

Sec. 242.157. DENTAL EXAMINATION. (a) The department shall require that each resident of an institution or the resident 's custodian be asked at least once each year if the

resident desires a dental examination and possible treatment at the resident 's own expense.

(b) Each institution shall be encouraged to use all reasonable efforts to arrange for a dental examination for each resident who desires one.

(c) The institution is not liable for any costs relating to a dental examination under this section.

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