

**Florida's Action for Dental
Health Initiatives include
expanding the outreach safety
net programs.**



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**Charitable arm of the FDA,
promoting dental health for all
Floridians.**



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***Florida Mission of Mercy
(FLA-MOM)***



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- **2014 *FLA-MOM* Tampa**
1,660 patients
- **2016 *FLA-MOM* Jacksonville (*see handout*)**
2,800 patients
- **2017 *FLA-MOM* Pensacola**
1,801 patients
- **2018 *FLA-MOM* Ft. Myers**
1,879 patients

**An estimated 7,500 people were
turned away at the Jacksonville
FLA-MOM!**



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- 3 of Florida's top 10 hospital EDs in patient visits with dental diagnoses in 2013 were in Jacksonville.
- 2013 – 5 Jacksonville hospital EDs
 - 8,539 visits
 - \$13,155,287 in charges
 - \$1,427 average visit/patient

Florida Mission of Mercy Impact Study 2016



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What is it?

- **An evaluation of a Mission of Mercy charitable dental outreach clinic based on scientific methods of data collection and analysis.**
- **It's about data, measurable outcomes and quantifying oral health outreach programs.**

***It's not what you know, it's what
you can prove.***

Steve Kess

**Vice President, Global Professional Relations
Henry Schein**



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