Dental Lifeline Network • South Carolina

ANNUAL REPORT

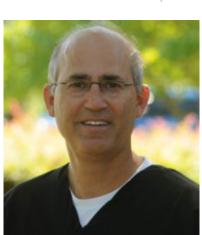


THE STORY

Dean, 71, lives with his wife in Kershaw County. Prior to his retirement, he owned a furniture store. His wife recently lost her job as an interior designer due to the COVID-19 pandemic. He suffers from stage 5 Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD) and receives dialysis at home.

Unfortunately, Dean's dental health was another challenge. He was missing several teeth and others were broken and decayed. Both a crown and a filling had fallen out and another crown had become abscessed. Dean was in extreme pain and desperately needed help.

No longer able to work, Dean and his wife survive on limited Social Security benefits. Their monthly expenses exceed their income and they struggle to make ends meet. He could not afford the needed dental treatment.



Dr. Robert M. Joseph, DDS Volunteer

HOW DDS HELPED

Fortunately Dean was referred to **Donated Dental Services (DDS)**, and he was linked with several generous volunteers. Thanks to the team, Dean's dental health was restored and he is now able to eat pain free.

- Dr. Robert Joseph, a general dentist, donated 4 extractions,11 fillings, 1 root canal and 2 crowns.
- Personal Dental Laboratory, Inc. donated the crowns.
- Land Dental Lab donated the lower partial denture.
- Blue Ridge Dental Lab donated the metal framework for the denture.

VOLUNTEER

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>>> WillYouSeeOne.org

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From clearing up painful dental infections and being able to eat again to rejoining the workforce—volunteering with Dental Lifeline Network will make a life-changing difference for those in need.

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South Carolina Donated Dental Services (DDS)

DDS is a Program of Dental Lifeline Network • South Carolina and the South Carolina Dental Association



FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 IMPACT

Patient Treatment



Patients Served

Patients on Wait List



Volunteer Dentists



Volunteer Labs

Financial



\$504,417

Value of Care to Patients Treated



\$6,111¹

Average Value of Treatment/ Case



\$37,223²

Value of Donated Lab Services

Since South Carolina Program Inception (2002)



662

Total Patients Treated



\$3,306,120

Total Value of Care to Patients Treated

¹Average 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.

South Carolina DDS

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