

ANNUAL REPORT



THE STORY

Tina is a 53-year-old woman who lives in north Denver. She enjoys reading, sewing, painting and making jewelry in her free time. In 1996, she was diagnosed with Meniere’s disease that has led to severe vertigo, as well as balance and hearing issues. She has asthma, osteoarthritis and experiences neuropathy in both of her feet. She needs the assistance of a cane, and sometimes a walker, in order to get around safely.

In addition to these health challenges, her dental health was also deteriorating. Tina had severe dry mouth, receding gums, gingivitis and needed several crowns. Prior to becoming permanently disabled and unable to work, she worked as a tax accountant for a number of years. Tina now relies on a Social Security Disability benefit and food stamps to makes ends meet. She could not afford the much-needed dental treatment and it seemed far beyond her reach.

HOW DDS HELPED

Fortunately, Tina applied to the **Donated Dental Services (DDS)** program and was linked with two generous volunteers that restored her dental health and smile.

Who Helped: Dr. Lindsay Compton provided a comprehensive exam and several X-rays, restored one tooth, and with the help of Sonbeam Dental Lab, donated six crowns.



Dr. Lindsay Compton and DDS Patient Tina

“It really wasn’t a different practice model. We did not treat her any different. She just became one of my patients. My philosophy on this program is if we just did a little bit, it would make a big impact.”

– DR. LINDSAY COMPTON, DDS VOLUNTEER

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At the University of Colorado School of Dental Medicine, the 2020 recipient of the Brian D. Stone Award was Dr. Ayathi Apostolopoulous. 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.

Colorado Donated Dental Services (DDS)

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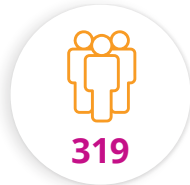
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Patient Treatment



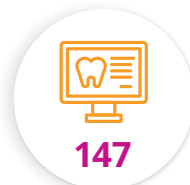
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Served



Patients on
Wait List

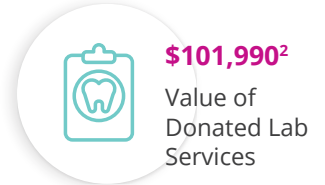


Volunteer
Dentists

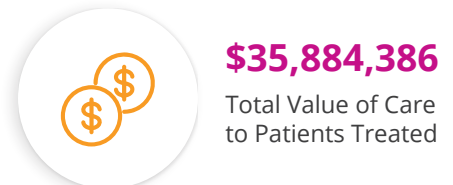
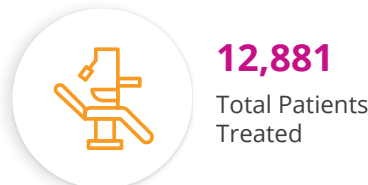


Volunteer
Labs

Financial



Since Colorado Program Inception (1985)



¹ Average does not include treatment from DDS volunteer dentists who provided patients with initial restorative treatment and have elected to continue providing routine and ongoing care.

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

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