

## Guidelines for School Resource Dentists

- 1) Establish a working relationship with the school superintendent, school board, school administration, school principals on all matters pertaining to the provision of oral health education and prevention programs for grades K-12.
- 2) Enlist volunteer dental team members to provide oral health education and prevention programs in schools in cooperation with administrative staff, school nurses and the local county public health department.
- 3) Conduct oral health education and prevention courses for school administration, school nurses and classroom teachers and aides.
- 4) Provide information to school administration and nurses on referring students in need of dental care to a dental home, PDC program or affiliate and/or enrollment in Kids Care/Healthy Kids program.
- 5) Assist classroom teachers in utilization of the FDA's oral health education and prevention FCAT practice materials, when applicable.
- 6) Seek appointment to the school district's School Health Advisory Council (SHAC).