

Name of Meeting: Dental Access Meeting Minutes

Facilitator: Samantha Twohig

Date of Meeting: 1/16/2013 **Time:** 10:00

Recorder: Ann Hermann

Attendance: Kim Mueller, Ann Hermann, Darlene Hanke, Sam Twohig, Fond du Lac County Health Department
Jolene Schry Fond du Lac Area School District

Excused:

Topic:	Major Points Discussed:	Action Required:	Assigned to:	Due Date:
Smiles for Life School Program	There has been an issue with the referral form not being sent to the Save a Smile program with needed information. A meeting was held with the Smiles for Life, School District, and Health Dept. to improve the referral process. Both the enrollment form and treatment form will now be forwarded to Save a Smile program so that Save a Smile can complete the referral process to a dental home. If Save a Smile has been unable to contact the child's parent after 45 days, the school nurse will attempt to contact the parent. Once a dental home is established for the child, they will come off the Smiles for Life program list. Smiles for Life is also working in Waupun to smooth the referral process.	Referral forms sent from Smile for Life program to Save a Smile	School Nurses	Immediately

<p>Day Care Fluoride Varnish Program Status</p>	<p>– Sam Twohig has been in contact with the director of the Playhouse for the Precious. This daycare is large with 240 children aged from newborn to 12 years old. The children attending this day care come for the most part from low income families. The director is open to having the dental program come into the facility to provide dental screening, fluoride varnishes 3 times per year, and an educational program to children and parents. Once established at Playhouse for the Precious, the hope is to expand the program to Shining Stars Learning Center and Bright Beginnings. The Health Department may look to recruit a volunteer or contracted Dental Hygienist as program develops.</p>	<p>Initiation of program in pilot day care.</p>	<p>Sam Twohig and day care director</p>	<p>In process</p>
<p>Soroptimist</p>	<p>– This organization will be sponsoring Chocolate Fantasy, a fund raiser which will benefit the Save a Smile Program, January 27, 11:30 to 3:30 at the K of C Hall. Sam Twohig has tickets which are \$10.00 each. Style With a Smile, the fashion show held Nov. 13,2012, to benefit the Save A Smile program yielded a</p>	<p>Fund raising activity</p>	<p>Soroptimist</p>	<p>1/27/2013</p>

	\$1600 donation to benefit pregnant women in need of dental care			
Adult Dental Need	<p>– The Health Department is receiving 5-10 emergency call per day from adults needing emergency dental care. Agnesian Healthcare will provide \$100,000 per year to meet this need. The Dental Society is meeting Feb. 5 to discuss what program model they would like to use to address this need. The Fond du Lac Redevelopment Authority who provided \$20,000 last year to address the emergency dental needs of City of Fond du Lac adult residents, is providing an additional \$10,000 after March of this year.</p>	Health Dept., Agnesian Healthcare and Dental Society to cooperate in development of an adult dental program.	Fond du Lac County Administration and Health Department, Agnesian Healthcare, and the Fond du Lac Area Dental Society	Pending
Give Kids a Smile Program	<p>– This year 11 area dentist are participating, most seeing children on Feb 1st. All 107 available slots have been filled. Last year 15 dentist participated, with 112 scheduled appointments.</p>	Health Dept. scheduling dental appointments with participating dentist for non-insured children	Darlene Hanke	Feb. 1,2013

Mission of Mercy	– Applications have been made. Sam Twohig has yet to hear if Fond du Lac will be approved as a site. Sam Twohig will follow up.	Application results pending	Sam Twohig	Pending
Review of Committee Goals	Goals reviewed	#1 Kim Mueller to follow-up with Diane Cappozzo regarding outcome of letter sent to village administrators related to fluoride in municipal water supplies. #2 Sam Twohig to compile statistics for percentage of MA recipients having at least one dental claim in 2012. #3 See above report on Day Care Varnish program.	Kim Mueller Sam Twohig	
Next Meeting	April 24 th , 11:00 A Child Support Meeting Room, 3 rd floor of City/County Building			

Respectfully submitted,
Ann Hermann