

CHILDREN

SOCIAL DETERMINANTS

ADULTS

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16.8%
of kindergarten children have untreated tooth decay

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62.3%[^]
of adults have access to dental insurance

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21.0%*
of pregnant women have untreated tooth decay

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11,363+
children aged 6-14 years received sealants by Medicaid Dental Providers.

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92.5% of the population served by public water systems receive fluoridated water

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43.0%
of adults aged 18+ years have had permanent teeth extracted

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57.9%
of Medicaid eligible children & teens aged 1-20 years received preventive dental services

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3.5% of middle school students and
20.2% of high school students who currently use e-cigarettes

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15.7% of adults aged 65+ years had all of their permanent teeth extracted

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53.4% of Medicaid eligible children aged 1-2 years received preventive oral health services

11



15.8% of adults currently smoke cigarettes

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12.1%
of adults last visited a dentist 5 or more years ago

DATA SOURCE: 1 NC Calibrated Dental Assessment 2019-2020 • 2, 6, 9, 12 NC BRFSS 2018 • 3 NC Perinatal BSS 2016 • 4, 7, 10 CMS-416 NC Annual EPSDT Report 2019 • 5 CDC WFRS 2019 • 8 NC Youth Tobacco Survey 2019 • 11 NC BRFSS 2019 • * Convenience sample of pregnant women • ^ Regional differences may be reflective of privacy rules • ^ Results are weighted to population totals

