

Give Kids a SMILE

Spring 2019

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3M, HealthPartners, the Minnesota Dental Foundation funded statewide radio and television ads.

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United Way 2-1-1 Call Specialists, who fielded hundreds of inquiries from families.

Dental Experts assisted in finding allied dental professionals to volunteer at clinics in need of volunteers.

Minnesota Dental Foundation provided grants to community clinics to help defray supply costs.

Countless Caring Professionals across the state who informed families in need.

IT ALL ADDS UP TO SMILES

Thank you to all of the volunteers for graciously donating their time and skills towards the education and betterment of children's dental health in Minnesota and for being a proud supporter of Give Kids a Smile. The program could not continue without each and every one of you!

In all, 1,992 children statewide received care from 113 hosting clinics, 223 dentists, and 1,133 total volunteers. This generously provided care is valued at \$1.1 million*. The MDA was grateful to receive funding from our longtime dedicated sponsors, 3M, HealthPartners, and the Minnesota Dental Foundation. Their involvement allowed us to provide a strong and comprehensive statewide marketing campaign. We teamed up with KMSP-TV, who ran a total of 335 Give Kids a Smile PSAs on Fox 9 and Fox 9+. We received 3.8 million household impressions between the two

channels. KMSP also shared a GKAS content post on the Fox 9 Facebook page, which reached an estimated 105,000 people. Give Kids a Smile also hit the airways by way of radio on 17 outstate stations who aired a total of 1,106 30-second Give Kids a Smile PSAs.

Thousands of children in need are smiling bigger and brighter, but most importantly *healthier*, thanks to the generosity and excellent dentistry provided by Minnesota dentists and dental professionals during the annual Give Kids a Smile event.

** 83% of clinics reporting*



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**Save the date
for next year!
Feb. 7 & 8, 2020**