

Denver Health Oral Health Initiative March 7, 2013

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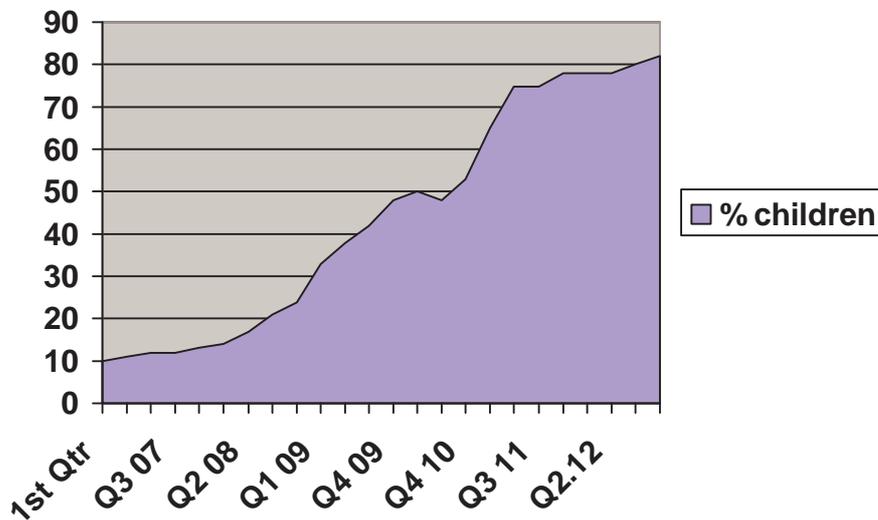
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Processes of Change

- a. Engage leadership
 - a. Support of Paul Melinkovich, David Brody and other leaders
- b. Make priority for agency
- c. Engage providers
 - a. Identify dental champion(s)
 - b. Invest in time to educate medical providers regarding importance of oral health
 - c. Cavity Free at Three training for all staff
 - i. Caries risk assessment
 - ii. Oral health education
 - iii. Fluoride varnish application
 - iv. Caregiver goal setting
 - v. Dental referrals
 - d. Develop process/procedures regarding delivery of care by all team members
 - e. Modify 'tools' to incorporate care
 - i. EMR
 - ii. Billing
 - iii. space
- d. Change provider behaviors
 - a. Practice coaching to promote adoption of care
 - b. Work to overcome barriers
 - c. Develop metrics to motivate change and track progress
 - d. Reward
- e. Evaluate progress
 - a. Plan/Do/Study/Act
 - b. Rapid Improvement Events
 - c. Utilize own strategies
- f. Motivate
 - a. Show team progress
 - b. Track dental visits
 - c. Monitor caries
 - d. Quality Improvement activities
 - i. AAP EQIPP for MOC
 1. website: <http://bit.ly/eqipp-oral-health>

Percent Denver Health Children 12-36 months of age with Dental Visit or Fluoride Varnish



Oral Health

% CHP children with fluoride varnish at Well Child visit 3/3/13

Review Criterion: If the child had at least 1 WCC within the last 12 months, and was between the age of 12 to 72 months at the time of visit, has the child had at least 1 fluoride application in primary care?

Numerator: Number of eligible children who received at least one fluoride varnish application (D1206) in primary care.

Denominator: Any child with at least one WCC visit within the last 12 months, and age at visit 12 - 72 months.

				Fluoride application in primary care (ever)	Fluoride application in primary care (last 12 months)
Primary payer (at last WCC in previous 12 mos)	CHP + COLO ACCESS	334	Count % within pyr	209 63%	128 38%
	DHMP CHP +	556	Count % within pyr	349 63%	196 35%
	CHP+ KAISER	1	Count % within pyr	0 0%	0 0%
Total		891	Count % within total	558 63%	324 36%