

Community Clinic, Inc.

DENTAL PROGRAM FACT SHEET

The executive staff and Board of Directors analyzed the demand for dental services among our 45,000 patients and WIC program participants. Three key factors necessitate the dental program initiative: the importance of oral health as a primary concern for a healthy person, the growing number of CCI patients and the increase of those without dental care and a dental home, and the agency's expansion, which requires more space to provide a full complement of health services for a significant proportion of the county's residents. The dental program opened for pediatric and adult patients at the Gaithersburg health center on October 7, 2010.

Dental Services

Dental services are provided in a multi language environment for CCI children six months of age and older, all special needs patients regardless of age, and adults. Services focus on prevention. Some emergency procedures will be done at the clinic. Other emergencies will be referred to The University of Maryland, Howard University, or Children's Hospital. The services CCI's dental center provides are:

- Tooth extractions
- Root canals
- X-rays
- Preventive dental treatment—dental sealants, fluoride applications, cleaning, oral health screenings, examinations and checkups
- Fillings
- Oral hygiene education and promotion
- Treatment of gum diseases such as periodontitis and gingivitis
- Dental referrals for invasive and specialized care
- Emergency services (onsite and referrals)

Suite Design

3,000 square feet/ Handicap accessible

Operatories

- Three single
- Two double
- Total of seven operatories

Offices

- One for the dentist
- One for a three-person dental team
- One for the practice manager
- Staff breakroom and kitchen

Dental support spaces

- One lab and adjoining work room
- Digital x-ray
- Panoramic x-ray
- Bio-hazard exhaust closet

Patient services spaces

- Waiting room
- Reception area
- Billing

Funding

Capital Funding Acquired

Federal FQHC Funding	\$150K
Capital ARRA Program	\$270K
Kaiser Permanente	<u>\$200K</u>
Total	\$620K

Planning Funds

Healthcare Initiative Foundation	\$17,500
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Operations Funding Acquired

Healthcare Initiative Foundation	\$180K
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Funds paid for seven operatories and suite construction.

Information

For more information, call the CCI Advancement Office at 240-499-2638.
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