

MCINTOSH TRAIL
COMMUNITY SERVICE BOARD

POLICY NO. 2117
PAGE 1 OF 1

SUBJECT: ORAL HEALTH CARE NEEDS,
DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

EFFECTIVE
DATE: 02-02-10 (replaces 04-01-05)

APPROVED BY:

Reviewed (no changes): _____

Executive Director

POLICY

It is the policy of McIntosh Trail CSB that consumers who receive Developmental Disabilities services have mechanisms designed to meet their oral health care needs.

PROCEDURE:

All day and residential services:

1. Encourage consumers to obtain annual oral health examination.
2. Will maintain a list of local dentists, for referral, upon request.
3. Will obtain and file an annual oral health exam report from the dentist/dental technician.

All 24-hour sites provide:

1. A method of referring consumers to private practitioners for regular dental care;
2. A method of providing emergency dental care through private practitioners;
3. Daily oral hygiene procedures, including cleaning of consumers' prostheses;
4. The proper labeling and storage of consumers' oral hygiene supplies and prostheses, as applicable.

REFERENCE: JCO TX