



The Story

Mary, 62, lives alone in Logan and spends most of her free time at church and visiting with friends. She suffers from several serious health problems including lupus, multiple sclerosis, and COPD. She has also undergone multiple abdominal surgeries, has titanium rods in her arms, and currently is experiencing hip problems. In addition, Mary's dental health had deteriorated—many of her teeth were decayed and some were missing.

Sadly, Mary was unable to afford the dental treatment she needed. Formerly a nurse for 20 years, she can no longer work and depends on a small Social Security Disability benefit to make ends meet. It seemed she had nowhere to turn for help.

How DLN Helped

Fortunately, Mary was referred to **Dental Lifeline Network (DLN)** and she was linked with two generous volunteers.

- Dr. Paul Harris.
- Trident Dental Laboratories.

“Many dentists travel around the world delivering care to needy populations. We have much dental need right around us too. When we all do a little, these needs can be addressed.”
—Dr. Paul Harris, DLN Volunteer



Mary with Dr. Paul Harris

Dental School Graduate Honored

Dental Lifeline Network partners with dental schools through the Brian D. Stone Memorial Award to recognize graduating students who are committed to volunteerism or to helping people with special needs. At Roseman University of Health Sciences - College of Dental Medicine, the 2018 recipient was Dr. Stuart Mauger pictured below with Dean, Dr. Frank Licari.



Dental Lifeline Network is a national humanitarian organization and affiliate of the ADA, providing access to comprehensive dental care for people with disabilities or who are elderly or medically fragile and have no other way to get help. Nationally, 15,000 dentists and 3,500 laboratories volunteer for DDS.

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Fiscal Year 2017-2018

Patient Treatment



Patients
Served



139

Patients
on Wait List



98

Volunteer
Dentists



48

Volunteer
Labs

Financial



Value of Care
to Patients
Treated
\$161,640



Average Value
of Treatment/
Case
\$3,517¹



Value of
Donated
Lab Services
\$14,198²

Since Utah Program Inception (2015)



Total
Patients
Treated
194



Total Value
of Care to
Patients Treated
\$813,038

¹ Average value is based on patients that have completed comprehensive treatment; does not include active patients, or patients who continue to receive ongoing care from their DDS volunteer.

² Value also included in Value of Care to Patients Treated.

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