Additional Queensland Health Oral Health resources

Queensland Health provides a range of oral health resources either on a cost-recovery basis or no cost, online via the Queensland Government Bookshop. This range includes DVDs, CDs, Fact Sheets, Brochures and Pamphlets, Indigenous Flipcharts and Stickers. Simply visit www.bookshop.qld.gov.au to browse our catalogue and order online.

Germ Busters Early Childhood

Germ Busters Early Childhood is a comprehensive hygiene improvement program that includes resources and activities for children, parents/carers and early childhood staff. Germ Busters aims to increase knowledge and practice of correct hygiene procedures – specifically handwashing.

Like Happy Teeth, this program is fun to use and easily incorporated into the early childhood setting. In fact, every effort has been made to ensure that characters and messages in both the Germ Busters Early Childhood and Happy Teeth programs align. Germ Busters is available for order though the Queensland Government Bookshop, simply visit www.bookshop.qld.gov.au.

To find out more about the program or to order your copy, simply visit www.health.qld.gov.au/germbusters.

Other kits

Dr Rabbit Comes to Pre-school
An early literacy oral health adventure. This kit includes teachers guide, video, posters, message stickers and storybook. Free resource for pre-schools. Pre-school teachers can order kits by applying online at www.colgateprofessional.com.au/bsbf/brightmiles.asp

Books

Search via internet for ordering details to access these books:

The Tooth Book – children’s book for oral health education by Dr. Seuss

Dental Outlook Publications
PO Box 275 Camperdown NSW 1450
Phone: 02 9557 9330
Fax: 02 9557 9004
Web: www.dentaleducationshop.com.au

Baby’s Smile
A leaflet sized booklet (10 pages) - Uses coloured photos to support written information. This is suitable for parents of children in 2-5 year age bracket.

Headings include: First teeth are important: When do they appear? Teething problems; caring for first teeth; Avoiding the bed-time bottle problem; Other bottle problems; Cleaning teeth; fluoride; Good food habits; Thumbsucking and dummies; 6-year-old molars; Dental visits.

Price: $0.60 (approx. $49.50 for 80).
Puzzles and play materials

Modern Teaching Aids Pty Ltd
PO Box 608 Brookvale NSW 2100
Freecall 1800 251 497
Phone (02) 9939 2355
Fax (02) 9938 4082

Good Hygiene Puzzle - set of 4
Contains 4 wooden puzzles; measuring 20cm x 20cm. 3+ years.
Approx. cost $68.90 ex GST.

Hygiene Raised Puzzles - set of 4
Wooden raised puzzles. Each puzzle measuring 15cm x 15cm. Colours vary. 3+ years.
Approx. cost $66.90 ex GST.

Medical Jigsaw Puzzles - Dentist
25 piece. Aimed at familiarising children with medical professions. 33cm x 33cm.
Approx. cost $20 ex GST.

Kangaroo Trading (Holdings) Pty Ltd
Level 1, 122-126 Old Pittwater Road
Brookvale NSW 2100
Phone 1800 251 475
Fax 1800 780 089
Web www.hop.com.au

Food & Nutrition Theme Box
Packed full of props to give children a tactile and visual sense of the concepts of food and nutrition.
Approx. cost $125 ex GST

Big Food Set
Wooden set so children can pretend to cook up a feast. Set contains boiled eggs, bread, cheese, apple, toast, fried eggs, mushroom, knife and chopping block. 2+ years.
Approx. cost $19.00 ex GST.

Giant Teeth Demonstration Model
Demonstrate dental hygiene and brushing techniques to children with this fun, over-sized teeth model. Comes complete with a toothbrush. 4+ years.
Approx. cost $40 ex GST.

Judius
PO Box 316 Rosebery NSW 1445
Phone (02) 9557 5144
Fax (02) 9557 5556
Web www.judius.com.au

Dentist Puzzle
Drawn picture of male dentist at work on child using current oral hygiene practices. 15 pieces. 3 to 5 years. Item code TJ546.
Approx. cost $29.90 ex GST
Text references


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Henry Schein/Halas
Cnr Merrivale & Tribune St
South Brisbane Qld 4101
Phone  (07) 3844 2591
Fax      (07) 3844 4726
Web     www.henryschein.com.au

*Individual Zoo Animals*
Fun, entertaining oral hygiene teaching aids. 16 inch plush toy with giant toothbrush, mirror, teeth and 100 assorted stickers.
Approx. cost $150 ex GST

*Group Zoo Animals*
3-pack or 5-pack of assorted plush toys with flexible arms to hold the toothbrush, sites to teach flossing and brushing techniques.
Approx. cost $170 and $240 ex GST.