El Proyecto del Barrio

Mega SPA 2

- Asian Pacific Health Care Venture (APHCV)
- Comprehensive Care Community Health Center
- Saban Community Clinic

Mega SPA 3

- Achievable Foundation
- Universal Community Clinic
- UMMA Clinic
- St. John's Well Child Clinic

Mega SPA 4

- Family Health Care Centers of Greater Los Angeles
- JWCH

OHCC Term 3 Upcoming Events:



**Faith-Based
Organizations**



**Local
Libraries**



**Local Day Care
Centers**



**Medical-only
Health Clinics**

OHCC Term 3 Upcoming Events: Schools



- **6 elementary schools per Mega SPA**
 - Provide support for the implementation of the Kindergarten Oral Health Assessment (KOHA) mandate and oral health education
 - Back to School presentation events
 - Fluoridated tap water education

Thank you for
your time and
consideration

As community oral health
liaisons, we
would appreciate the
chance to work with you!

If you need further
resources or have questions



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