ILLINOIS CHAPTER
American Academy of Pediatrics



ORAL HEALTH

Quality Improvement Project

About the Project

In partnership with the AAP and IDPH, ICAAP will host a 5-month learning collaborative and quality improvement project focused on pediatric oral health. The goal of this project is to enhance pediatric primary care practices' capacity to improve pediatric oral health outcomes for children. Participants will learn strategies for medical-dental integration, and improve processes in assessing, identifying and referring high risk patients to prevent and treat adverse oral health outcomes using quality improvement tools.

Project Requirements

Practices must provide primary care to patients aged 6 months - 5 years in Illinois.

Attend Virtual Sessions - And actively participate. These Tuesdays 8 to 9am: 12/15/2026, 1/26/2027, 2/23/2027, 3/23/2027, 4/27/2027

Submit Data - Complete monthly de-identified retrospective chart reviews and PDSA (Plan, Do, Study, Act) worksheets.

Complete Evaluation - And other project paperwork to receive MOC 4 points, if eligible.

Benefits of Participation

- Strengthen anticipatory guidance on oral health in your practice.
- Network and problem solve with others.
- Earn American Board of Pediatrics Part 4 Maintenance of Certification (MOC) points and CME credits.

Register here or scan the QR code.

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