

## **Topics**

- Dental care for individuals with developmental disabilities
- Dental coverage through Medicaid State Plan
- Dental services through the waiver
- Community resources

Cognitive COGNITIVE

Physical PHYSICAL

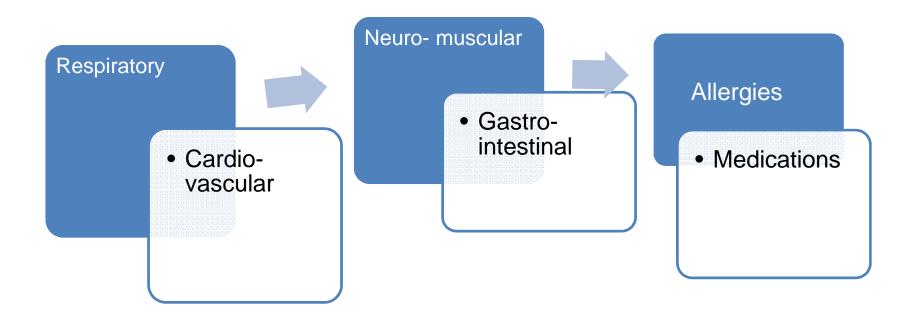
Behavior BEHAVIOR

Mobility MOBILITY

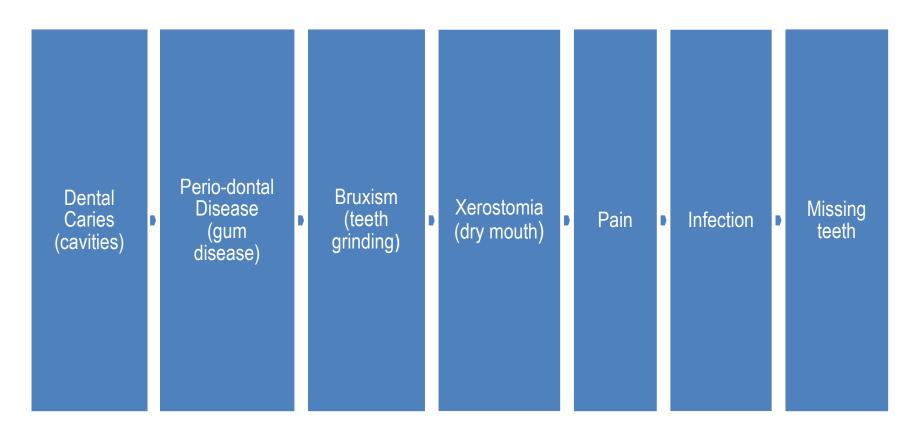
Visual VISUAL

Sensory SENSORY

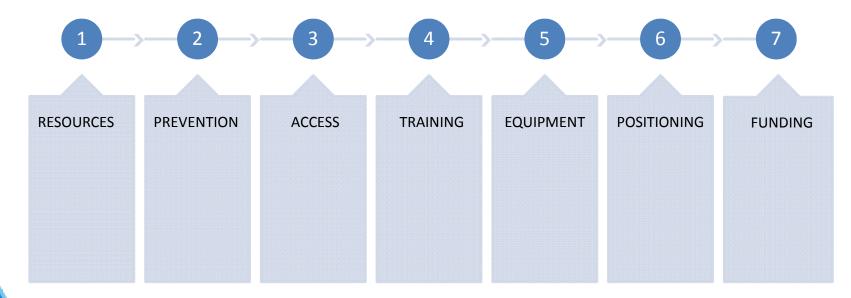
#### **Oral Care Challenges**



#### **Oral Health Problems**



#### **Strategies**



**Ages 0-20** 

Office Visits

Cleanings

Fluoride Applications

Sealants

Ages 0-20 (continued)

Space Maintainers

Orthodontics (limited)

Oral Exams (initial and every six months)

X-Rays

Ages 0-20 (continued)

Fillings and Crowns

**Root Canals** 

**Periodontal Services** 

Prosthodontics (Dentures)

Ages 0-20 (continued)

**Analgesia and Sedation** 

Injectable Medications

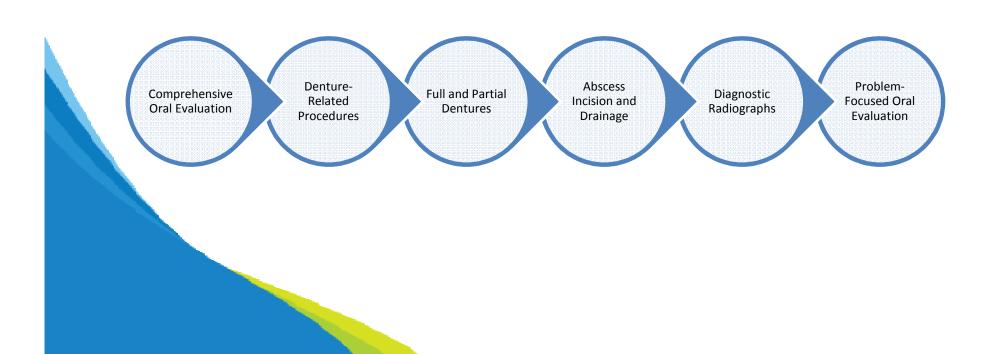
**Palliative Treatment** 

Hospitalization

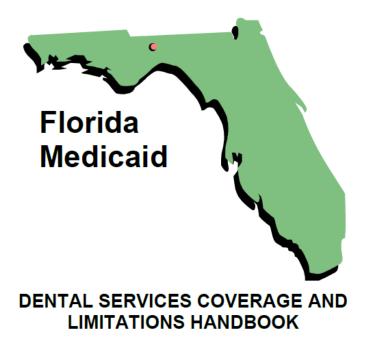
#### Age 21 and Older

Acute emergency dental procedures to alleviate pain or infection, dentures, and denture-related procedures

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## iBudget Waiver

- For individuals 21 and older
- Prevent or remedy dental problems that could compromise health by increasing the risk of infection or disease, reducing food options, or resulting in restrictive nutritional intake

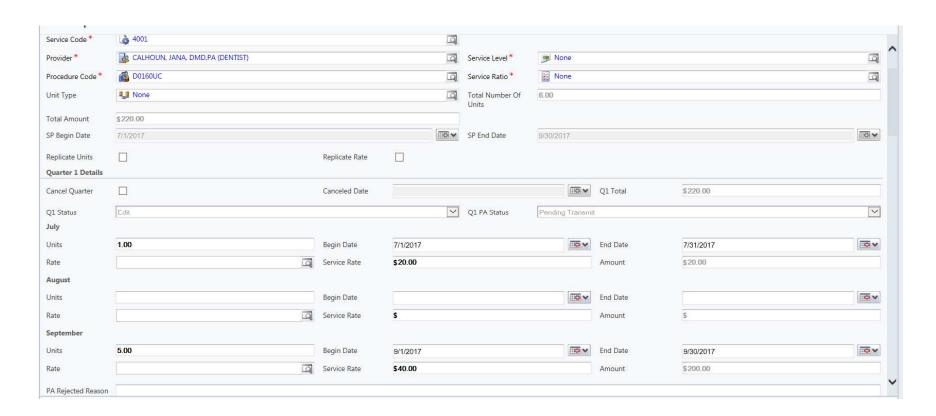
Look for unused funds from other services or discuss adjusting units in current approved services prior to requesting additional funds.

Cleanings limited to two per year

X-Rays

Itemize with cost for each procedure

#### **Spanning the Quarter Example**



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If a portion of the approved funds is in the first month of the quarter and a portion in the last month of the quarter, the consumer can receive dental services any time during that quarter without adjusting the plan if the appointment is changed.

# Resources – ARC of Florida Dental Program

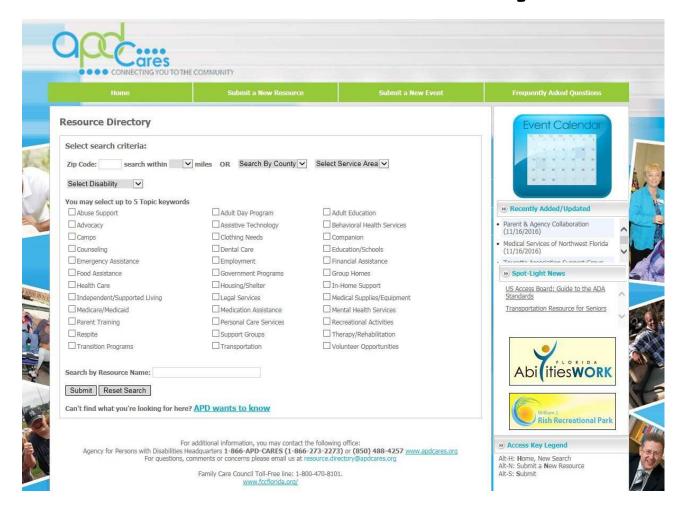
Helps APD customers on iBudget Waiver, CDC+, and waiting list

Individuals must use waiver funds first

Prioritizes individuals with critical dental needs

ARC of Florida has a dental network of providers

## **APD Resource Directory**

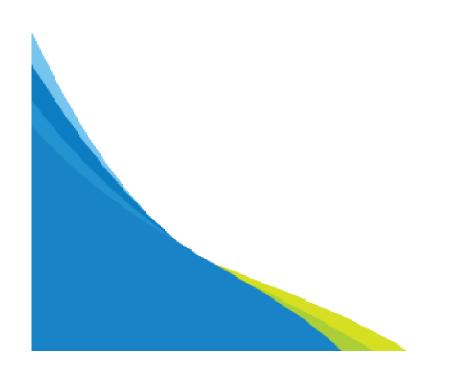


http://resourcedirectory.apd.myflorida.com/resourcedirectory/

## The Florida Navigator – Your Map to Access State Services

- Online tool designed to empower and inform individuals with developmental disabilities, caregivers, and professionals about specific state of Florida services.
- The goal is to better streamline the search for state services.

## Question/Answers



## Thank you!

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