



**WSDA OUTREACH**  
**(DENTAL CARE ACCESS PROGRAM FOR SENIORS & DISABLED)**

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WSDA Outreach is a reduced fee dental care program for low-income elderly, disabled, and Alzheimer's patients. Dental services are provided by volunteer members of the Washington State Dental Association, which developed the program in cooperation with the Washington State Dental Laboratory Association and the Area Agencies on Aging. The Washington Oral Health Foundation (WOHF) the foundation of the WSDA, manages the program.

The local office of Area Agencies on Aging (Aging and Long Term Care in Pierce County) determines the eligibility of senior and Alzheimer's patients. WOFH determines the eligibility for disabled persons. Doctors should refer interested patients to the appropriate agency to be enrolled.

When eligibility is approved, patients will be referred to the dentist or given a short list of participating dentists in their area. At the initial visit, patient will present their WSDA Outreach for to dental office staff.

**Treatment Programs**

After the initial visit, the dentist has the right of acceptance or refusal of patient. If the patient is accepted, there are no limitations to the types of dental care available under this program and the choice of treatment plans is at the discretion of the dentist and the patient.

**Cost of Service**

Participating dentists reduce their usual and customary fees by at least 25 percent for patient meeting the criteria for this program. Payment for services by the patient customarily will be at the time of treatment, although alternative financial arrangements are subject to mutual agreement between the dentist and patient. If laboratory work is indicated as part of the treatment program, dentist whenever possible will use Laboratory Association laboratories

Interested persons should call :

Senior Information and Assistance.

At Aging and Long Term Care

253-798-4600 or

1-800-562-0332

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(WSDA).

The WSDA selected Pierce County Aging and Long Term Care as its referral agency.

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