



Ready to Volunteer?

NEXT STEPS

“We get to help people who are in need, no strings attached, and I know that makes a huge difference in their lives. We get people out of pain, help to fix their teeth and show them that we value them and love them.”

— Dr. Adam Kirkpatrick

Find out more about our program

medicalteams.org/volunteer

Register to volunteer

medicalteams.org/apply

Have questions? Contact us

email volunteer@medicalteams.org
or call 503-624-1000



Medical Teams' Mobile Dental Clinics are part of our Care & Connect program. The vision of Care & Connect is to restore health and wholeness to every patient we see. Care & Connect provides essential and urgent services. Going where we are needed most, we bring care to underserved communities and connect patients to a care home that can best meet their long-term dental and other health needs. We work in partnership with local community groups and healthcare partners to identify and address gaps in access and care that can be effectively met through our Mobile Clinics.

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Mobile Dental Clinic

BECOME A VOLUNTEER



Going Where You're Needed Most

PROVIDING URGENT DENTAL CARE

Our Mobile Dental vans go to people who need urgent dental care. Working together with local partners, we identify those with the greatest needs. When you volunteer, you work alongside communities including Indigenous peoples, those with disabilities, seniors, people experiencing material poverty or homelessness, migrant workers, asylum seekers, undocumented immigrants, people recovering from substance abuse disorders, veterans and youth. **You will help eliminate pain and prevent future tooth decay for people in crisis in our communities.**

A Day in the Life of a Mobile Dental Clinic Volunteer

Our dental volunteers are the backbone of our program. We are always looking for dentists, dental assistants and registered dental hygienists to volunteer. In five to seven hours, you can expect to see around eight patients who are in desperate need of dental care. Our clinics provide extractions and fillings with an occasional specialty clinic.

What You'll Do

- **Provide immediate relief** for mouth pain and infection, helping people return to full and productive lives.
- **Eliminate and prevent further tooth decay** through procedures for fillings, extractions, and cleanings.
- **Provide medical screenings** to connect patients with needed healthcare services.
- **Alleviate patient costs and burden on emergency rooms** for dental-related visits.
- **Give back** to your community by treating people with the greatest health and economic needs.



The Benefits of Volunteering

- Volunteer dentists and hygienists can receive up to **6-7 CEU Credits annually**
- **Flexible hours** that fit into your work schedule
- Opportunity to **network and connect** with the local community and partners
- In Washington, **free Malpractice Insurance and License Renewal** is available through the WHAA for volunteer dentistry. In Oregon, dental **Malpractice Insurance** can be covered in some circumstances, and fees are waived for volunteer licenses.
- Most importantly, seeing your patients **smile** and free from pain!