

Peel Public Health's Objective: Improve Oral Health in School-Aged Children

Why is Oral Health Important?

Untreated tooth decay may lead to



Why is Dental Screening and School Preventive Important?

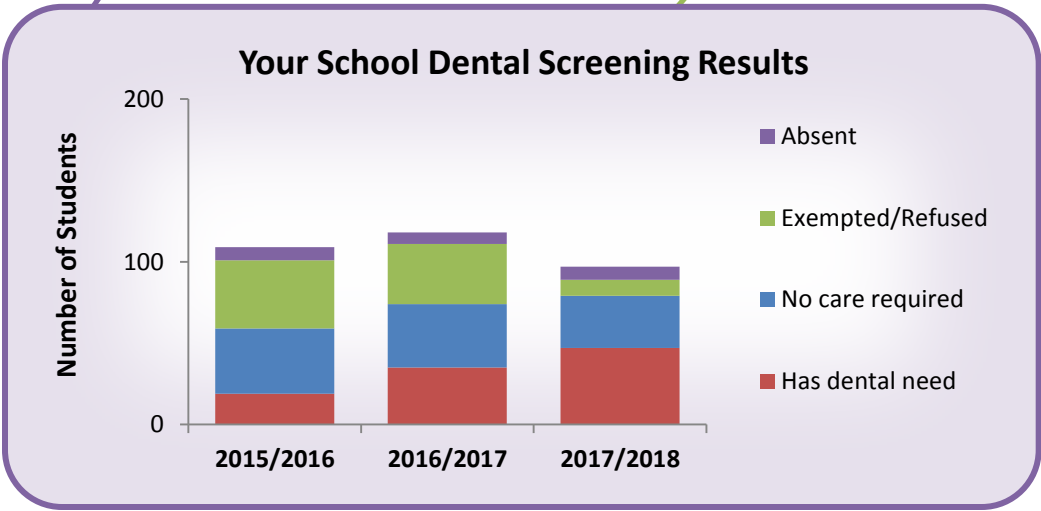
To identify dental needs

To provide access to free dental services for those who are eligible

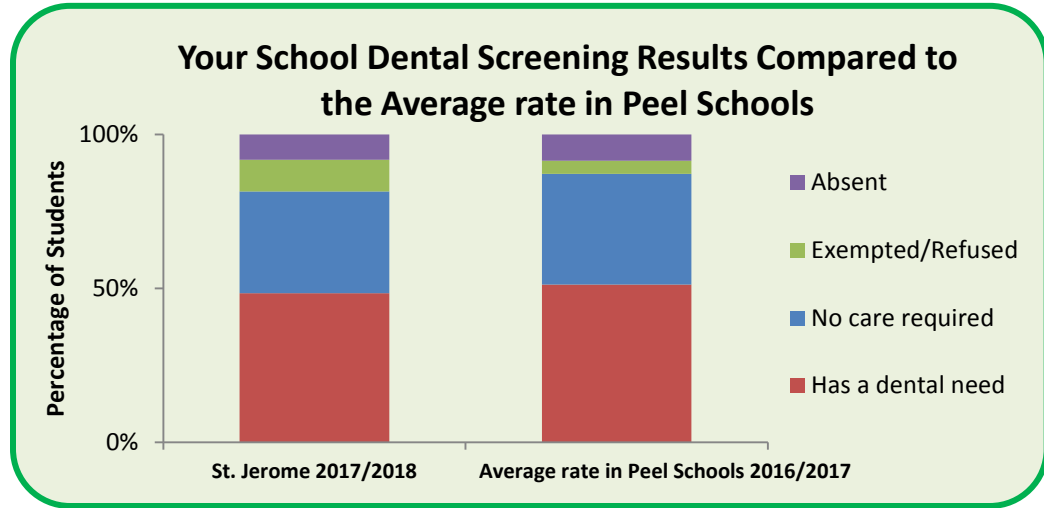
A Slightly lower number of students screened this year

What Did We Find?

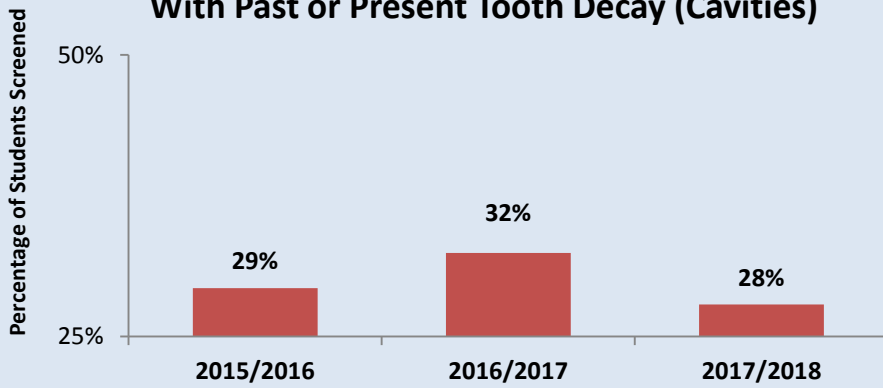
60% of your students screened have dental needs this year



Your school has a slightly lower rate of students who have a dental need compared to Peel Schools



Percentage of Students Screened in your School With Past or Present Tooth Decay (Cavities)



There was a decrease in students who are experiencing tooth decay over the past 2 school years

What you can do to Improve Oral Health in Your School

School Dental Screening

Continue to participate annually in Dental Screening

Supportive Environments*

Increase opportunities for healthy eating and drinking tap water

* Connect with your Public Health Nurse to learn more