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### **Oral Health in Infants and Children March 2003**

This publication is a compilation of professional and consumer level materials related to oral health for infants and children. Materials selected provide information on the most common oral health related issues for infant and children; contain accurate nutrition information; and are available nationwide. Opinions expressed in the publication do not necessarily reflect the views of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

The resources are in a variety of information formats including articles, pamphlets, books and full-text materials on the World Wide Web. Contact information is provided for Web sites and organizations. Materials cannot be purchased from the National Agricultural Library. Please contact the publisher/producer if you wish to purchase any materials on this list. This resource list is available from the WIC World Resource System at <http://www.nal.usda.gov/wicworks/Topics/index.html>.

Each item has been placed in one or more of the following categories, alphabetically by title. The categories are:

- I. Campaigns and Initiatives
- II. Pamphlets, Brochures, Fact Sheets, etc.
- III. Policies, Guidance, Reports and Studies
- IV. Sites for Kids
- V. National Contacts

## **I. CAMPAIGNS AND INITIATIVES**

### **Bright Future's in Practice: Oral Health**

National Center for Education in Maternal and Child Health  
Georgetown University

Web site: <http://www.brightfutures.org/oralhealth/pdf/index.html>

### **Good Oral Health Begins in the Womb**

American Dental Association

Web site: <http://www.ada.org/public/media/newsrel/0202/nr-01.html>

### **Milk Matters for Your Child's Healthy Mouth**

National Oral Health Information Clearinghouse, National Institutes of Health (NIH)

Web site: <http://www.nichd.nih.gov/milk/book0188/index.htm>

### **National Children's Dental Health Month (NCDHM)**

American Dental Association

Web site: <http://www.ada.org/public/topics/ncdhm/index.html>

### **National Maternal and Child Oral Health Resource Center**

National Maternal and Child Oral Health Resource Center (OHRC)

Web site: [www.mchoralhealth.org](http://www.mchoralhealth.org)

### **Oral Health for Children and Adults with Special Needs**

About Smiles, Inc.

Web site: <http://www.aboutsmiles.org/special.htm>

### **Preventing Dental Caries**

Division of Oral Health, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Web site: [http://www.cdc.gov/OralHealth/factsheets/dental\\_caries.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/OralHealth/factsheets/dental_caries.htm)

### **Washington State Department of Health - Oral Health**

Washington State Department of Health

Web site: <http://www.doh.wa.gov/cfh/oralhealth>

### **Watch Your Mouth Campaign**

FrameWorks Institute and Washington Dental Service

Web site: <http://www.kidsoralhealth.org/>

### **WIC Lesson Plans and Display Boards**

Maryland Department of Health & Mental Hygiene, Family Health Administration

Web site: <http://www.fha.state.md.us/oralhealth/html/wicplan.html>

## **II. PAMPHLETS, BROCHURES, FACT SHEETS, ETC.**

### **Brush Up on Healthy Teeth**

Division of Oral Health, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Web site: <http://www.cdc.gov/OralHealth/factsheets/brushup.htm>

Spanish version: <http://www.cdc.gov/spanish/dental/index.htm>

**Quiz for parents:** <http://www.cdc.gov/OralHealth/factsheets/brushup-quiz.htm>

**Tip Sheet (PDF):** <http://www.cdc.gov/OralHealth/pdfs/BrushUpTips.pdf>

**Poster (PDF):** <http://www.cdc.gov/OralHealth/pdfs/BrushUpPoster.pdf>

### **Child Oral Health Fact Sheet**

The American Dental Hygienists' Association

Web site: <http://www.adha.org/oralhealth/children.htm>

### **Early Childhood Tooth Decay (Baby Bottle Tooth Decay)**

American Dental Association

Web site: <http://www.ada.org/public/faq/bottle.html>

### **A Healthy Mouth for Your Baby**

National Oral Health Information Clearinghouse, NIH

Web site: <http://www.nidcr.nih.gov/health/pubs/hmouth/main.htm>

Spanish version: <http://www.nidcr.nih.gov/health/espanol/main.htm>

### **National Maternal and Child Oral Health Resource Center**

Homelessness and Oral Health

<http://www.mchoralhealth.org/PDFs/OHHHomelessfactsheet.pdf>

Oral Disease: A Crisis Among Children of Poverty

<http://www.mchoralhealth.org/PDFs/ohcrisis598.pdf>

Promoting Awareness, Preventing Pain: Facts on Early Childhood Caries (ECC)

[http://www.mchoralhealth.org/PDFs/OHPrvnt\\_fctsht9\\_00.pdf](http://www.mchoralhealth.org/PDFs/OHPrvnt_fctsht9_00.pdf)

Trends in Children's Oral Health

<http://www.mchoralhealth.org/PDFs/OHTrendsfactsheet.pdf>

### **Prevention of Early Childhood Caries (ECC)**

Alabama Department of Public Health

Web site: [http://www.nal.usda.gov/wicworks/Sharing\\_Center/index.html](http://www.nal.usda.gov/wicworks/Sharing_Center/index.html)

### **Seal Out Dental Decay**

National Oral Health Information Clearinghouse, NIH

Web site: <http://www.nidcr.nih.gov/health/pubs/sealants/main.htm>

Spanish Version: <http://www.nidcr.nih.gov/health/espanol/selle.asp>

### **Snack Smart for Healthy Teeth**

National Oral Health Information Clearinghouse, NIH

Web site: <http://www.nidcr.nih.gov/health/pubs/snacksmrt/main.htm>

Spanish version: <http://www.nidcr.nih.gov/health/espanol/sanas.htm>

### **Tips for Children**

Hispanic Dental Association

Web site: [http://www.hdassoc.org/site/epage/8384\\_351.htm](http://www.hdassoc.org/site/epage/8384_351.htm)

Spanish version: [http://www.hdassoc.org/site/epage/8385\\_351.htm](http://www.hdassoc.org/site/epage/8385_351.htm)

### **What is Baby Bottle Tooth Decay?**

American Dental Association

Web site: <http://www.ada.org/public/media/minute/DMVol12/dm-toothdecay.html>

## **III. POLICIES, GUIDANCE, REPORTS AND STUDIES**

### **Head Start Bulletin - Causes of Dental Cavities and the Role of Good Nutrition**

*National Head Start Bulletin*, Issue No. 71, May 2001.

Web site (article): [http://www.headstartinfo.org/publications/hsbulletin71/hsb71\\_06.htm](http://www.headstartinfo.org/publications/hsbulletin71/hsb71_06.htm)

Web site (issue): [http://www.headstartinfo.org/publications/hsbulletin71/cont\\_71.htm](http://www.headstartinfo.org/publications/hsbulletin71/cont_71.htm)

### **Journal of Public Health Dentistry**

*Journal of the American Association of Public Health*, Vol. 60, No. 2. Summer 2000.

Special Reprint pp. 193-232.

### **MCH Program Interchange: Focus on Oral Health**

National Maternal and Child Oral Health Resource Center (OHRC)

Web site: <http://www.mchoralhealth.org/pubs1.html#MCHInterchange>

### **Oral Health in America: A Report of the Surgeon General**

Office of the Surgeon General

Web site: <http://www.surgeongeneral.gov/library/oralhealth/default.htm>

### **Oral Health and Nutrition – Position of ADA**

American Dietetic Association

*Journal of the American Dietetic Association*, 96:184-189. 1996.

Web site: <http://www.eatright.com/aoral.html>

### **Surgeon General's Conference on Children and Oral Health**

Office of the Surgeon General

Web site: <http://www.nidr.nih.gov/sgr/children/children.htm>

Abstracts: <http://www.nidr.nih.gov/sgr/children/abstracts.htm>

Updates to report: <http://www.nidcr.nih.gov/sgr/oralhealth.asp>

### **The Use and Misuse of Fruit Juice in Pediatrics**

American Academy of Pediatrics

Web site: <http://www.aap.org/policy/re0047.html>

#### **IV. SITES FOR KIDS**

##### **Kid's Corner**

American Dental Association

Kid's Corner: <http://www.ada.org/public/topics/kids/index.html>.

##### **Kid's Stuff**

American Dental Hygienists' Association

Web site: <http://www.adha.org/kidstuff/facts.htm>

##### **Milk Matters Coloring Book**

National Oral Health Information Clearinghouse, NIH

Web site: <http://www.nichd.nih.gov/milk/book0115/index.htm>

#### **V. NATIONAL CONTACTS**

##### **American Academy of Pediatrics**

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Elk Grove Village, IL 60007-1098  
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Chicago, IL 60611-2663  
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Web site: <http://www.aapd.org/>

##### **American Association of Public Health Dentistry (AAPHD)**

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Web site: <http://www.aaphd.org/>

##### **American Dental Hygienists' Association (ADHA)**

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Web site: <http://www.adha.org>

**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**

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**Hispanic Dental Association**

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Web site: [http://www.hdassoc.org/site/epage/8138\\_351.htm](http://www.hdassoc.org/site/epage/8138_351.htm)

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