



COLORADO MISSION OF MERCY

COLORADO SPRINGS, CO – OCTOBER 1 & 2: The fourth annual Colorado Mission of Mercy clinic treats as many as two thousand low-income people during the two-day event. Some 1000 volunteers, including almost 200 dentists, donated their time to help uninsured patients in need of dental care. With millions of the recently unemployed having lost dental coverage, organizers expect many more people to come than can be treated during the event.

110 Teller County residents are being served which is the equivalent of \$90,000 - \$100,000 of free dental intervention. Pre-screenings provided free exams to over 100 Teller residents at Woodland Park Community Church with: 22 volunteers, including 8 dental hygienists and 1 clinical pharmacist.



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