

This is Why I Dental.



Helping Those in Need

The Indiana Donated Dental Services (DDS) program helps people like Donald, 59, from Johnson County. Donald suffers from end-stage renal and pancreas failure, diabetes, and arthritis among other things. He is in need of both a kidney and pancreas transplant but is unable to qualify for the transplant due to his lack of dental clearance.

Unable to work due to his health issues, Donald survives on a Social Security disability benefit and was unable to afford the treatment needed to address his dental problems and get him the kidney and pancreas he desperately needed.

This all changed when 2 generous DDS volunteers came to his aid. A general dentist restored 10 teeth, a root canal and, with the help of a volunteer lab, 3 crowns. Thanks to these caring volunteers, Donald received thousands of dollars worth of donated treatment and the dental clearance needed to get him one step closer to transplant surgery.



Volunteering with Dental Lifeline Network is probably the most rewarding thing that I do. You donate your time, and you donate your services, and you impact this one individual's life more than you can imagine. Just seeing the smile on their face makes it worth it.

Dr. Amanda Miller, DLN • IN Board Member



33 YEARS
of life-saving volunteers



\$20.5m
in donated dental treatment



467
Volunteer Dentists
in Indiana



99
Volunteer Labs
in Indiana



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SERVED**
in Indiana since 1991



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