

SERVING THE YOUTH OF

CASS COUNTY



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GETTING COMFY AT CASS COUNTY DENTAL CLINIC

Madalyn Phillips knows how to make herself at home. She arrived at Cass County Dental Clinic with a bright blanket and fluffy stuffed animal, bringing both with her as she settled into the dentist's chair.

"The environment makes them comfortable. Everyone there is amazing in the way they talk to and treat the kids. They're always playing along," Madalyn's mom, Maegan, said.

Maegan's three children are all treated at Cass County Dental Clinic. She began scheduling appointments at the Belton clinic six years ago when she found that no one would treat her son Brier

Now, all three kids, Landon, Brier and Madalyn, make regular appointments at the Harrisonville clinic and look forward to the days Cass Community Health Foundation and the clinic visit their schools.

"Madalyn was so excited to get a new, pink toothbrush. She came home and said, 'I need to brush my teeth right now. They said to do it before bed and I don't want to forget.'"

Cass Community Health Foundation and its clinics have made going to the dentist a fun, warm experience. Along with thousands of other children in Cass County, the Phillips have found a home at Cass County Dental Clinic. Create a dental home for more children by making a gift at casscommunityhealth.org.

AN ANNIVERSARY TO REMEMBER

More than \$72,000 was raised for kids in Cass County at the 25th Annual 5K for Health. Every dollar will help patients at Cass County **Dental Clinic receive a smile they** deserve.

In 2018, more than 3,600 low-income children and teens were seen at the clinic, which is the first and only safety net dental clinic in Cass County, Missouri with locations in Belton and Harrisonville.

The \$72,000 raised at the 5K will help deliver treatment and care for kids who need it most.



SUPPORTING THE FUTURE OF **HEALTH CARE**

\$52,250 in scholarships 40 students from the **Cass County area**

The Foundation provides scholarships to seniors from Archie, Belton, Cass Midway, Drexel, Harrisonville, Pleasant Hill, Raymore-Peculiar, Sherwood Cass and Grandview High Schools interested in nursing or other health related degrees. Students should apply by March 1.

Sydney Morgan, Belton High School senior, is the recipient of the Daniel F. Sheehan Nursing Scholarship from Cass Community Health Foundation. Sydney will attend Missouri Southern State University in Joplin to study nursing.

"There is tremendous reward in helping someone live a longer and healthier life, and there is no better way to do that than to serve in the health field." -Sydney Morgan



MEET DR. GRIBBLE

Dr. Paige Gribble is the newest addition to our safety net dental clinic family. She's ready to improve Cass County smiles at both the Belton and Harrisonville locations of Cass County Dental Clinic.

Originally from Liberty, Missouri, Gribble graduated from the University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Dentistry. She has experience working with underserved children in the Kansas City area through pediatric dentistry and mobile dentistry in schools. Gribble is a member of the American Association of Women Dentists, Academy of General Dentistry, Missouri Dental Association and American Dental Association.

"I love the idea of shaping a dental patient and gaining their trust." - Dr. Paige Gribble

