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Dear Stakeholders of Children and Young People and Older Settings

This is to notify you that the current Oral Health Improvement service is stopping and a revised approach has been put in place. We would like to acknowledge Lindy Crocombe and Elaine Herety's hard work and achievements over the years and for establishing a strong oral health culture within Milton Keynes.

Please note the following changes taking effect from 1 April 2019:

0-19 Health and Wellbeing Awards

Those of you completing 0-19 Health and Wellbeing Awards or for those wanting to re-accredit, please contact Liz Wilson (Public Health Practitioner — Children and Young People) <u>Liz.Wilson@milton-keynes.gov.uk</u> 01908 254203. The Awards panel will remain the same.

Oral Health Training Sessions (including SMILE)

Please access the following Public Health England resources on Top Tips for Healthy Teeth and Gums which includes Dental Toolkit Briefing, posters/leaflets on tooth brushing and sugar swaps as well as social media/videos here: https://campaignresources.phe.gov.uk/resources/campaigns/69-top-tips-for-teeth/resources. Further Top Tips for Healthy Teeth and Gums face to face briefing dates will be circulated as soon as possible, for later in the year.

Older people settings

A Dental Passport resource is being co-designed with settings that will be circulated to support you. This will provide a user-friendly document, incorporating up to date oral health guidelines, to ensure that oral health priorities are established at point of admission through to dental visit.

Please contact Kirsten Criggie (Senior Dental Officer - Buckinghamshire Priority Dental Service) if you require further advice k.criggie@nhs.net

Please do not hesitate to get in contact for any further information.

Yours sincerely

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