Our mission is to provide accessible, compassionate and effective dental care to Puget Sound children in need.

No child turned away due to inability to pay!!!
While reflecting on the many accomplishments at Lindquist Dental Clinic for Children in 2017, immediately a theme came to mind...**BIGGER, BETTER & BRIGHTER**! Through our 4 clinics located in Parkland, Gig Harbor, South Tacoma and Bremerton and through our community and school based outreach programs LDCC was...

**BIGGER** – we had some BIG accomplishments, we...

- **expanded** our breadth of service from providing accessible, compassionate and effective dental care for children 0-18, to now being able to provide that same great care to the BIGGER youth too! We are very excited that we **now are able to provide care to children & youth ages 0-20**! This is truly a BIG deal. Many of these youth were simply falling through the cracks and unable to receive the dental care they needed and deserved. LDCC now offers them a dental home regardless of ability to pay!

- **provided** our BIGGEST amount of charity care in 2017 [please forgive the grammar, but “largest” doesn’t hold true to the theme 😊]. Agency-wide we provided approximately $602,334 in charity care to children and youth in need! That’s a BIG impact!

**BETTER** – at LDCC we continually strive to BETTER serve our patients. In 2017 we...

- **increased** our bi-lingual employees to include Ukrainian, Russian and Arabic. We now have bi-lingual staff that speak, Spanish, Tagalog, Vietnamese, French, Ukrainian, Russian, Arabic and Farsi! It truly is **BETTER** to be able to BETTER communicate with patient families with our own staff!

- **hired** Dental Hygienists at clinics enabling LDCC to expand our capacity to serve and provide BETTER efficiencies. Being able to see more patients, decreasing wait times and assisting our dentists is definitely BETTER!

**BRIGHTER** – In 2017 LDCC provided even more BRIGHT and healthy smiles, we …

- **served** 3,268 new children. Providing with a dental home and a BRIGHT new smile.

- **increased** the number of patient visits to 42,558 companywide, which reflects a 5.6% increase in clinical visits; the most visits LDCC has provided in a single year. Think of all those BRIGHT & healthy smiles!

It is only with the help of ALL of you; our community partners, donors, patients, staff and volunteers that LDCC was **BIGGER, BETTER & BRIGHTER** in 2017!

On behalf of our staff, Board of Directors and the Puget Sound children in need we serve, it is with sincere gratitude we THANK YOU!

Carolyn Weyrick
President and CEO

Julie Peterson Hersey
President and CEO
Creating Healthy Smiles

At LDCC our goal is to provide every patient and family with quality dental care and a positive dental experience.

“I have been bringing my children to Lindquist Dental Clinic for about 5 years now. The staff is so polite and helpful and very professional. My kids enjoy going to the dentist since they have been going to Lindquist.”

“I've come to Lindquist since I was a kid and loved it. Now my daughter goes and she loves it, most comfortable dental office I've ever been to. Staff is nice and listen to needs, atmosphere feels like you're with family getting the best care! Makes a trip to the dentist a breeze!”

“My girls always look forward to going to the dentist. They always have a pleasant experience. The staff are always friendly and greet the girls with smiles. My special needs child gets very excited when going here. They have been going here since a very young age. Awesome Staff. Lindquist Offices Rock!"

“Everyone that works here is consistently pleasant and Nice! Everytime, I have never had a bad experience. They are wonderful with kids, the Dr is amazing and extremely nice.”

Now serving youth through age 20!!!
We provided 42,558 dental visits to 21,498 Puget Sound Children in need!

LDCC accepts DSHS and most private insurances and offers a sliding fee scale to those that qualify. No child turned away due to inability to pay!!!

Did you know?
In support of our troops, there are no out-of-pocket costs for covered dental services for children with TriCare Dental, based on family size and income.

African American 6.8%
White 47.6%
Children in Military Families 15%
Foster Children 5%
Children with Disabilities 5%

Low Income Families 93%
Utilizing WA Apple Health (Medicaid) 89%

Age
0-5 Years Old 17%
6-10 Years Old 49%
11-15 Years Old 25%
16-20 Years Old 9%

White 43%
Multi-Racial 29%
Hispanic 10%
Asian/Pacific Islander 9%
African American 7%
Other/Unknown 1%
Native Am/Alaskan 1%

Utilizing WA Apple Health (Medicaid)
Total Revenue: $4,653,595

Total Expenses: $4,672,874
Thank you to our 2017 donors and partners

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Please consider a donation of a healthy and happy smile at www.lindqustdental.org today!

Four locations around Puget Sound

**Parkland Clinic**
130 131st Street South, Tacoma, WA 98444  
*Dental Outreach Program and Administrative Services*

**South Tacoma Clinic**
3875 South 66th Street, Tacoma, WA 98409  
*Inside the Donald G. Topping Regional Hope Center*

**Gig Harbor/Peninsula Clinic**
8502 Skansie Avenue, Gig Harbor, WA 98332  
*Inside the Jim & Carolyn Milgard Family Hope Center*

**Bremerton Clinic**
3102 Wheaton Way, Suite B, Bremerton, WA 98310  
*At the former site of East Bremerton High School*

**Convenient Local Numbers**
253-539-7445 or 360-377-0559