## Dental Visits Are Important

## Did you know?

 It is important for your child to get his first dental visit when his first teeth come in or by his first birthday. After a child's first visit it is important for him to get regular checkups.



- During a dental visit, a provider may:
  - Count your child's teeth.
  - Check your child's teeth for cavities and if any are found, treat them.
  - Paint fluoride varnish to your child's teeth.

## Take the Healthy Mouth Challenge!

I will:	
	Make an appointment for my child's dental checkup!
	My child's first dental visit is scheduled with
	(Dentist or Medical Provider Name)
	onat
	(insert date) (insert time)
	Remember to bring my insurance card, photo ID and money for co-payment (if needed) to my child's dentist appointment.
	Arrive 15 minutes early to complete paperwork.
	Bring some small toys or a book for my child to play with during the waiting time.