



Highlighting our impact on Arizona's communities

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Our 2024 Impact

We're on a mission to improve oral health and overall well-being for all Arizonans. This past year, we invested in the community by funding vital programs that provide dental care, oral health education and nutrition support to those in need. With \$1.8 million donated and over 400,000 people receiving services, our impact is bigger than ever. Check out our report to see how we're working towards a healthier Arizona!

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Expert Voices

On Wednesday, January 22, we held our second Expert Voices event, bringing together health care leaders to discuss solutions for increasing access to care for Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS) patients. The conversation focused on strengthening the health care workforce, expanding preventive care and making services more affordable. Read more about the discussion on our blog!

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Celebrating Healthy Smiles at the Children's Museum of Phoenix

In February, we partnered with the Children's Museum of Phoenix to bring fun, interactive oral health programming to families in celebration of National Children's Dental Health Month. 24,243 children and their caregivers visited the museum in February, enjoying hands-on activities, story time and educational experiences designed to teach kids about the importance of healthy smiles.

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Grantee Spotlight

We are proud to work with McMillen Health to fund the translation of Happy Teeth, a children's board book, into the Navajo language. This initiative will help bridge the gap in oral health education for Native American communities, where children face significantly higher rates of tooth decay. This book was designed to help parents and caregivers establish healthy oral habits from birth. Part of its redesign included incorporating an animal from Navajo folklore, making it culturally meaningful. The book is being distributed to 2,500 children on the Navajo Nation.

[Read the Book](#)



Volunteer Spotlight

In January, Delta Dental of Arizona employees honored Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s legacy by participating in our annual MLK Day of Service at Manistee Ranch Park. Volunteers picked fruit from the orchard and cleaned the park grounds, with all harvested fruit donated to St. Mary's Food Bank Alliance. This initiative supported the local community while reinforcing the importance of healthy eating for overall and oral health. This effort was part of Project Vitamin C, a program that aligns with our mission to promote good nutrition and wellness.



TRUE or FALSE? Brushing harder will clean your teeth better.

Answer: False! Actually, brushing too hard can erode your enamel and gums.

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