

**COUNTY SPECIFIC PROFILE RELATING TO  
THE ORAL HEALTH OF DISADVANTAGED PERSONS  
(Disadvantaged =<200% FPL)**

**COUNTY: Highlands**

**GENERAL DEMOGRAPHICS**

	Year	Number of Children	Number of Adults	Total	References /Comments
Total Population	2009	21,648	79,095	100,743	1
Below 200% Federal Poverty Level (FPL)	2009	10,993	26,350	37,343	2
Below 150% FPL	2009	7,830	18,767	26,597	2
At/Below 100% FPL	2009	4,513	10,818	15,331	2
Enrolled in Free/Reduced Lunch Program	SY 08-09	7,784		7,784	16
K-5 Students in Non-Fluoridated Areas	SY 02-03	1,239		1,239	2, 21
Children < 5 Years of Age	2009	5,093		5,093	1
Students in 2nd Grade	SY 07-08	953		953	16
Students in 2nd Grade below 200% FPL	SY 02-03	334		334	2, 21
Students in 7th Grade	SY 07-08	963		963	16
Students in 7th Grade below 200% FPL	SY 02-03	378		378	2, 21
Children 15-18 Years of Age	2009	4,259		4,259	1
Enrolled in Medicaid	FY 08-09	11,355	8,649	20,004	19
Enrolled in MediKids	Aug-09	143		143	4
Enrolled in Healthy Kids (Includes over 200% FPL)	Aug-09	1,072		1,072	4
Children with Special Healthcare Needs				NA	5, 21
Children Enrolled in Head Start Program	Oct-08	277		277	6
Children Enrolled in Early Head Start Program	Oct-08	80		80	6
Developmentally Disabled (DD) Children				NA	3
Individuals with HIV/AIDS	6/30/2009	Approximately 1.5% of total	Approximately 98.5% of total	177	7
Enrolled in Medicaid Developmental Services (DS) Waiver	Jul-09		183	183	3
Women with Medicaid Pregnancy-Related Services	FY 08-09	NA	1009	1,009	10
Yearly Avg Low-Income Pregnant Women			NA	NA	22

**DENTAL PROVIDERS**

	Year	Number	References
Florida Active Licensed Dentists	Jul-09	32	9
Florida Active Licensed Dentist to Population Ratio (per 100,000 pop.)		31.76	
Florida Active Licensed Pediatric Dentists		NA	20
Florida Active Licensed Dental Hygienists	Jul-09	41	9
Dental Assistants		NA	13
Dentists Enrolled as Medicaid Providers	Jul-09	12	10

Dentists as Active Medicaid Providers	FY 08-09	8	10
Pediatric Dentists Enrolled as Medicaid Providers	Sep-09	0	10
Pediatric Dentists as Active Medicaid Providers	FY 08-09	0	10
Dentists Enrolled as Healthy Kids Providers		NA	22
Dentists Enrolled as Children's Medicaid Services Providers	Sep-09	0	17
Dentists as Active Medicaid DD Children Providers		NA	3
Dentists as Active Medicaid DS Waiver Providers	FY 08-09	0	10
Dentists Contracted for HIV Program (Ryan White Title B)	Jun-09	2	14
Number of Licensed Dental Volunteers	FY 08-09	NA	15
Total number of Dental Volunteers	FY 08-09	NA	15
Number of Patient Visits`	FY 08-09	NA	15

**SURVEILLANCE DATA**

	Year	Number of Children	Number of Adults	Total	
% Adults who could not see a dentist in past 1 yr because of cost	2007		21.0%	21.0%	1
% Adults with Annual Dental Visit	2002		64.0%		1, 21
% Low-Income Adults with Annual Dental Visit	2002		58.9%		1, 21
% Adults with Cleaning in Past Year	2002		65.2%		1, 21
% Low-Income Adults with Cleaning in Past Year	2002		55.9%		1, 21
% Population on Fluoridated Community Water System	2008			56.1%	18
% of Water System Population with Fluoridated Water	2008			60.8%	18
% 3rd Graders with Dental Sealants on a Minimum of One Perm. 1st Molar		NA			22
% 9th Graders with Dental Sealants on a Minimum of One Perm. 2nd Molar		NA			22
% K-5 in Non-Fluoridated Areas Participating on Fluoride Mouthrinse Prog.		NA			2, 21
% of 2nd and 7th Graders Receiving Sealants through School-Based or Linked Program		NA			2, 21
% School Children Referred - Unable to get Treatment		NA			22
% Documented Access by disadvantaged persons through Publicly Funded and Volunteer Programs	2008	41.7%	4.0%	15.2%	2

**ORAL HEALTH OUTCOME DATA**

	Year	Number of Children	Number of Adults	Total	
% Adults 65+ with No Teeth	2002		25.3%		12, 21
% Low-Income Adults 65+ with No Teeth	2002		32.0%		12, 21
% Adults with No Teeth Removed	2002		35.4%		1, 21
% Low-Income Adults with No Teeth Removed	2002		24.6%		1, 21
% Kindergarteners with Untreated Caries (Tooth Decay)		NA			22
% Kindergarteners with Caries Experience - Treated and Untreated		NA			22
% Head Start Children with Untreated Caries		NA			22
% Head Start Children with Early Childhood Caries		NA			22
% Head Start Children with Caries Experience - Treated and Untreated		NA			22

% 3rd Graders with Untreated Caries		NA		22
% 3rd Graders with Caries Experience - Treated and Untreated		NA		22
% 9th Graders with Untreated Caries		NA		22
% 9th Graders with Caries Experience - Treated and Untreated		NA		22

**DENTAL RESOURCES**

**DOCUMENTED ACCESS TO DENTAL CARE THROUGH PUBLICLY FUNDED AND VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS FOR PERSONS BELOW 200% FEDERAL POVERTY LEVEL**

	Documented Access in 2008 Number	
Private Practitioners	NA	2, 11
Dental School Facilities/Clinics	0	2, 11
Dental Hygiene/Dental Assistant School Facilities/Clinics	0	2, 11
Hospital-Based Dental Clinics	0	2, 11
County Health Department Dental Programs	3	2, 11
Federally Qualified Health Center Dental Clinics	3	2, 11
Community-Based Low-Income Dental Clinics	1	2, 11
Faith-Based Low-Income Dental Clinics	1	2, 11
School-Based Dental Clinics	0	2, 11
Non-Profit Corporations for Research and Training Dental Clinics	0	2, 11
Volunteer Programs (Project Dentists Care)	1	2, 11
Other Volunteer Programs	0	2, 11

**REFERENCES**

- 1 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from FL DOH CHARTS) (As of 9/15/2009)
- 2 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program
- 3 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from Agency for Persons with Disabilities)
- 4 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from Florida KidCare Update August 2009)
- 5 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from FL DOH Children's Medical Services program)
- 6 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from Florida Head Start State Collaboration Office)
- 7 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from FL DOH Disease Control web site)
- 8 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from FL DOH Infant, Maternal and Reproductive Health Program)

- 9 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from FL DOH Medical Quality Assurance Division)
- 10 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from Medicaid's Decision Support System (DSS))
- 11 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from Florida Dental Association's Project: Dentists Care 2008-2009 Resource Guide)
- 12 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from 2002 Florida BRFSS)
- 13 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from Bureau of Labor Statistics (Projections) web site)
- 14 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from DOH Bureau of HIV/AIDS)
- 15 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from the Volunteer Health Services Program Annual Report)
- 16 Florida Department of Education, Education Information and Accountability Services, <http://www.fldoe.org/eias/eiaspubs/default.asp>
- 17 Florida Department of Health, Children's Medical Services, Provider Management, <https://www.cmskidsproviders.com/eis/>
- 18 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from the Community Water Fluoridation Project)
- 19 Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program (Data obtained from Medicaid Program Analysis)
- 20 Data will be available to the Florida Department of Health, Public Dental Health Program in 2010
- 21 More recent data unavailable to the Florida Department of Health
- 22 Data of public health significance that interests the Florida Department of Health but to date has not been available