The Dental Lifeline Network, established in 1974, operates a number of dental programs across the country that target low-income individuals with disabilities as well as older adults and individuals who are medically frail. One of the programs – Dental HouseCalls – is a portable dental service that offers basic and comprehensive services to individuals in residential settings and day programs. Another program – Bridge/Campaign of Concern – targets individuals with developmental disabilities. Services included in this program are screenings, referrals, and oral health education.

Program Contact Information

Program Website: http://dentallifeline.org/
**Dental Lifeline Network (Dental HouseCalls and Campaign of Concern)**
Multiple locations throughout the United States

### Program Features

#### Age
- ☐ 0-17 (Children and Youth)
- ☒ 18-60 (Adult)
- ☒ 60+ (Older Adult)

#### Specific Populations
- ☐ Homeless individuals
- ✔ Individuals with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities
- ✔ Individuals with physical disabilities
- ☐ Individuals with specific or complex medical conditions
- ✔ Individuals with low income
- ☐ Individuals with no dental insurance
- ☐ Individuals with Medicaid
- ☐ Veterans
- ☐ Refugees/immigrants

#### Geography
- ☐ Rural
- ✔ Urban

#### Service Delivery Setting
- ☐ Hospital
- ☐ Dental school
- ☐ Community/safety net clinic
- ✔ Private dental office
- ✔ Long-term care facility
- ☐ Senior center/community center
- ☐ Private residence
- ☐ Fairgrounds/stadium/parking lot
- ☒ Church
- ☒ School
- ☐ Homeless shelter
- ☐ Public housing

#### Service Delivery Model
- ☐ Dental clinic model (e.g. permanent setting)
- ✔ Mobile-portable model
- ☐ Eligibility and enrollment model (e.g. referrals, care coordination)
- ☐ Virtual model (e.g. telehealth)
- ☐ Event-based model
- ☐ Outreach and education model

#### Staffing
- ✔ Dentist
- ✔ Dental hygienist
- ✔ Dental therapist
- ✔ Dental assistant
- ✗ Dental/dental hygiene students
- ☐ Nursing staff
- ☐ Community health workers
- ☐ Non-dental clinical staff
- ✔ Non-clinical staff

#### Payment for Care
- ☐ Medicaid
- ✔ No charge to client
- ☐ Sliding fee scale
- ☐ Out of pocket
- ☐ Commercial dental insurance

#### Dental and Oral Health Services
- ☐ Emergency services
- ✔ Basic services
- ☐ Screenings
- ☐ Cleanings
- ☐ Fluoride varnish
- ☐ Sealants
- ☐ X-rays
- ✔ Comprehensive services
  - ✔ Fillings
  - ✔ Scaling/root planning
  - ✔ Extractions
  - ✔ Oral surgery
  - ✔ Root canals
  - ✔ Dentures, partials, relines, repairs
  - ✔ Crowns
  - ✔ Bridges
  - ✔ Orthodontics

#### Other Program Services
- ✔ Referrals to dental and oral health services
- ✔ Care coordination/care management
- ✔ Patient education
- ☐ Caregiver education
- ☐ Provider education
- ☐ Advocacy/coalition

#### Program Funding
- ✔ Foundation/organization grant
- ☐ Public funding (e.g. local, state, federal)
- ☐ Private donations (e.g. individuals, businesses)

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