



ORAL HEALTH FACTS	
Dentists	3
Medicaid Dentists	*
Specialty Dentists	0
Registered Dental Hygienists	3
Extended Care Permit Dental Hygienists	ECP I - 1
Safety Net Clinic(s)	No
Navigators	No
Children (School Aged) with Sealants	30.84
Children with Treated Decay	24.61
Children with Untreated Decay	16.14

^{*} Current, unduplicated data is not available from state sources

Emergency Room: A Costly Destination



13,060

People in the South Central region of the state visited emergency rooms with dental pain in 2015 and received only pain medication or antibiotics.

104.25%

More people with dental pain made emergency room visits in this region from 2012 to 2015.

Fluoridation: Greatest Public Health Achievement



38%

of the Rice County residents have access to fluoridated water through a public water supply.