



MAGIC TOOTH BUS SERVICES REPORT

**PREPARED FOR:
D10 HEALTH FEST COMMITTEE**

**EVENT DATE:
OCTOBER 18, 2025**



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MAGIC TOOTH BUS (MTB), A 501(C)(3) NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION FOUNDED IN 2017, IS DEDICATED TO MAKING DENTAL CARE AND EDUCATION ACCESSIBLE TO LOW-INCOME COMMUNITIES IN SAN FRANCISCO. OUR MISSION IS DRIVEN BY THE BELIEF IN A WORLD FREE FROM DENTAL DISEASE, WHERE EVERY INDIVIDUAL HAS THE OPPORTUNITY TO MAINTAIN OPTIMAL ORAL HEALTH. AT THE HEART OF OUR WORK ARE THE CORE VALUES OF EQUITY, ACCESSIBILITY, AND COMMUNITY. ON OCTOBER 18, 2025, MAGIC TOOTH BUS PROUDLY PARTICIPATED IN THE D10 HEALTH FEST AT THE SOUTHEAST COMMUNITY CENTER. THIS EVENT IS A VIBRANT CELEBRATION OF HEALTH AND WELLNESS, AIMED AT FOSTERING A HEALTHIER COMMUNITY THROUGH EDUCATION AND RESOURCES.



MTB PROGRAMS TARGET HISTORICALLY UNDERSERVED AND LOW-INCOME CHILDREN, FAMILIES, AND HOMELESS POPULATIONS IN AFRICAN AMERICAN, PACIFIC ISLANDER, NATIVE AMERICAN, AND LATINX COMMUNITIES.

**LOW-INCOME & HOMELESS COMMUNITIES ARE DISPROPORTIONATELY PLAGUED BY DENTAL DISEASE DUE TO SYSTEMATIC HISTORICAL OPPRESSION.
OUR VALUE IN COMMUNITY-FOCUS ENSURES THAT WE HAVE A HOLISTIC CULTURALLY COMPETENT APPROACH TO OUR SERVICES.**

THE PURPOSE OF THIS COLLABORATION IS TO BRING ORAL HEALTH AWARENESS AND SERVICES TO THE COMMUNITY. THE GOAL IS TO PROVIDE ORAL HEALTH SCREENINGS, HELP CONNECT INDIVIDUALS TO A DENTAL HOME, AND PROVIDE ORAL HEALTH RESOURCES.

THIS EVENT WAS MADE POSSIBLE BY SAN FRANCISCO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSIONS, SAN FRANCISCO POWER WATER SEWER AND SOUTHEAST COMMUNITY CENTER.



ORAL HEALTH SERVICES

OBJECTIVES

- FIND OUT IF PATIENTS HAVE A DENTAL HOME
- DISCOVER IF PATIENTS HAVE DENTAL INSURANCE
- IDENTIFY THE CHIEF COMPLAINT & IF URGENT CARE IS NEEDED
- PROVIDE DENTAL SCREENING TO INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE CONCERNS

SET-UP

- COMPLETE PPE
- RECEIVING AREA / SIGN-IN SHEET
- 2 DENTAL OPERATORY AREAS WITH THE DENTAL SUPPLIES & SCREENING FORMS
- 1 DENTIST / DMD FOR DENTAL SCREENING
- 1 RDHAP PROVIDER FOR DENTAL SCREENING
- 1 RDA/CDA FOR BREAKING DOWN, SETTING UP, AND CHARTING
- 2 VOLUNTEERS WITH LANGUAGE TRANSLATION
- 2 VOLUNTEERS FOR OUTREACH AND PROMOTION
- 2 VOLUNTEERS FOR DATA ENTRY
- 2 ADMIN FOR CHECK IN/ CHECK OUT AND COORDINATE REFERRALS
- DENTAL KIT (TOOTHBRUSH, TOOTHPASTE & FLOSS) TO GIVE AWAY
- DENTAL EDUCATIONAL WORKSHEET, PENCIL AND TOYS FOR GIVEAWAYS



EVENT INFORMATION

TARGET NUMBER OF PATIENTS: 30

33
ADULT
PATIENTS

44
PATIENTS
SEEN

11
MINOR
PATIENTS

PATIENT'S REASON FOR VISITING MTB

- 97 INDIVIDUAL SIGN UPS TO GATHER RESOURCES ONLY
- NEEDED CONSULTATION OR SECOND OPINIONS
- PATIENT HASN'T SEEN A DENTIST
- ROUTINE CHECK UP AND CLEANING NEEDED
- PATIENT LAST SEEN A DENTIST OVER A YEAR AGO
- DISCOMFORT OR PAIN
- TO FAMILIARIZE ONESELF WITH A DENTAL PROVIDER

SERVICES PROVIDED

SCREENING WAS PROVIDED TO ALL PATIENTS WITH CONSENT FORMS IN ADDITION TO:

- FLOURIDE VARNISH APPLICATION
- SERVICES AND DENTAL HOME REFERRALS
- INSURANCE RESOURCES
- ORAL HEALTH CARE KIT AND OTHER TOOLS



PATIENT DEMOGRAPHICS

27

IDENTIFIED
AS FEMALE

3

DID NOT
WANT TO
DISCLOSE

14

IDENTIFIED
AS MALE

RESIDENCY INFORMATION

21

RESIDE IN D10
BAYVIEW/
HUNTER'S POINT

7

RESIDE OUTSIDE
OF SAN
FRANCISCO OR
UNDISCLOSED

16

RESIDE WITHIN
SAN FRANCISCO
ranging from Mission
to Hayes Valley

INSURANCE INFORMATION

3

HAS PRIVATE
INSURANCE

17

HAS MEDI-CAL
FOR DENTAL
INSURANCE

24

HAS NO DENTAL
INSURANCE



OUTCOMES

44

TOTAL # OF
PATIENTS

3

REQUIRE
URGENT CARE

550

ORAL HYGIENE
DENTAL KITS
DISTRIBUTED

CARIES RISK ASSESSMENT

CARIES RISK ASSESSMENT IS A STANDARD METRIC USED
TO RATE A PATIENT'S CURRENT ORAL HEALTH STATUS.

- **LOW RISK:** PATIENT HAS LITTLE TO NO DECAY/HEALTHY
- **MODERATE RISK:** FURTHER DENTAL EVALUATION IS RECOMMENDED
- **HIGH RISK:** PATIENT IS AT RISK OF SEVERE TOOTH DECAY/URGENT CARE

EVENT BREAKDOWN





SERVICES BREAKDOWN

Service Item	Number of Entries	Production Cost
D0190 Screening	44	\$660.00
D1206 Topical application of fluoride varnish	27	\$1,566.00
D0601 - Caries risk assessment and documentation with a finding of low risk	7	\$0.00
D0602 - Caries risk assessment and documentation with a finding of moderate risk	34	\$0.00
D0603 - Caries risk assessment and documentation with a finding of high risk	3	\$0.00
D1330 - oral hygiene instruction	44	\$0.00
Total (Not including dental kits given away)	159	\$2,226.00



OTHER COSTS DETAILS

Service Item	Unit	Cost
Truck Driver & Set Up	1	\$1,400.00
Dental Provider	1	\$400.00
Dental Team	2	\$720.00
Meals and Transportation		(\$250.00)*
Dental Supplies	44	\$2,022.00
Dental Giveaways - donation	550	(\$1,650.00)*
Volunteers	3	(\$600.00)*
Total (Excluding donations)		\$4,542.00

*Costs but MTB was able to avail donations and not charged to Event Organizer



NEXT STEPS

MTB ACTION PLAN

COMPILE &
EVALUATE
DENTAL FORMS

FOLLOW-UP WITH PATIENTS
FOR STATUS UPDATE

MTB RETAINS
COPY OF DENTAL
FORMS

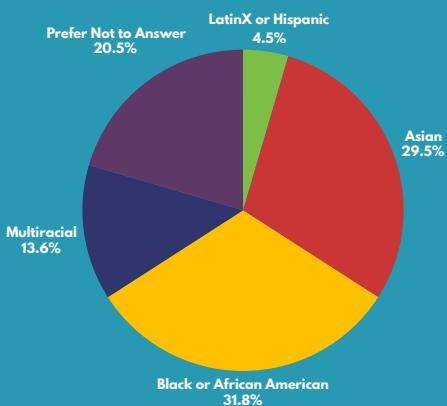
REFERRALS AND FOLLOW-UPS

- **3/44 patients needed urgent care**
- **Patients with Medi-Cal Dental were given the Medi-Cal List of Clinics created by SFDPH**
- **Patients with private insurance were encouraged to research In-Network dental offices via their plan provider resources**
- **Patients without dental insurance were given sliding scale clinic resources and/or Medi-Cal application resources**



PATIENT INFORMATION

RACE/ETHNICITY BREAKDOWN



OF PATIENTS WITHOUT A DENTAL HOME



COMPARISON TO LAST YEAR

2024 vs 2025

Patients	11 more patients were seen this year
Services	11% increase in fluoride varnish acceptance
Demographics	- 5% decrease in minor patients - 10% Increase in Asian and Black/ African patients and a 22% Decrease in Latin X
Oral Health	Increase in patients who are classified as Moderate risk for caries



PARENT & PATIENT GOALS

- TO HAVE A DENTAL HOME FOR REGULAR DENTAL VISITS (AT LEAST TWICE PER YEAR RECOMMENDED)
- TO HAVE A COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATION
- TO FAMILIARIZE IN A DENTAL CLINIC SETTING
- TO ALLEViate FEAR OF THE DENTIST
- TO ALLEViate PAIN
- TO HAVE SECOND OPINION
- TO MAINTAIN EXCELLENT ORAL HYGIENE PER OUR TEAM'S INSTRUCTIONS
- TO KNOW THE APPLICATION PROCESS FOR MEDI-CAL
- TO BETTER UNDERSTAND THEIR ORAL HEALTH

RECOMMENDATIONS & IMPROVEMENTS

Our team received an abundance of positive feedback from community members, volunteers, and providers regarding the success of the event. We are pleased to report that no patients were turned away. However, there were seven (7) individuals who, after completing their paperwork, chose to explore other resources while waiting to be called and ultimately did not return.

In response to last year's recommendations, we brought in a second provider, which allowed us to accommodate 14 additional patients. Despite this improvement, a few patients decided they no longer wished to be seen. We are committed to enhancing the experience for all participants and will continue to refine our processes to reduce wait times and improve satisfaction.



This impactful event was made possible through the generous support of the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission, along with San Francisco Power, Water, Sewer, and the Southeast Community Center. Their contributions were instrumental in creating an inclusive space where community members could access vital health services and information.

By participating in the D10 Health Fest, Magic Tooth Bus reinforced its commitment to breaking down barriers to dental care. The event served as a catalyst for improving community health literacy and accessibility to dental services. Participants left with a better understanding of oral health importance, access to free resources, and connections to ongoing dental care.

In summary, the collaboration between Magic Tooth Bus and the D10 Health Fest exemplifies the power of community partnerships in promoting wellness and equity. Together, we are paving the way for a healthier future, where oral health is a right, not a privilege.

