



Kemlong Kids

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Frequently Asked Questions

Why the need for school-based dental services?

- At KKD, we believe that education and prevention are the keys to long term success in dentistry and life in general.
- Children miss less school and spend more time in class
- By providing services at schools, Kemlong Kids Dental (KKD) removes transportation barriers and parents' time away from work, which is often unpaid, for dental appointments
- Children are more attentive in class due to less distraction from dental pain

What is KKD's mission?

Kemlong Kids Dental's mission is to improve the dental health of children through provision of oral health education and preventive dental services.

KKD dedicated Registered Dentists and Dental Assistants provide compassionate care to underserved children on-site at school utilizing portable dental equipment.

How do I sign my child up to be seen at school?

KKD requires a signed parental consent form be returned to school prior to children receiving services. A separate form must be completed for each eligible child. Forms can be found at your child's school and online at www.kemlongkidsdental.org

What services are provided to your child?

Services provided by KKD include oral health screenings, dental cleanings, fluoride varnish, oral hygiene instruction, sealants and oral hygiene kits, Atraumatic Restorative Therapy (ART)

Does KKD only work on children?

KKD has a Dental Outreach Program that conducts dental outreaches for all people in communities and hard-to-reach areas like the islands on Lake Victoria.

What happens if a child requires a referral for additional dental work?

Strong partnership between KKD and Hark Dental results in timely dentist appointments for children experiencing dental pain.

Does KKD replace the need for routine checkups by a dentist?

KKD does not replace the need for a yearly dentist exam. If you have an established dental home (family dentist), schedule a checkup twice a year. For referral assistance, contact KKD.

Where can I get more information on KKD?

To learn more visit www.kemlongkidsdental.org