DENTAL CARE SERVICE AT YOUR SCHOOL



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OUR COMPANY

Peoples Healthcare Services Australia is a fully integrated health service provider which provides on-site dental service to Children at School with a keen interest in oral health and hygiene care. Our moto is to provide you the best oral care at your site... at your convenience!

We are committed to provide the community an easy access to health care services with compassionate and professional care for our patients. Our mobile dental clinic is equipped with the latest medical equipment and our team of qualified professionals strive to provide the highest standards of health treatments and give you the best smile you deserve!

OUR SERVICES

- ✓ Dental Examination
- Dental Cleaning
- ✓ Flouride Treatment
- Sealants and X-rays
- ✓ Fillings
- ✓ Oral Health Education
- ✓ Oral Hygiene Instructions





DEAR PARENTS

In Australia, toothache is the number one reason children miss school. 3 in 10 Australians suffer from untreated tooth decay caused by plague build up. We believe every child deserves a great smile which is why good oral hygiene is important! Having poor oral hygiene can lead to a variety of dental and medical problems in the future such as gum disease, infection, bone loss and more. Regular dental check-ups and cleanings can prevent these problems as well as provide you with good oral hygiene. We conduct free oral health assessments and provide basic dental treatment for children aged between 2-17 years who are covered under the Medicare CDBS program and for a special discounted price for the ones who are not eligible. We are coming to your child's school for the dental check-ups in the coming weeks so please do not wait any longer,complete and return the consent form(s) of for your children. Call us to inquire more.

PEOPLES HEALTHCARE

MEDICARE CDBS PROGRAM

From January 2014, eligible families, teenagers and approved care organizations receive benefits for basic dental services for upto \$1,000 per child over 2 consecutive years.

Benefits are not available for orthodontic or cosmetic dental work and cannot be paid for any services provided in a hospital. Child Dental Benefit Schedule Services will not count towards Medicare Safety Net or the Extended Medicare Safety Net Thresholds. Information contained in this document was extracted from Medicare.

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Dental Treatment T&C's

Peoples Healthcare provides dental services to school children at no out-of-pocket costs for eligible families under child dental benefit schedule (CDBS). Under this program we will bring our Dental van to your child's school along with our registered and qualified Dental team.

We call it "Happy Smiles for Children at School Program". It includes following dental services:

Oral Examination: dental professional performs a comprehensive oral health assessment, counts teeth, examine gum & teeth condition and diagnose possible issues.

Clean: dental professional uses a scaler to remove any plaque or tartar build-up and then polishes the teeth with a soft rubber cup and a special paste to remove any stains.

Fluoride treatment: A fluoride mousse is applied to remineralize and protect the teeth from decay.

Fissure Sealants: A dental material is placed in especially deep grooves and pits in the teeth to protect them from cavities since these can be hard to keep clean.

X-Rays: X-rays are taken for diagnostic purposes to identify any possible underlying issues and assess depth of cavities.

Fillings: If there are cavities, fillings can be provided. The caries (tooth decay) is cleaned out and after the area is cleaned it is filled with a modern composite filling or glass-ionomer cement.

Extraction: If a tooth is very badly decayed, and especially if they are milk teeth, an extraction may be needed to protect the underlying tooth from damage. Simple extractions can be made by our dental team, more complicated extractions are referred your local dentist.

Treatment report: The treatment report is filled out by our dental staff and sent home with the children. It outlines any issues and talks about what was done on the day.

Oral Hygiene Instructions: We also provide oral hygiene instructions both to the child on the day and in the form of a take-home brochure along with a care bag and/or toothbrush.

CDBS T&C's

There are no out of pocket expense for patients who are eligible for Child Dental Benefits Schedule (CDBS). Under CDBS eligible child receives up to \$1000 over a period of 2 years to use on approved dental services. Your child can get CDBS when:

- they are eligible for Medicare
- they are between 2 and 17 years old for at least 1 day that year you or they get an eligible payment at least once that year.
- You can be either the child's parent/guardian or approved care organisation.

CDBS fee schedule:

If your child is eligible for CDBS the cost of dental treatment will be deducted from CDBS balance. However, you may have to cover additional costs if you have used all the balance prior to our appointment.

Privacy Statement

The information provided to us in this document is protected under the Information Privacy Act 2000 and Health records Act 2002. We won't disclose your information to any third party however some information may be shared with relevant government health authority and or Medicare to check or access the oral health service your child has received and how these services were provided. We may use your child's photo taken while our mobile dental clinic for our publication or marketing. Please visit our website to read our full privacy policy.

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