

SCHOOL OF DENTAL MEDICINE

Becoming a patient



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To become eligible for patient care:

Schedule a screening appointment. Call 702-774-2400.

Appointments are Monday – Friday, 9 – 11:30 a.m. and 1 – 4:30 p.m.

The screening will determine if students can provide your needed treatment(s) as a teaching case.

The school does not guarantee that everyone will be accepted as a patient.

Prospective patients must:

- be in good overall health;
- have healthy blood pressure levels;
- have dental care needs that meet teaching program criteria; and
- be available for two- to four-hour appointments.

Some patients' care may be referred to outside dental offices due to the complexity of their needs.

We do not quote treatment costs.

As our patient:

Once you have been accepted as a patient, you will be assigned to a student doctor who will manage your treatment plan.

- You will first receive a complete dental examination, which may require more than one appointment.
- Your student doctor will review the exam findings, discuss a plan of treatment, and review proposed treatment costs.
- The fees associated with our services are generally lower than those of a private practice.
- Payment is due at the time of service. Partial payment is required in advance of certain procedures.
- Fees may be paid by cash, check, money order, credit or debit card.
- Medicaid and some dental insurances are also accepted.

Resident dentist clinics:

In addition to our student dental clinics, we have three specialty, resident dentist clinics.

Our Orthodontic Residency program offers treatments, including braces, to patients of all ages. Medicaid and most private insurance plans are accepted, and monthly payments are available. To schedule a free screening, call 702-774-2690.

Our General Practice Residency program provides comprehensive patient care to all populations in clinical and hospital settings. For additional details, call 702-774-5175.

Our Pediatric Residency program can treat healthy children requiring special care. Medicaid and most private insurance plans are accepted. For additional details, call 702-774-2415 or 702-774-2417.

UNLV Faculty Dental Practice is a full-service dental office within our school that offers comprehensive and specialty care. For additional details, call 702-774-8000.

Confidentiality:

UNLV School of Dental Medicine follows federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act regulations to protect your health information. We do not release your information to unauthorized people.

Non-discrimination policy:

The dental school does not discriminate on any basis when accepting patients or assigning student dentists. We will not honor requests for a student doctor based upon race, color, national origin, gender, religion, age, or disability.

Screenings

Student Dentist Clinic: 702-774-2400

Resident Dentist Specialty Clinics:

Orthodontic Clinic: 702-774-2690

Pediatric Dentistry Clinic: 702-774-2415 General Practice Residency: 702-774-5175

<u>Faculty Dental Practice:</u> 702-774-8000



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Urgent Care Clinic: 702-774-2457/2458 After-Hours Emergency: 702-380-1944

