

Practice of Distinction Resource:

Using Your ToothFairy 101® Community Education Kit

One of the benefits of being a Practice of Distinction is that you receive a ToothFairy 101 Community Education Kit. Developed with guidance from leading dental and allied health professionals and academicians serving on our Scientific Advisory Board, the ToothFairy 101® Community Education Kit is a comprehensive tool for improving oral health literacy through community outreach activities. Containing a magnetic display board, magnets, giant toothbrush, and associated bi-lingual educational materials, this very popular resource covers nutrition, germ transmission, mouth safety, tobacco, and infant care, as well as basic preventive strategies. Youth of all ages and learning levels can benefit from lessons on brushing, flossing, tooth-friendly nutritional choices and how the body's overall health benefits from proper oral hygiene.

Practices of Distinction use the Kit to provide oral health education to children and families in their practice as well as at community events, schools, childcare facilities and other settings.

A [Supplement for Youth and Young Adults with Special Needs](#) has been developed to accompany our ToothFairy 101 Community Education Kit benefitting youth and young adults with special needs and their educators. This supplement is designed to introduce students to the importance of oral health care knowledge. We have taken the 5 Core Lessons on Brushing, Flossing, Hand Washing, Germs and Cavities, and Nutrition and provided modifications specifically for individuals with special needs. Practices of Distinction that serve children and youth with special needs will want to review this supplement.

If you have questions about the use of your kit, please contact our office at 800-559-9838.