**Hancock County Health Department**

* 516 Boland Street
Sparta, GA 31087
* To schedule an appointment for your child, please call (478) 751-1747
* [Click here](http://northcentralhealthdistrict.org/department/hancock-county-health-department/) for more information about this location

**Payment Information**

We accept Medicaid, Amerigroup, Peach State, WellCare, United Concordia. A reduced sliding scale fee is available with proof of county residency and proof of income. Payment is expected at the time of service.

**School Dental Health Program**

* Dentist and Hygienist visit county schools to provide dental exams, fluoride treatments, dental sealants on students in K-3rd grade.
* Dental health Education Presentations demonstrating proper oral hygiene, proper tooth brushing, and flossing skills, health snacking, oral disease prevention, and the consequences of tobacco usage.
* Participate in School and Community Health Fairs.

**Things To Know**

* Cavities are preventable with proper dental care.
* We recommend that parents schedule their babies for their first dental visit once the first baby teeth are visible in the mouth.
* Brush teeth and gums with fluoride toothpaste, and floss at least twice a day.
* Visit the dentist twice a year for regular checkups
* Practice healthy eating habits and avoid foods/drinks high in sugar (i.e. candy, soda, energy drinks, etc.)