



PATIENT EDUCATION

Process

- Volunteers should arrive by 4:45 am or 11:30 am and be ready to work by 5:15 am or 12:00 pm for shift 1 and 2 respectively.
- A brief training/orientation for the first ½ hour of each shift will be provided by the Lead.
- Volunteers will train the patients in oral hygiene education including basics like brushing and flossing. Dangers of smoking and other topics would be valuable.
- Patient education can be one on one or in a group.

Patient Education volunteers will provide each patient with basic oral hygiene instruction. This should be accomplished within 7 to 10 minutes per patient. Patient Education needs to have 16 stations to maintain a steady flow of patients, if one on one. If education is completed in groups, assure there are a minimum of 4 stations with 4 patients per station. Please try to see 36 patients per shift at each individual station or 144 patients in each group station per shift.

PLEASE BE FLEXIBLE and THANK YOU for participating today.