

PINELLAS COUNTY DENTAL ASSISTANCE GUIDE



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Dental Assistance Programs

Bay Pines VA Medical and Psychiatric Care Services

Bay Pines Medical Center
10000 Bay Pines Boulevard
Bay Pines, FL 33744

Phone: (727) 398-6661

Hours: 24 hours/7 days/week (hospital). 8a-4:30p Monday-Friday (medical center).

Description: Medically necessary dental care/preventive care

Eligibility: Must be a U.S. military veteran with general or honorable discharge status.

Intake: Contact 1-877-222-VETS or (877-222-8387) for eligibility

Fees: Sliding scale for co-payments on medical and prescription services (minimum \$0).

Website: www.baypines.va.gov/healtheligibility

Bureau of Primary Health Care

Phone: 1-888-ASK-HRSA or (888-275-4772)

Description: Referrals to free or reduced cost dental care.

Homeless Emergency Project (HEP) Emergency Shelter

1120 North Betty Lane
Clearwater, FL 33755

Phone: (727) 442-9041

Hours: 9:00a-5:00p, Monday-Friday

Description: Dental services for relief of pain, simple extractions.

Eligibility: Low or no income adults only.

Intake: Must be referred by social services or health department.

Website: www.ethep.org

Johnnie Ruth Clarke Dental Clinic

1344 22nd Street South
Saint Petersburg, FL 33712

Phone: (727) 824-8177

Hours: 7:30am-4:00pm Monday-Friday

Description: Services include Digital X-Rays, Preventative Care, Basic Dental Needs, Most Major Services, Wisdom Tooth Extraction.

Eligibility: All Ages, Accepts straight Medicaid for adults (no HMO attached). Accepts Medipass and regular Medicaid for children.

Intake: Call for appointment.

Fees: Minimum pay available for those who qualify. We accept most major insurances and offer discounts based on household income.

Website: www.chcpinellas.org

Pinellas County Health Department Locations

Hours: 8:00a-5:00p for all sites.

Description: Provides dental care services for children only.

Eligibility: Uninsured children or children on Medicaid up to 18. Exception to age 21 if client has been on Medicaid for a prolonged period of time. Must register with the clinic.

Intake: Bring (1) a Social Security card for you and your spouse; (2) two residency documents proving that you live in Pinellas County (3) proof of monthly income, such as a paystub or letter from Social Security or the Veteran's Administration, for you and your spouse; if no income, a Statement of Support from whomever is supporting you.

Fees: Free or sliding scale

Website:

www.pinellashealth.com

Pinellas Park

6350 76th Avenue N.
Pinellas Park, FL 33781
Phone: (727) 547-7780 ext. 103

Clearwater

310 North Myrtle Avenue
Clearwater, FL 33781
Phone: (727)-469-5800 Ext. 121

St. Petersburg

205 Dr. Martin Luther King St. N.
St. Petersburg, FL 33701
Phone: (727) 824-6975

Tarpon Springs

301 South Disston Avenue
Tarpon Springs, FL 34689
Phone: (727) 942-5457

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Pinellas County Health and Human Services, Mobile Medical Van

647 1st Avenue North
St. Petersburg, FL 33701

Phone: (727) 582-7577

Hours: Call for locations and schedules near you. Hours vary between North & South County

Description: Provides primary medical care and referral for specialty care: dental and prescriptions.

Locations:

CLEARWATER: St. Vincent DePaul Soup Kitchen; RCS Emergency Housing; Everybody's Tabernacle; RCS The Haven.

ST. PETERSBURG: St. Vincent DePaul Soup Kitchen; YWCA Emergency Housing; Beacon House; Turning Point.

TARPON SPRINGS: ACTS.

PINELLAS PARK: Haven of Rest; Mid-Pinellas Homeless Outreach.

Eligibility: Homeless of Pinellas County who don't have medical insurance. Homeless persons may be living in a homeless shelter or merely eating at an area soup kitchen when medical team is there.

Intake: Contact sites for information about when medical team will be at your local location.

Fees: None

Website: <http://www.pinellashealth.com>

Pinellas Technical Education Center (PTEC)

901 34th St. S
St. Petersburg, FL 33711

Phone: (727) 893-2500

Hours: First three Wednesday mornings of each month while school is in session.

Description: Low cost dental clinic.

Eligibility: Anyone.

Fees: Extractions \$40; Fillings \$20

-60; X-rays \$5. Cash or checks at time of service.

Intake: Walk-in basis only. First 4 patients will be taken. Arrive at 6:15 am.

Website: www.myptec.org

St. Petersburg College Dental Hygiene Clinic

7200 66th Street North
Pinellas Park, FL 33781

Phone: (727) 341-3668

Hours: 8a-4:30p, M-Th; 8a-4p, F

Description: Preventive dental services - no teeth extractions

Eligibility: Adults/children in need of services.

Intake: Call for appointment. May be referred to UF College of Dentistry

Fees: Cleaning \$30/X-rays \$15.

UF College of Dentistry St. Petersburg Clinic

St. Petersburg College
9200 113th Street N.
Seminole, FL 33772

Phone: (727) 394-6064

Hours: 7:30a-4:00p *except Holidays; Monday - Friday.

Potential patients must call to see if there are any openings for a new patient.

Description: Provides comprehensive dental services including cleaning, fillings, extractions, dentures, etc. Doctors are in residency at University of Florida.

Eligibility: Emergency care is available to anyone needing relief from pain.

Intake: Emergency walk-ins must arrive before 7:00am Monday-Friday. The first 6 patients at the door at 7:00am will be seen. The wait could be several hours, please be prepared. The emergency clinic offers extractions, initiation of root canal therapy, temporary fillings, and other relief of pain procedures

ONLY. Potential patients are encouraged to call the day before to make sure the emergency clinic will be open.

Fees: There is a minimum fee expected at time of treatment - generally 1/3 of private dental fees. **Call for specific procedure pricing.

Website: http://www.dental.ufl.edu/Offices/St_Petersburg/patient_information.php

Headstart Programs

Description: Comprehensive preschool education program. Nutrition, dental, medical, services in conjunction with other community agencies. The child will sign up with the Health Care worker for dental needs.

Hours: 8a-3:30p, M-F

Eligibility: Pinellas County children 3 and 4 years old from low income families. Families must meet Federal poverty guidelines or be a current TANF recipient or a recipient within a year of application.

Website:

www.pinellascountyheadstart.org

Clearwater Head Start Center

701 Missouri Ave N
Clearwater, FL 33755
Phone: (727) 443-3575

Dunedin Head Start Center

1141 Highland Ave
Dunedin, FL 34698
Phone: (727) 738-4246

Forest Hills Head Start

3600 Fairfield Ave S
St. Petersburg, FL 33707
Phone: (727) 323-7918

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Jordan Park Head Start Center

2390 9th Avenue South
St. Petersburg, FL 33712
Phone: (727) 327-4144

McCabe Head Start Center

2800 26th Ave South
St. Petersburg, FL 33712
Phone: (727) 867-4390

Rainbow Village Head Start Center

12351 - 134th Avenue North
Largo, FL 33774
Phone: (727) 584-6945

Dunedin Head Start Center

1141 Highland Ave
Dunedin, FL 34698
Phone: (727) 738-4246

Rainbow Village Head Start Center

12351 - 134th Avenue North
Largo, FL 33774
Phone: (727) 584-6945

William S. Fillmore, Jr. Head Start Center

1900 12th St South
St. Petersburg, FL 33705
Phone: (727) 823-7491

Medical Home Sites

Call one of the below to get an application for a Medical Home Site near you:

Clearwater

2189 Cleveland St.
Suite 230
Clearwater, FL 33765
(727) 464-8400

St. Petersburg

647 1st Ave. N.
St. Petersburg, FL 33701
(727) 582-7781

Description: Pinellas County Medical Home Sites provide: Dental referral assistance is available for EXTRACTION ONLY for "relief of pain".

Hours: 9:00a-6:30p, Monday-Thursday

Eligibility: Requirements for eligibility are: (1) have no insurance (including Medicare/Medicaid) (2) be a Pinellas County resident (3) be between the ages of 18-64 (4) be a U.S. citizen, legal permanent resident or sponsored alien (5) meet Federal income guidelines.

Intake: Come to one of the enrollment sites to apply and select a medical home. Bring (1) a Social Security card for you and your spouse; (2) two residency documents proving that you live in Pinellas County (3) proof of monthly income, such as a paystub or letter from Social Security or the Veteran's Administration, for you and your spouse; if no income, a Statement of Support from whomever is supporting you.

Website: <http://www.pinellascounty.org/humanservices>

Medical Home locations:

Johnnie Ruth Clarke Health Center
1344 22nd St. S.
St. Petersburg, FL 33712

Community Health Centers at Largo
12420 130th Ave. N.
Largo, FL 33774

Community Health Centers at Tarpon Springs
247 S. Huey Ave.
Tarpon Springs, FL 34689

Community Health Centers at Pinellas Park
6237 66th St.
Pinellas Park, FL 33781

Community Health Centers at Clearwater
1020 Lakeview Road
Clearwater, FL 33756

St. Petersburg Free Clinic
863 3rd Ave. N.
St. Petersburg, FL 33701

Turley Family Care Center
807 North Myrtle Avenue
Clearwater, FL 33755-4254

Willa Carson Health Clinic
Clearwater
1108 N. Martin Luther King Ave.
Clearwater, FL 33755



2-1-1 Tampa Bay Cares

Description: Provides information on local health and human service.

Local Phone: 211

Hours: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week

Eligibility: Residents of Pinellas, Citrus, Hernando, Lake & Sumter counties.

Intake: Call for more information, send an email to info@211tampabay.org or visit our website.

Website: www.211connects.org