

## **Infant & Child Dental Referral**

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Today's Date:	
Child's Name:	
Child's Birth Month/Year:	_
Referred by:	
Office phone:	_
Please check one:	
☐ Physician ☐ Lactation Specialist	
☐ Dentist ☐ Teacher / Daycare	
□ Nurse □ Other:	

### Please select at least one:

- ☐ This child needs a dental home for regular checkups.
- ☐ This child is being referred for a specific issue:

Notes:

### First Tooth = First Dental Visit

Call to schedule an infant /child dentist visit

Doctors and dentists recommend you take your baby to the dentist before their first birthday.

Baby teeth are important!

- Baby teeth help your child to chew, speak, and smile
- Cavities on baby teeth can be painful
- Cavities on baby teeth can transfer to permanent teeth

Give your child a great start to a lifetime of healthy teeth by making that first appointment!

### At the first check-up, the dentist will:

- Check your child for cavities or problems
- Show you how to clean your baby's teeth
- Discuss how sharing germs can cause cavities
- Discuss how your choices about sugar affect cavities
- Talk about nursing and other infant issues

# Cavities on baby teeth can grow quickly!



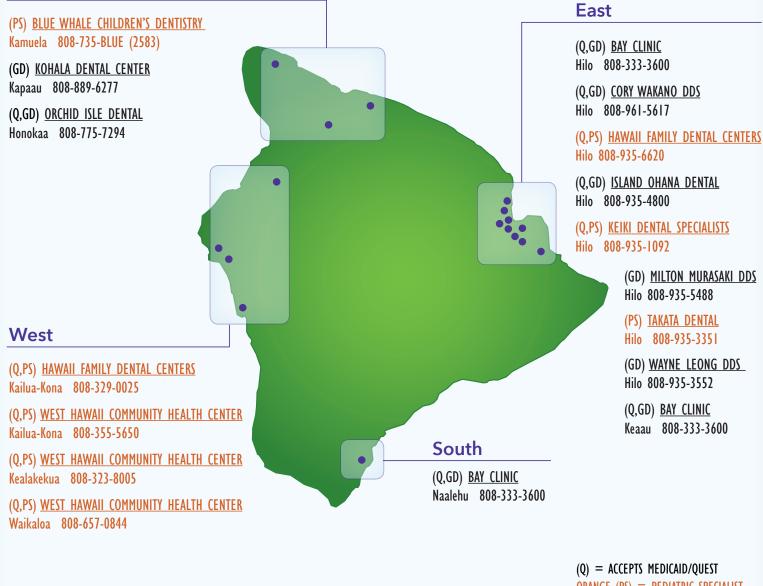
To find a dentist, see map on back





# HDS Participating Dentists Seeing Infants in Hawaii County

#### **North Hawaii**



### **Call Today!**

This is a list of HDS participating dentists who see babies.

Locations that accept Medicaid/QUEST are marked with (Q).

Or HDS Medicaid/CCMC can help you find a QUEST dentist. **1-888-792-1070**.

In addition to this list, many general dentists also see young children.

For a general/family dentist, visit our website to search for a dentist at HawaiiDentalService. com/findadentist, click the advance filter/"Treats Children Under Age 1" or call HDS Customer Service at Toll-Free 1-844-379-4325.



(Q) = ACCEPTS MEDICAID/QUEST

ORANGE (PS) = PEDIATRIC SPECIALIST

BLACK (GD) = GENERAL DENTIST