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Dear Institute for Oral Health Board of Directors,

As we proudly celebrate the two-year anniversary of a strong partnership between National Children's Oral Health Foundation: *America's Toothfairy* (NCOHF) and ADHA, we are excited to share the wonderful success that each ADHA Institute/NCOHF Toothfairy Grant recipient has achieved as an NCOHF Affiliate!

- **University of Missouri-Kansas City** received an NCOHF Toothfairy Product Donation Grant of \$8,000 to expand its *Miles of Smiles* pilot teledentistry program, delivering comprehensive preventive care to elementary schools throughout the community. Since the beginning of the 2009 school year, *Miles of Smiles* has successfully provided critical oral health services including prophylaxis, fluoride varnish, x-rays, sealants, and education to 155 children, 99 of whom had decay.
- **Central Community College** in Hastings, Nebraska received an additional \$13,500 in valuable products and funding through NCOHF for expansion of its SonRisa program, currently serving children ages 5-17, to provide dental hygiene services to children in Early Head Start, Head Start and WIC programs.
- **Owens Community College (OCC)** has partnered with the Boys and Girls Clubs of Toledo, Ohio to give a deserving at-risk teen complimentary restorative dental services through the NCOHF *Tomorrow's SMILES@* program. OCC is also working with the Boys and Girls Clubs to establish a Community Dental Health Outreach Project in which OCC student dental hygienists will teach oral hygiene and health promotion classes using Toothfairy Island® educational materials, available to all NCOHF Affiliates.
- **Lewis and Clark Community College (LCCC)** received an NCOHF Toothfairy Product Donation Grant valued at \$4,000 for its inaugural *Clean & Screen* Program that took place on July 18, 2009 at the LCCC campus. Students treated 62 children who traveled from 6 different Illinois counties and 14 different cities and towns. Approximately 150 people attended *The Smile Station* and received oral health education. The dental and medical services provided to children in need totaled approximately \$14,000.00, and included: radiographs, dental exams, cleanings, sealants, fluoride treatments, patient education and school physicals.
- **University of Tennessee Health Science Center** has received over \$2,000 in donated dental products to expand and enhance critical oral healthcare provided to more than 2,000 underserved children through mobile programs serving Memphis City Schools, Catholic Jubilee Schools and Shelby County Head Start in the Memphis area.

On behalf of the NCOHF Board and staff, we thank you and your constituents for an unwavering dedication to the prevention of pediatric dental disease and for your leadership participation in the success of our partnership.

Warm regards,

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