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New Patient Information

Welcome to the Riggs Community Health Center. We are pleased you are considering us for your dental care.

We currently are accepting new dental patients—however, we have limited space for adding new patients.

New dental patients are accepted every other Monday afternoon at 3:00pm.

Once all our new patient appointments slots have been filled, any patients who still wish to become new patients are advised to contact us on the next new patient scheduling day.

Adults are allowed to schedule new patient appointments for **themselves only**. They cannot schedule appointments for spouses or significant others.

Parents/Guardians may schedule appointments for their children, but are limited to two appointments per household.

We provide the following dental services:

- comprehensive and emergency exams
- routine cleanings and deep scaling
- extractions

- digital x-rays
- restorations ("fillings")

Please note, if you have any dental needs that are beyond our services, we will be happy to refer you to the appropriate provider for any treatment you may require or request.

For self-pay patients, we offer discounted fees based on income. To be considered for our sliding scale fees, please bring **at least one** of the following on the day of your initial appointment:

- proof of monthly income (four most recent paycheck stubs, most recent tax return)
- Social Security statement
- documentation of unemployment or disability status

If you do not receive any income, please provide a letter of financial support and a wage inquiry report (wage inquiry reports can be obtained from Work One)

If you receive Medicaid, please bring your Medicaid card or other proof of active Medicaid status. Please remember, there are limitations on the dental services Medicaid covers, and there are certain Medicaid packages that do not include dental care.