



WHAT IT IS

Smiles United is a community-based preventive & restorative oral health program that provides care for uninsured and under-insured individuals in United Way of Northeastern Minnesota's service area. The program provides initial screenings, cleanings, fluoride treatments, sealants, fillings, and crowns as necessary for **patients of all ages.**



HOW IT WORKS

- Local children can be enrolled in this program through their schools. Schools send consent forms to parents each year.
- Adults and seniors interested in receiving Smiles United dental care can make an appointment by calling the number below!
- Insurance will be billed for those who have it; assistance in applying for insurance is available. For those who are income-eligible and without insurance, services will be provided on a sliding fee scale or free care program.



WHO IT'S FOR

Smiles United is open to **patients of all ages!**

Smiles United is a school-based dental program for children, but the program has expanded and is now providing dental care to **anyone from birth to age 100+** from community sites in our region.

Current community sites include:

- UWNEMN Building (Chisholm)
- KOOTASCA (Grand Rapids)

For updates on service locations, contact 612-746-1530 or 866-543-6009.



SCHOOLS

Send consent forms and program details with students. Collect consent forms and return to:

referrals@childrensdentalservices.org

Work with CDS to schedule service days; provide room.



PARENTS/GUARDIANS

Fill out consent forms and return to school.

Work with CDS to schedule appointments when needed.



UNITED WAY OF NE MN

Coordinate with schools and CDS.

Fundraise in support of Smiles United.

TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT:

Call Children's Dental Services at
866-543-6009 OR
612-746-1530

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Children's Dental Services

Children's Dental Services (CDS) is an independent, non-profit agency that has been dedicated to improving the oral health of underinsured or uninsured Minnesota children since 1919.