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This week we are celebrating Sippy's bday! Sippy is excited to start working with schools to teach children the importance of drinking water!

Follow Sippy on [Facebook](#) to stay updated!

## New Year Brings New Board Members

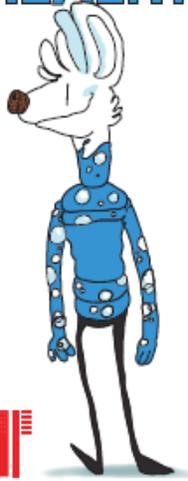
In December we said goodbye to three of our board members who completed their board terms, Bruce Bergstrom, Jo Clepper and John Fales. We appreciate your thoughtful leadership and dedicated service to Oral Health Kansas!

We would like to welcome four new board members to OHK:

*Frank Clepper-President, Amerigroup*



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## 2018 Kansas Mission of Mercy

On February 9-10, the Kansas Mission of Mercy will be held in Hutchinson. Doors open at 4:30 am and is first come first served.

Please share the [KMOM flyer](#) and [KMOM flyer in Spanish](#).



Kansas Mission of Mercy  
*Making a Difference*

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## Sugary Drink Display

Our sugary drink display is a perfect example to share with your family why it's important to watch what you drink! The sugary drink display has 10 popular beverages and shows how much sugar is in each. We also include some of our [Tips](#)

Alex Martinez-Community Health Worker,  
Score 1 for Health



Nick Rogers-DDS,  
Rogers Family Dentistry



Lissa Staley-Health Information Librarian,  
Topeka and Shawnee County  
Public Library



Their experience and expertise will be invaluable to OHK!

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[and Tricks](#) fact sheets and brush your teeth mirror clings! The display is free to use for up to a month, and we reimburse postage!



Send your reservation request ahead of time to ensure you will have one on hold! [Email us!](#)



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## It's Not Goodbye... It's See You Around!



Marcia Manter has been a part of Oral Health Kansas (OHK) since before its incorporation in 2003. She played a role along with other stakeholders recognizing the need to have an oral health coalition in Kansas. She then became the Community Development Specialist for OHK providing consultation, numerous presentations and workshops that address oral health.

With a new year comes new beginnings for Marcia. Her role will shift from OHK employee to oral health advocate. As we all know, she is very involved in her community and her time will be devoted to Voter Engagement through League of Women Voter Johnson County and active participation in other state and community organizations that are committed to a vibrant democracy for all Americans.

Oral Health Kansas would not be what it is today without Marcia, and we are grateful to her for all of her years of service. We also look forward to working with her in her new capacity as a

volunteer.

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