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Department of Health Care Policy & Financing

Dental Health Care Program for Low-Income Seniors

This Department of Health Care Policy & Financing (HCPF) newsletter contains information and updates about the Colorado Dental Health Care Program for Low-Income Seniors (Senior Dental Program).

Program Overview

The [Colorado Dental Health Care Program for Low-Income Seniors](#) (Senior Dental Program) grants funds to agencies to provide low-cost dental care to low-income seniors, age 60 and over, who are not enrolled in Health First Colorado (Colorado's Medicaid program) and do not have private dental insurance. Grantees determine if a senior qualifies to receive services under the program.

Dental Advisory Committee

The next [Dental Advisory Committee](#) (DAC) meeting will be held Jan. 23, 2024, from 2 to 4 p.m. The DAC has requested a discussion of funding for the Senior Dental Program at this meeting. If any stakeholders would like to have an item added to the agenda, they may contact the HCPF. Please include what the agenda item would be and background information on why it needs to be discussed.

Two Seats Available on the Dental Advisory Committee

HCPF is seeking candidates to fill the following seats: An aging adult who is eligible for services under the Senior Dental Program and a consumer advocate for the aging adult population. If you, or anyone you know, would like to be part of this extremely important committee, please contact Chandra Vital at Chandra.vital@state.co.us with the subject: **Dental Advisory Committee Seat**.

FY2022-23 Program Audits

The FY2022-23 Senior Dental Program audits are currently underway. If you have questions or concerns about any audit information, you may contact Veronica Irizarry at Veronica.Irizarry@state.co.us.

Grantee Website

This is a reminder that all the information or training materials a grantee would need is on the [grantee website](#). This includes the Program Handbook, fee schedule, and much more. If you are not able to find information on the grantee website, you may contact Veronica Irizarry at Veronica.Irizarry@state.co.us.

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