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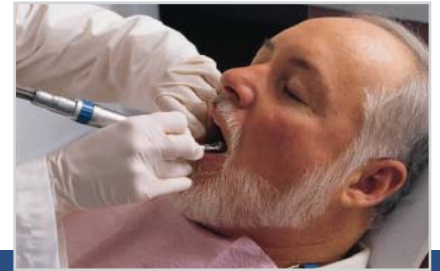
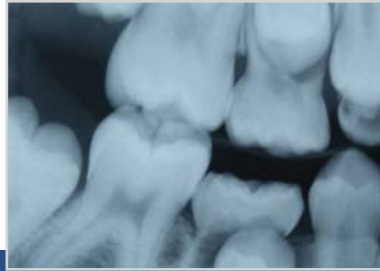
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Oral Health Services



For Home and Community Based Services/Frail Elderly Waiver (HCBS/FE)


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What is the new service?

Starting October 1, 2007, a new service has been approved through the Home and Community Based Services/Frail Elderly (HCBS/FE) waiver. The oral health services allow HCBS/FE recipients to receive needed dental care in Kansas. Kansas Medicaid does not currently provide dental care to seniors except a dental examination, x-ray and/or extraction in an emergency situation.

What will the service provide?

Oral health services offer preventive and restorative treatment and allow for the purchase, adjustment and repair of dentures for HCBS/FE recipients.

How is this service funded?

The service is funded through the HCBS/FE Waiver using Medicaid Federal Funds and state match.

Are there fees involved for the HCBS/FE customer?

There are no fees involved. The HCBS/FE program covers the cost of the required oral health services.

How can a senior participate in the oral health services?

The service will provide dental care for seniors who meet HCBS/FE qualifications:

- Age 65 years or older
- Choose HCBS/FE
- Meet Medicaid financial eligibility as determined by the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services (SRS)
- Meet functional eligibility as determined by targeted case manager for the HCBS FE program

Once eligible for HCBS/FE the senior is able to receive the covered dental services. To verify the customer is HCBS/FE eligible, the dental office staff will need to access the AVRS or KMAP website.