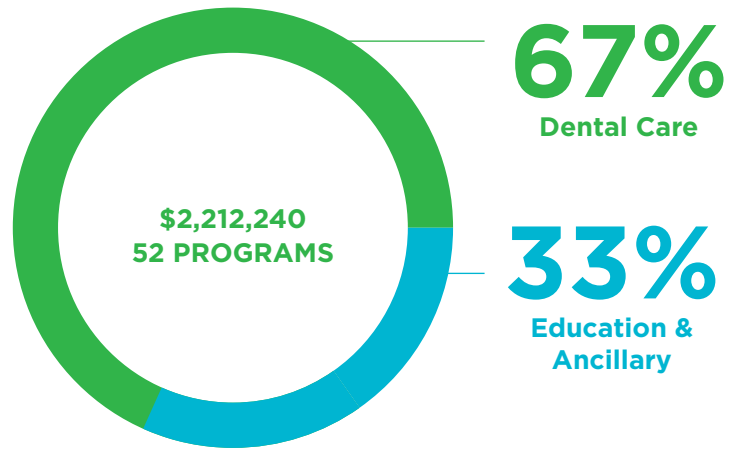


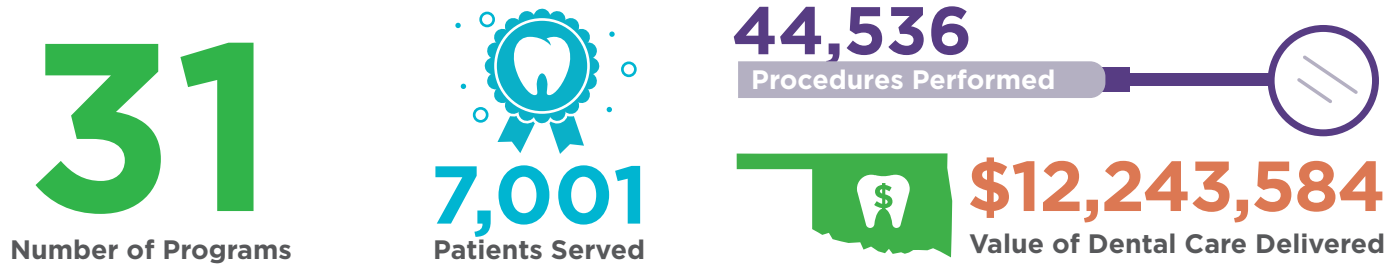
As a not-for-profit dental benefits company, Delta Dental of Oklahoma’s mission is to improve the oral health of all Oklahomans. Through the Delta Dental of Oklahoma Foundation, Delta Dental invests in programs committed to oral health education and access to dental care throughout the state.

In 2022, Delta Dental of Oklahoma Foundation donated \$2,212,240 to 52 programs across the state, with almost 70 percent of this funding dedicated to providing dental treatment to underserved and vulnerable populations. A complete list of grant recipients is available on the last page of this report.



### Grants to Free Clinics & Programs

In 2022, DDOK Foundation awarded **\$1,358,838** in grants to clinics and programs that provide free dental care to underserved and vulnerable populations.



### COVID-19 Pandemic Dental Emergency Response Program

In 2022, DDOK Foundation continued our program to divert dental patients from hospital emergency departments (EDs) during the COVID-19 Pandemic. Our Dental Care Navigators helped connect patients to the best resources for their needs. Our Dental Emergency Fund covered the costs required to help qualifying, low-income patients access treatment.

	2022
NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS SERVED	876
NUMBER OF PATIENTS TREATED	134
VALUE OF TREATMENT DELIVERED	\$56,010



## Mouthguard Program

In 2022, we launched our Mouthguard Pilot Program and provided 16,092 free mouthguards to athletes ages 10 and under who participate in organized sports leagues throughout Oklahoma. In 2023, we will offer the free mouthguards to student athletes ages 18 and under throughout the state.



## ORAL HEALTH EDUCATION



### Captain Supertooth

Captain Supertooth visits schools and events across the state teaching kids in Pre-K through third grade about good oral health habits.



**17,006**  
CHILDREN SERVED



**231**  
VISITS & EVENTS



### MouthScience

The MouthScience Kit helps students use basic science and math skills to see and understand the correlation of sugar and acid to tooth decay. Complete with toothbrushes, pH strips, lab sheets, gift card, paper towels, small cups with lids and step-by-step directions for teachers.



**15,050**  
STUDENTS SERVED



**76**  
SCHOOLS SERVED



**440**  
KITS DISTRIBUTED

## ADDITIONAL DENTAL CARE INITIATIVES

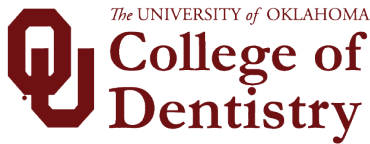
### Resource for Dental Care Guide

One of our top priorities is helping people access the dental care they need. We accomplish this through our Resource for Dental Care Guide, a directory of free and low-cost dental care resources throughout the state, and our Dental Care Navigator, a dedicated staff member available to personally guide patients and coordinate care. Find them at [ResourceForDentalCare.org](http://ResourceForDentalCare.org) or by calling the Delta Dental Helpline at 405-607-4747.



**9,665**  
TOOTHBRUSHES  
DISTRIBUTED

## SCHOLARSHIPS



### University of Oklahoma College of Dentistry Scholarships

Eleven (11) outstanding dental students who plan to practice in Oklahoma received \$10,000 scholarships from the Delta Dental Scholarship Fund at the OU College of Dentistry. Since 2001, more than \$1.1 million has been awarded to OUCOD students from DDOKF.

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|---------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Joseph Acquaviva - OKC    | Riley Crismon - Tulsa        | Caroline Graham - Midwest City | Cathy Mapes - Alva          |
| Alexandra Ahearn - OKC    | Sharice Davis - Midwest City | David Gutierrez - Woodward     | Chandler Roof - Weatherford |
| Cayli Cohrs - Elmore City | Jennifer Escobar - Yukon     | Manas Kommareddi - Tulsa       |                             |

### Dental Hygienist Scholarships

Each year, DDOKF awards four (4) \$2,000 scholarships to outstanding dental hygiene students. The scholarships are awarded to one (1) hygiene student at each of the four OU Dental Hygiene Programs located on the following campuses: OU College of Dentistry in Oklahoma City; Southern Oklahoma Technology Center in Ardmore; Tri-County Technology Center in Bartlesville; and Western Technology Center in Weatherford.

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|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Amisha Bhatt - Edmond           | Jese Valeriano - Oakland       |
| Kendall Schnoebelen - Mooreland | Paige Williams - Oklahoma City |



2022 OUCOD Delta Dental of Oklahoma Scholarship Recipients with Delta Dental president and CEO, John E. Gladden

### Pre-Dentistry Endowed Scholarships


We proudly support undergraduate students planning to enter the profession of dentistry by providing annual pre-dentistry scholarships at several state universities.

SCHOOL		2022 RECIPIENT
	<b>East Central University</b> <i>Ada</i>	Carley Tatum
	<b>Oklahoma State University</b> <i>Stillwater</i>	Chloe Scheitzach
	<b>Southwestern Oklahoma State University</b> <i>Weatherford</i>	Madison Paul
	<b>University of Central Oklahoma</b> <i>Edmond</i>	Jacqueline Hui
	<b>Southeastern Oklahoma State University</b> <i>Durant</i>	Madison Hunt
	<b>University of Oklahoma</b> <i>Norman</i>	Madeline Rogers





Endowments without a 2022 recipient: Cameron University - Lawton, Northeastern State University - Tahlequah, University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma - Chickasha.


## GRANT RECIPIENTS

### STATEWIDE

- America's Dentists Care Foundation
- DDOKF Community Outreach and Education Programs
- DDOKF COVID-19 Pandemic Dental Emergency Response Program
- Dentists for the Disabled and Elderly in Need of Treatment (D-DENT)
- Dental Lifeline Network
- HealthCorps
- HNC Living Foundation
- MobileSmiles Oklahoma (Oklahoma Dental Foundation)
- Oklahoma Oral Health Coalition
- Okla. State Dept. of Health Dental Health Service
-  OU College of Dentistry
  - OU College of Dentistry Student Clinic
  - Reach Higher
  - Special Olympics Oklahoma
  - Sterling Angel of Smiles

### SOUTHERN OKLAHOMA



-  Cameron University Pre-dentistry Scholarship
  - Compassion Outreach Center (Ada)
-  East Central University Pre-dentistry Scholarship
  - Hearts that Care Volunteer Clinic
  - Mama T's, Inc. (Ada)
-  Southeastern Oklahoma State University Pre-dentistry Scholarship
  - Southern Oklahoma Technology Center (Ardmore)
-  University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma Pre-dentistry Scholarship

 denotes Delta Dental of Oklahoma's support of higher education for future dentists to practice in our state. Some endowments established in prior years.


### CENTRAL OKLAHOMA

- City Care, Inc.
- Crossings Community Clinic
- Gateway to Prevention & Recovery
- Good Shepherd Ministries
- Heart & Hand Ministries
- Homeless Alliance
- Ministries of Jesus
- Neighborhood Services Organization
- Red Rock Behavioral Services
- ReMerge of Oklahoma County
- Smile for Good Foundation
-  University of Central Oklahoma Pre-dentistry Scholarship
-  University of Oklahoma-Norman Pre-dentistry Scholarship
- Variety Care Health Centers

### NORTHEASTERN OKLAHOMA

- Catholic Charities of Eastern Oklahoma
- Eastern Oklahoma Donated Dental Services (EODDS)
- Morton Comprehensive Health Services
-  Oklahoma State University Pre-dentistry Scholarship
-  Northeastern State University Pre-dentistry Scholarship
  - Tri-County Technology Center (Bartlesville)
  - Women in Recovery

### WESTERN OKLAHOMA

- Remote Area Medical
-  Southwestern Oklahoma State University Pre-dentistry Scholarship
  - Western Oklahoma Family Care Center (Elk City)
  - Western Technology Center (Weatherford)

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