

## Medicaid Dental Options

Dental Clinics	Contact Information	Hours of Operation						Notes
			Medi: Molina	Medi: Meridian	Medi: Illinicare	Medi: Blue Cross	Straight Medicaid	
<b>ANGEL SMILES DENTAL CLINIC</b>	ADDRESS: 730 ENTERPRISE DR. RANTOUL, IL 6166. PHONE NUMBER: (217) 892-8866	MON-FRI 8:00AM-5:00PM	✓	✓	x	✓	✓	WILL ONLY SEE CLIENTS WITH MEDICAID UP TO 20 YEARS OLD.
<b>CHAMPAIGN-URBANA PUBLIC HEALTH DISTRICT</b>	ADDRESS: 201 W. KENYON RD. CHAMPAIGN, IL 61820 PHONE NUMBER:(217) 402-5683	MON-FRI 8:00AM-4:00PM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	ONLY FOR AGES 0-18
<b>DR. JOHN KARICH</b>	ADDRESS:1504 PATTON DR., SUITE #6 MAHOMET, IL 61853 PHONE NUMBER: (217) 586-6868	MON, TUES, THURS: 8:30AM-5:00PM AND WED, FRI: 8:30AM-12:00PM	✓	x	x	✓	✓	AGES 3.5+
<b>FAMILIA DENTAL CLINIC</b>	ADDRESS: 1905 W. SPRINGFIELD AVE. CHAMPAIGN, IL 61821 PHONE NUMBER: (217) 355-6396	MON-FRI 9:00AM-6:00PM, SAT: 9:00AM-4:00PM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	ALL AGES
<b>SMILE HEALTHY DENTAL CLINIC</b>	ADDRESS: 819 BLOOMINGTON RD. CHAMPAIGN, IL 61820 PHONE NUMBER: (217) 403-5477	MON: 9:30AM-7:00PM, TUES, WED, THURS: 8:00AM-5:30PM	✓	✓	✓	x	x	WILL SEE CLIENTS UP TO AGE 18. 19+ MUST BE ESTABLISHED PATIENTS AT FRANCES NELSON
<b>TOLONO FAMILY DENTAL</b>	ADDRESS: 202 PEASE ST. TOLONO, IL 61880 PHONE NUMBER: (217) 485-5760	MON, WED: 8:00AM-5:00PM, FRI: 8:00AM-2:00PM	✓	✓	x	✓	✓	ALL AGES

## Private Insurance Dental Options

Dental Clinics	Contact Information	Hours of Operation	Insurance Providers						Notes
			Aetna	Blue Cross Blue Shield	Health Alliance	Humana	Tricare	United Healthcare	
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<b>DR. JOHN KARICH</b>	ADDRESS:1504 PATTON DR., SUITE #6 MAHOMENT, IL 61853 PHONE NUMBER: (217) 586-6868	MON, TUES, THURS: 8:30AM-5:00PM AND WED, FRI: 8:30AM-12:00PM	✓	✓	✓	✓	X	✓	AGES 3.5+
<b>FAMILIA DENTAL CLINIC</b>	ADDRESS: 1905 W. SPRINGFIELD AVE. CHAMPAIGN, IL 61821 PHONE NUMBER: (217) 355-6396	MON-FRI 9:00AM-6:00PM, SAT: 9:00AM-4:00PM	✓	✓	X	✓	✓	X	ALL AGES
<b>TOLONO FAMILY DENTAL</b>	ADDRESS: 202 PEASE ST. TOLONO, IL 61880 PHONE NUMBER: (217) 485-5760	MON, WED: 8:00AM-5:00PM, FRI: 8:00AM-2:00PM	✓	✓	✓	X	X	X	ALL AGES

## Uninsured Dental Options

Dental Clinics	Contact Information	Hours of Operation	Uninsured	Notes
<b>PARKLAND COLLEGE</b>	2400 W. Bradley Ave. Champaign, IL 61821 (217) 353-2240	MON-FRI 8:00AM-5:00PM	✓	Offers oral exams, oral hygiene instructions, medical history review, cleaning and fluoride treatment, sealant placement, and x-rays. <b>Primarily provide cleanings and dental exams, they do not perform any other dental treatments.</b> Visits take approximately 3.5 hours and is performed by Parkland college Dental Hygiene student. There is a \$10 charge each semester. There is no charge for Medicaid recipients, children ages 4-10 years, seniors (65+) or individuals on disability or SS.
<b>SMILEHEALTHY DENTAL CENTER</b>	819 Bloomington Road. Champaign, IL 61820 (217) 403-5477	MON: 9:30AM-7:00PM, TUES, WED, THURS: 8:00AM-5:30PM	✓	It is open to the public and <b>you have to be an established frances Nelson/SmileHealthy patient to be seen.</b> They provide dental hygenists provide hygiene treatments, extractions, and restorative work. All uninsured individuals will be ask to provide proof of income for all members of their household on the day of their visit to determine the cost of their dental services. The rates vary on a sliding scale.
<b>CHAMPAIGN COUNTY CHRISTIAN HEALTH CENTER</b>	1400 E Park St. Ste. C160 Champaign, IL 61820 (217) 402-5683	WALK-IN TIMES: TUES 5:30-8:30PM & 2ND/4TH WEDNESDAY 5:00PM-7:00PM	✓	You wil not be able to see the dentist during these walk-in hours. However, if you are in dental pain, you may be able to see a provider and get a prescription for an antibiotic, or schedule an appointment to see a provider for the mandatory doctors visit prior to getting any extractions.
<b>CHCC's DENTAL REFERRAL PROGRAM</b>	44 E Main St. Suit 208 Champaign, IL (217) 352-6533	MON-FRI 9:00AM-5:00PM	✓	The Dental Referral Program (DRP) is a partnership between Champaign County Health Care Consumers and area dentists to provide discounted dental care to adults with no dental coverage. The first appointment to get established with a dentist is \$15, and includes a comprehensive exam and x-rays. After the first appointment, Dental Referral Program members receive 20, 40 or 60% off of the dentist's regular fees depending on their income. To apply for the Dental Referral Program, call (217) 352-6533 and ask to speak with someone about the DRP.



Champaign-Urbana Public Health District



# Dental Emergency Fact Sheet

## What should I do if I have a Dental Emergency?

Dental pain that lasts several days, gets worse, or is severe is a dental emergency. If you are having extreme pain, an infection is likely the cause and you should seek treatment as soon as possible. ***An infection is a very real medical problem that must be addressed immediately.***

### Treating a Dental Infection

If you have a dentist, you should call their office to try to make an immediate emergency appointment. If not, you can also go to your regular primary care doctor, the emergency room, a local, free clinic or to a Convenient Care location to seek treatment. These medical providers will only treat the infection with antibiotics and/or painkillers, and cannot give dental care. After you have gone to a general doctor to receive antibiotics, you should still make an appointment to see a dentist to treat the problem or cause for your infection. If you do not receive treatment from a dentist, your infection and pain will most likely return.

### Going to the Emergency Room

No one is turned away from the hospital emergency room because of insurance status or inability to pay. Patients are not expected to pay at the time of their visit to the emergency room.

Concerns about the cost of an emergency room visit should not prevent anyone from getting needed treatments for infections or other health care needs, as both Presence Covenant and Carle have discount programs for low-income patients. You will be able to apply for financial assistance *after* receiving your bill. If you would like more information or assistance in applying for a discount program, please call the CCHCC Consumer Health Hotline at (217) 352-6533.

### Going to Carle Convenient Care

Carle Convenient Care is a walk-in clinic that is located at 1818 E. Windsor Road in Urbana, or at 1701 W. Curtis Road in Champaign. You may go to this clinic without an appointment and be seen by a medical doctor to treat your infection. You may be asked if you are able to pay at the time of this visit, but payment is not required at the time of service. A visit to Convenient Care may also be covered by Carle's financial assistance program called the Community Care Discount Program.

### Affordable Dental Care Programs

**The SmileHealthy Dental Center:** The SmileHealthy Dental Center provides dental services on a sliding scale to uninsured individuals. The dentists and dental hygienists provide hygiene treatments, extractions, and restorative work. They have appointments available for people that are experiencing dental emergencies. To make an appointment, call (217) 403-5477.

**Dental Referral Program:** The Dental Referral Program (DRP) is a partnership between Champaign County Health Care Consumers and area dentists to provide discounted dental care to adults with no dental insurance. To enroll in the Dental Referral Program, call (217) 352-6533 and ask about the DRP.

**Champaign County Health Care Consumers**

(217) 352-6533 · 44 E. Main Street, Suite 208 in Champaign

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## Oral surgeons accepting Medicaid patients

### Gibson City Area Hospital

Accepts Medicaid patients and offers financial assistance based on ability to pay  
1120 N Melvin Gibson City, IL 60936 (In the hospital)  
217-784-2701

Appointment hours: Monday-Thursday 8am-5pm

Office hours: Monday-Thursday 8am-5pm & Friday 8am-4pm

Offers: Routine Cleaning, Dentures, Sealants, Root Canal Therapy, Crowns, Fillings, Extractions and wisdom teeth removal (must be above the gums) and more.

<https://www.gibsonhospital.org/locations/profile/dental-health>

### Carle Hospital

Accepts Medicaid (Molina, Meridian, Blue Cross, and Illinicare plans)

611 W Park St. Urbana, IL 61801

217-383-3280

Offers: Wisdom teeth removal and more

Office hours: Monday-Friday 8:00am-5:00pm

\*Only serving Champaign County Residents

### Does Medicaid cover braces?

Yes, Medicaid will cover orthodontic treatment, such as braces, for those who are *under the age of 20*. However, you must have a referral from your dentist, lost all baby teeth, and have moderate to severe orthodontic problems. Therefore, if you want braces for cosmetic reasons, Medicaid will not cover the cost for orthodontic treatment. In order to find out if you are eligible for orthodontic coverage, you must go to a state approved orthodontic provider. Depending on where you go, offices only accept certain Medicaid plans.

**Illini Smiles Dental** accepts Medicaid for children's braces. Children must be under the age of 19. Their address is 303 W Springfield Ave. Champaign, IL 61820 and phone number 217-356-3335.

**Orthodontic Experts** has various locations in the Chicago land area, in the city and in the suburbs. They serve residents of Champaign, Urbana, Decatur, Charleston, Mattoon, Vermillion County, Gibson City, and more (list on website, below). The closest clinic to Champaign-Urbana is the Homewood location at 17759 S Halsted St. Homewood, IL 60430 and phone number 708-405-2122.

<http://www.medicalcardbraces.com/medicaid-braces-illinois/>

## Need a ride to your appointment?

Free rides may be provided by your Medicaid health care plan. As a member of the plan, you may be eligible to access this service. See below for information. You are able to reserve rides as long as they are for your health. If you need to pick up a prescription, go to a dental, vision, or doctor appointment, pick up medical equipment, WIC sites, or mental health appointments, these rides are able to take you. Before calling you must have your member ID number, address of your appointment, and address of your pick-up. They may ask you additional questions, such as any clinic/office number, provider's name, the reason for the appointment, birth date, and phone number. Caregivers may also call to request a ride for the patient as long as you have their member ID number. Ask about "waiting policy" as some may have wait time restrictions before leaving. A couple of the numbers say a different name, so don't be alarmed when the answering machine doesn't say the plan's name.

**Illinicare:** Offers rides with no mileage limit. Call 1-866-329-4701 to set up an appointment. Rides must be reserved 2 days prior to the appointment.

**Molina:** Offers rides up to 50 miles, any ride that is over 50 miles you must have a doctor authorization. Call 844-644-6354 between 8am-8pm CST to schedule. Rides cannot be scheduled any later than 3 days prior to the appointment.

**BlueCross:** Offers rides to those who qualify for the benefit. Call the member services number on that back of the medical card to find out if you qualify for the transportation services. If you do, where you can go will differ from patient to patient. Call 877-831-3148 to schedule a ride. Rides must be reserved at least 3 days prior to the appointment.

**Meridian:** Offers rides however, the service area is based on the situation (reason for appointment) and member (equipment needed and physical ability). Call 866-796-1165 to reserve a ride or to find out where this service can take you. You must reserve a ride 3 days prior to the appointment.