Delta Dental of Minnesota Foundation

About Us
Delta Dental of Minnesota Foundation is designed to support Delta Dental of Minnesota’s mission of improving and advancing oral health in Minnesota. Our organization supports initiatives that promote access to oral health and, in turn, improve the overall health and vitality of our community.

We Support the Following Initiatives:

Safety Net

Workforce Development

Prevention & Education

In 2015, Delta Dental of Minnesota Foundation and Community Benefits awarded over $9 million to 186 organizations in community contributions to support our mission.

The Foundation made a $4.6 million transformative grant to build the Delta Dental Oral Health Center at Hennepin County Medical Center, which will include expanded access to care, telehealth, and growth of HCMC’s dental residency program.

Awarded $800,000 of the total $2 million allocated in our student loan repayment for service program with new dentists in rural Minnesota, including Mora, Ely, Warroad and Benson. To learn more about the Dedicated to Minnesota Dentists program visit: dedicatedmndentists.org

Over the last 5 years, the Foundation granted:
• Over $1 million to the Minnesota Dental Foundation’s efforts including the Minnesota Mission of Mercy and Donated Dental Services, both offering free care to at-risk and underserved populations
• Nearly $5.7 million to the University of Minnesota School of Dentistry and its clinical outreach sites to increase access to care and enhance the education of new dental professionals

Community Benefits

$400,000 in corporate sponsorship and donations distributed to 127 organizations

32,000 toothbrushes distributed to underserved children

$477,000 in corporate grants to community-based organizations to improve oral health and access to dental care

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