Dental Lifeline Network • Arkansas ANNUAL REPORT

THE STORY

The Arkansas Donated Dental Services (DDS) program helps patients like Carolyn, 66, from Clark County. Living on her own in a rural area, Carolyn has made it her mission to care for the abandoned dogs that have come to her home. She does what she can to support herself by working part-time as a transcriptionist, but suffers from several physical and mental health challenges that have been detrimental to her quality of life. In addition to these problems, Carolyn's dental health had deteriorated as well. She had a broken crown and numerous cavities, which caused her severe discomfort and diminished her self-confidence. The cost of treatment, however, was beyond what she could afford. Getting by only on her part-time job's income and her Social Security benefit, she struggles to get by, and the treatment she needed seemed out of reach.

HOW DDS HELPED

This all changed when Dr. Patrick Moseley, Jr., a DDS volunteer since 2019, came to her aid. With the help of Creative Dental Arts, an Arkansas-based DDS volunteer dental lab, Dr. Moseley provided Carolyn with two new crowns, conducted two restorations, and fitted her with an amalgam. Thanks to the compassion shown by these volunteers, she received hundreds of dollars-worth-of donated dental treatment, improving her oral health, and her confidence.

GET INVOLVED

PLEASE VISIT: DentalLifeline.org

OR CONTACT: Regina Baltz DDS Coordinator 501.993.8245 or rbaltz@DentalLifeline.org

DONATE

PLEASE VISIT: DentalLifeline.org/Donate

VOLUNTEER

PLEASE VISIT: WillYouSeeOne.org





More than Dentistry. Life.



112 individuals across Arkansas are waiting for life-changing dental treatment. **Will you see ONE?**

I'm incredibly grateful to you [for] this service, and to the program itself for allowing me to receive this extensive help. How do you ever thank someone for giving you back your dignity, your smile, and your dental health?"

- Carolyn, DDS Patient

Will you see me?



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. WillYouSeeONE.org

Arkansas Donated Dental Services (DDS)

FINANCIAL

\$190.758

Value of Care to

Patients Treated

Total Patients Treated

DDS is a Program of Dental Lifeline Network • Arkansas with the support of the Arkansas State Dental Association



FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022 IMPACT







Patients on Waitlist



Volunteer Dentists

Volunteer

Labs Statewide

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Average Value of Treatment/Case



Value of Donated Lab Services

SINCE ARKANSAS PROGRAM INCEPTION (1997)



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.

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