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KanCare Forum

There will be a KanCare Forum November 3 to discuss the opportunity of KanCare coverage expansion in Kansas. Seating is limited so you must sign up by October 27. Find out [more information!](#)

Kansas Kids Count

Kansas Action for Children published the 2015 Kansas Kids Count. Take a look at the [report](#) for Kansas using various health, education and economic indicators and also check out data information for your county.

22 Days!



OHK staff is gearing up for the Oral Health Kansas Annual Conference November 12-14! We've had lots of excitement from folks calling and asking questions.

We still have spots open for registrations. Make sure you [sign up!](#) Students are welcome for both Friday and Saturday sessions. Please make sure they sign up for which day they want to attend!

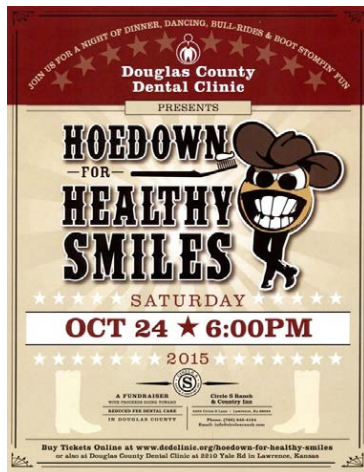
A reminder if you are [reserving](#) a hotel room, the OHK block room rate expires October 29! The Crowne Plaza Overland Park is located at 12601 West 95th St Lenexa, KS 66215.



Boot Stompin' Fun

If you're in the Lawrence, Kansas area this weekend, attend the Douglas County Dental Clinic fundraiser: Hoedown for Healthy Smiles. Proceeds will go to reduced fee dental care.

For more information: [Douglas County Dental Clinic](#)



Candy Corner

With Halloween coming up, we are reminded of all the treats your children will find in their treat bags. You might be tempted



We still have a few exhibitor spots open if you are interested in [reserving](#) a spot for your organization!

For more information, view our [website](#) or email us at info@oralhealthkansas.org.

Women vs Men

Women or men? The question is...who has better teeth. We all want to raise our hands and hope its us.

Studies show women smile more and show their teeth more when they smile. Women smile 62 times a day and men only smile 8 times a day. Studies have shown women have more cavities than men but overall better dental health. They attend routine exams instead of waiting until there is a problem.

Women experience various life changes harmful to their teeth. As women age, its important for you to continue routine check ups. With hormone level changes you are more susceptible to dental disease. During pregnancy, you may also have more dental issues. Morning sickness can cause erosion to the enamel. Cravings will have you in your cabinet searching for sweets. Remember to eat healthy snacks, such as cheeses, nuts and veggies. What you eat and drink, your baby is also consuming so you want to choose healthy!

yourself to keep them. Here are some simple tricks to remember when going through your child's bag, to keep your teeth healthy and your child's. If you want to pass out non candy items, here are some fun treats.



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Drink Display

Our sugary drink display is shipping out faster than we can keep it! You also might see our display at various events and conferences we attend. Feel free to ask staff about it if you see us!

The sugary drink display comes with 10 beverages and jars to show how many teaspoons of sugar is in each beverage. We also include handouts with healthy eating habits, soft drinks and cavities for example.

Our slots in November and December are filling up! Remember this is a fun way to show families how much sugar is in popular beverages. You can also reserve the display for your organization to show your staff or for a presentation!

The sugary drink display is free. We reimburse your shipping costs! [Email](#) us for more information!



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