



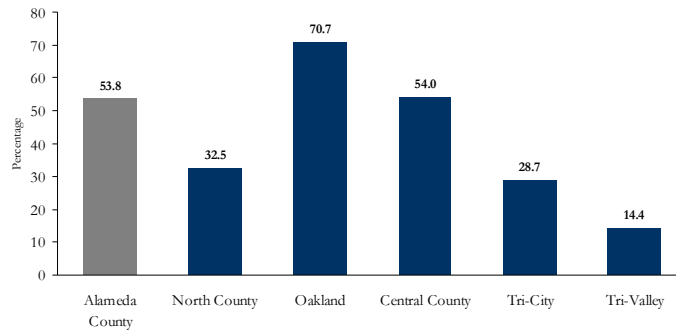
ORAL HEALTH SERVICES AT SCHOOL BASED HEALTH CENTERS: THE ALAMEDA COUNTY EXPERIENCE

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An Overview

- Need for Dental Care Services
- Existing Resources –private and public
- Existing Models – elements, staffing, funding
 - Portable preventive
 - SBHC comprehensive
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- 5 year Strategic Plan: *Healthy Smiles for Health Futures*

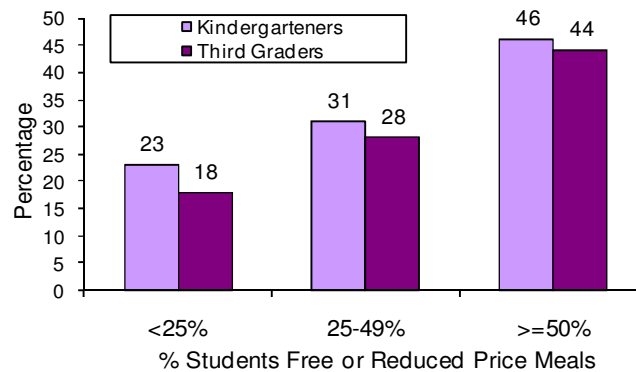
Percentage Children 0-17 years on Free and Reduced Price Meal Program by Area, Alameda County, 2009



Oakland and Central County have the highest proportion of low-income children in FRPMP

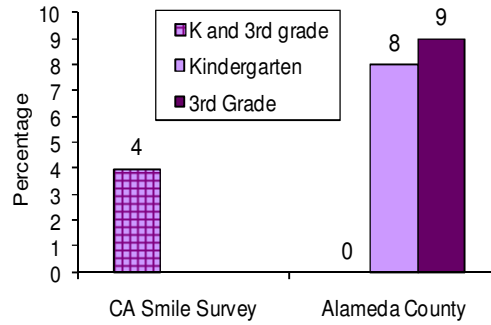
Children from low income families suffer more untreated dental disease.

Percentage of School Children with Untreated Decay by School Poverty Status, Alameda County, 2002-2004

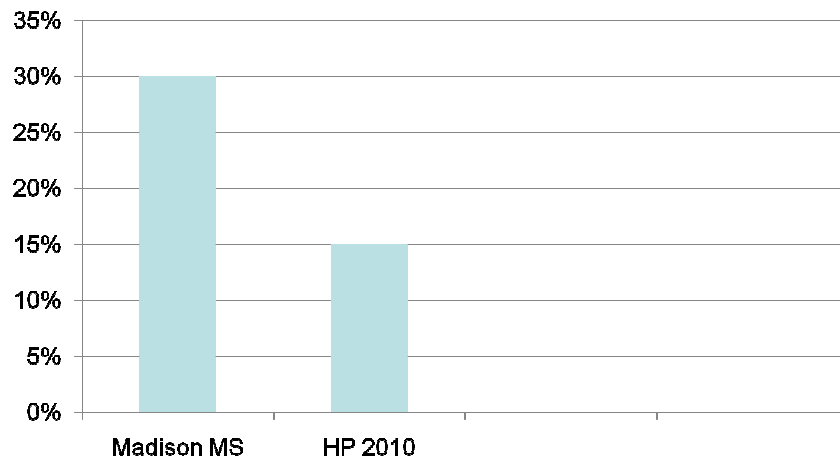


Our school children suffer a higher level of untreated dental disease.

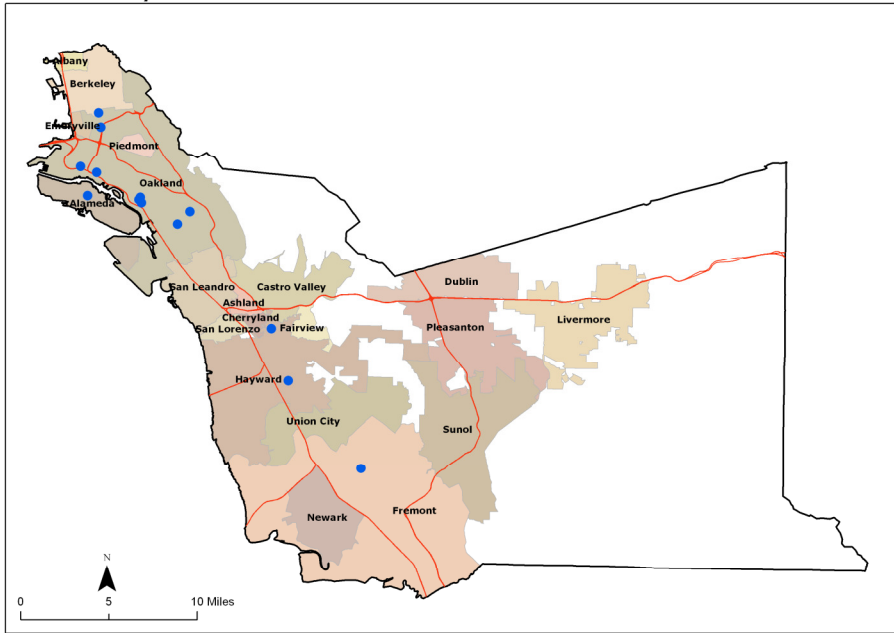
Percentage of School Children with Urgent Dental Treatment Needs in Alameda County 2002-2004 compared to California Smile Survey, 2005



Untreated Dental Decay in Madison Middle School

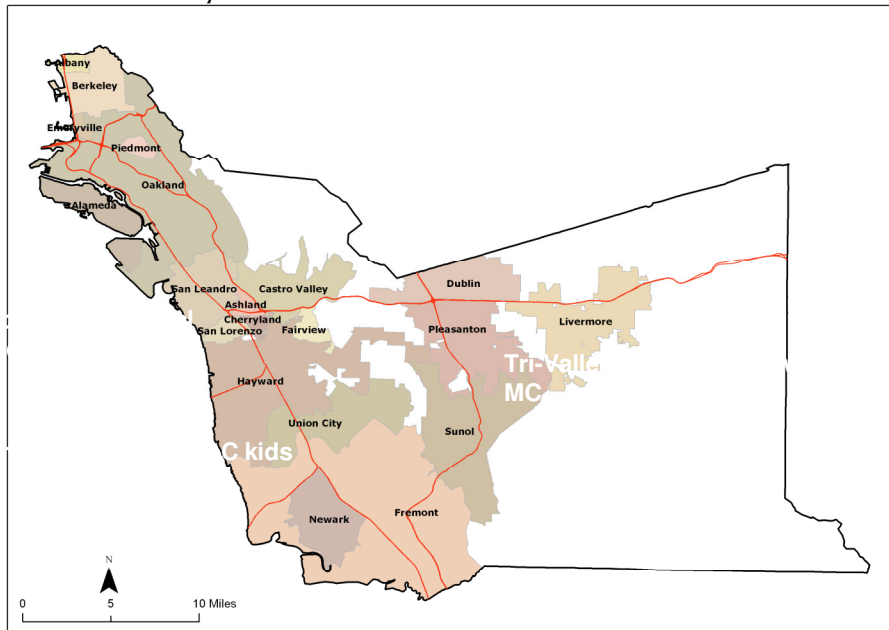


Community Dental Clinics



Source: CAPE, with data from ACPHD Dental Program.

Alameda County



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Essential Elements


- Oral health assessment, screening or examination
- Preventive services including fluorides and dental sealants
- Oral health education
- Case management or care coordination
- Access to or provision of restorative dental treatment

School based dental service models

- Portable preventive services-Berkeley
- Elev8 Middle School Program Oakland
- Portable preventive and restorative -*future*

Staffing and Funding

Staff	Function	Funding Sources
1. Dental Hygienist/Dentist	Screening or Examination	Non-profit grants, local taxes, FFS reimbursement, FQHC reimbursement
2. Dental Assistant/Dental Hygienist/Dentist	Preventive Services	Same
3. Dentist	Restorative Dental Treatment	Same
4. Case Manager	Case Management/Care Coordination	Federal Financial Participation matched with local county funds



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THE ALAMEDA COUNTY
STRATEGIC PLAN FOR ORAL HEALTH
2012-2017

COORDINATED BY THE OFFICE OF DENTAL HEALTH

STRATEGY ONE

ACCESS

Increase utilization and availability of oral health care services and education in locations frequented by pregnant women, teens, children and their caregivers.



Tactic:

- Establish a comprehensive oral health services program in 2 school districts integrated with health/science curriculum.
- Establish dental care services for 0-5 yr olds at 6 WIC sites, 5 Head Start sites.
- Develop a demonstration program to encourage pregnant women/teens to access dental care.
- Integrate dental assessment, prevention services into pediatric medical care.
- Expand dental services to all FQHC's.