

Finding a DENTIST for You and Your Family

DUKE STUDENTS, unfortunately your Duke University Student Health Plan DOES NOT include any coverage for basic dental care. However, you can purchase a dental plan called **Dental Blue** through Blue Cross/Blue Shield. For more information, go to <http://www.bcbsnc.com/content/plans/dentalblue/index.htm>. Students enrolled in the Student Health Insurance Plan are also eligible for discounted dental visits through a program called BASIX, Visit the website for more details and participating practices (<http://www.basixstudent.com/duke/providers.html>).

LOOKING FOR LESS EXPENSIVE OPTIONS FOR DENTAL CARE?

Lincoln Community Health Center, http://lincolnchc.org/?page_id=6420

1301 Fayetteville Street, Durham 27717, **919.956.4034**. Dental Clinic Hours: Mon – Fr: 8:00am – 5:00pm.

You MUST have an appointment. Urgent care is offered Mon – Fri mornings only. Call to schedule a regular appointment or an Urgent Care Visit. After-hours emergency care is available by contacting the medical provider on call thru the Health Center switchboard.

What to bring: Proof of medical insurance/student insurance card and/or proof of income/proof of academic enrollment (fees are based on your income). Required: \$80 co-pay and proof of address.

UNC Dental School, Student Dental Clinics, <https://www.dentistry.unc.edu/patientcare/studentclinics/>

North Carolina Memorial Hospital at UNC Chapel Hill (101 Manning Drive Chapel Hill 27514), **919.537.3737**

(<https://www.dentistry.unc.edu/maps/>). The school services cost 1/3 to 1/2 of what normal private practices would charge, but the process is complicated and slow.

Procedure: Go online to sign up to enter a monthly drawing to request to be a patient. ONLY ONE REQUEST PER MONTH PER PATIENT. On the first of the following month, a drawing of a limited number of requests is held. If you do not receive an acceptance letter by the 10th day of the following month, you can assume that your name was not drawn. If you are not contacted, your application will automatically be entered into monthly drawings for up to 3 consecutive months. If you are accepted, you will be placed on a waiting list for a screening appointment. You may have to wait up to 9 months after the screening appointment before you see the student dentist.

Private Dentists

The dentists below have been recommended by graduate students & scholars. The website of the BASIX program (see above) also lists dentists.

Dentists Within Walking Distance to Campus

Campus Walk Dental Care, Dr. Katayoun Sadri	2741 Campus Walk, Suite 300 http://campuswalkdentalcare.com/duke-students/	919.908.8386
Dr. Steadman Willis	1212 Broad Street (5 blocks from East Campus) http://www.steadwillisdmd.com/	919.286.2235
Dr. James L. Pyle	818 Broad Street (1 block from East Campus) http://www.jpyledds.com/	919.286.9667
Dr. Julie Witte	922 Broad Street (3 blocks from East Campus), closed on Fr http://juliewittedds.com/	919.286.1156
Lane & Associates Family Dentistry	1200 Broad Street, Suite 300 (5 blocks from East Campus) https://www.lanedds.com/offices/durham-broad-st	919.286.6646

Dentists Within Driving Distance

Dr. Martha Ann Keels (Children Only)	Duke St. Pediatric Dentistry, 2711 North Duke St., Suite A http://www.dukestreetsmiles.com/	919.220.1416
Durham Prosthodontics, Dr. James Hoke	3709 University Drive, Suite D (near Pinnacle Ridge apts.) http://www.mydurhamdentist.com/	919.489.8661
Dr. Charles Lohr	3511 Shannon Road, Suite 120 (near Super Target) http://www.charlesjlohrdentistry.com/template.jsp?doc=charlesjlohrdds&c=Home&wiz=0&page=Home	919.489.9717
Dr. Catherine Ray	3310 University Drive http://catherinedraydmd.com/	919.489.5380
Apex General Dentistry Dr. Tina W. Shih (speaks Chinese)	2081 Shepherds Vineyard Dr. Suite 102, Apex, NC 27502 http://www.apexgeneraldentistry.com/	919.362.9216
Dr. Barbara Hershey (Orthodontist: Braces, Teeth Straightening, etc.)	3206 Old Chapel Hill Rd, Durham 27707, and 1525 East Franklin St., Chapel Hill 27514 http://www.hersheyandheyman.com/	919.493.7554 919.967.0474

