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## Dental care

The Swedish Public Dental Service concentrates on providing preventative dental care and good dental health.

### Dental care for everyone

There are 24 clinics in 15 locations in the county. The primary Swedish Public Dental Service activity is general dental health, which means dental care for children, youths and adults.

### Cost estimates

You are entitled to a cost estimate prior to treatment. Dentists are entitled to charge for the examination and evaluations which provide the basis of these cost estimates.

### Visiting dental care

Elderly individuals, or those who are sick and the functionally impaired may have a dental hygienist visit them in their home.

### Children and teenagers

Dental health care is free for children and teenagers up to the age of 19.

### Specialist dental care

The Swedish Public Dental Service has five specialist dental care clinics in the county which accept patients with complicated dental care requirements.

### Frightened of dentists?

Certain clinics have special resources that can help you.

### Active choice of dentist for children and teenagers

Kronoberg County allows children and teenagers between the ages of 3 and 19 to actively select the dentist of their choice. You may choose between the Swedish Public Dental Service, private dental clinics and other private dentists who treat children and teenagers.

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### Preventative dental care – fixed price dental care

You can obtain dental care at a fixed price. Your dental health regulates the cost of your agreement and it is valid for a three year period at a time. Find out more about what is included in preventative dental care at: [www.frisktandvardkronoberg.se](http://www.frisktandvardkronoberg.se) or talk to your dentist.

Read more about dental care at [1177.se/kronoberg](http://1177.se/kronoberg) under the heading **Fakta och råd, Mun och tänder (Facts and advice, Mouth and teeth)**.