



I-Smile™

Clinton and Jackson Counties

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This has been a crazy few months...don't you agree? Your I-Smile™ program was pulled from direct services on March 9th...but we've been able to stay busy in the Community!

-We were able to support the kids in the community by having a **Lunch on I-Smile Day!** We passed out over 100 lunches to children in Camanche in less than 18 minutes! We served lunches, toothbrushes and activity kits! It was a blast, plus we had a special visit from Timmy the Tooth! *You may have also seen the Tooth Fairy passing out toothbrushes at school lunch programs around Clinton and Jackson County's!



-We've been able to partner with the local libraries to **support their summer reading programs!** We have made over 450 dental activity packets so far that include activity sheets, brushing tips, a toothbrush and a Tooth Fairy Wand making kit! Fun!

-Oral Health Assistance packets were made and distributed to all **Food Pantry's** in our area too! We included an I-Smile™ contact sheet and Oral Health Tips along with a toothbrush to promote a Healthy You during the pandemic!

Let's Talk Teens! I-Smile™ put together a 'I-Stop Shop' resource page for teens and emailed them to school nurses for distribution. This sheet included information on where to go for free pregnancy tests, stress/suicidal assistance, smoking cessation and more! We also put out a request for personal hygiene supply donations for the high school "closets" and

received enough donations for each high school to get a bag of goodies!



Other projects we are working on include: Classroom Incentives for our preschools, Drive Thru Resource Fairs to connect with families and providing information and assistance to our local Foster Parents. We love helping the families in our communities!

Oral Health Prevention Primer

For Health Care Providers

The American Academy of Pediatrics is pleased to announce publication of the [Oral Health Prevention Primer](#), an interactive online resource for pediatricians and providers who want to do more to address the oral health needs of children.

Pediatricians and other non-dental professionals play a vital role in promoting children's oral health and preventing unnecessary disease. The AAP [Oral Health Prevention Primer](#) will help providers working with children to understand the roles of various oral health allies, how they can collaborate, ways to provide oral health services, and how to advocate to achieve optimal oral health for their community with the goal of preventing dental disease before it starts.

Prevent COVID-19!



Do the 5!

- ***Hands** -Wash Them Often!
- ***Elbow** – Cough Into It!
- ***Face** – Don't Touch It!
- ***Space** – Keep Safe Distance!
- ***Home** – Stay In If You Can!



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Hawki Updates

Hawki continues to provide full health and dental benefits to working families that make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but income is below 302% Federal Poverty Level (FPL).

Did you know, Hawki also has “dental only” coverage? This is also available for children with private insurance as a secondary coverage!

For more information or for Hawki outreach materials for your office, contact Hawki

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