

STATE OF KANSAS



PROCLAMATION
BY THE
GOVERNOR

TO THE PEOPLE OF KANSAS, GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, the health of Kansas is important to the state's future; and

WHEREAS, safeguarding the health of our children is critical to the well-being of our state and our nation; and

WHEREAS, oral health is an important component of a child's overall health; and

WHEREAS, good health can be achieved in part through valuable oral health habits learned early and reinforced throughout life; and

WHEREAS, programs and policies supporting good oral health habits and community water fluoridation are essential to preventing dental disease; and

WHEREAS, Oral Health Kansas and its partners are engaged in promoting oral health for all Kansans; and

WHEREAS, each February, National Children's Dental Health Month is celebrated to raise awareness about the significance of oral health;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LAURA KELLY, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF KANSAS, do hereby proclaim this month of February 2019, as

Children's Dental Health Month

DONE: At the Capitol in Topeka
under the Great Seal of
the State this 24th day of
January, A.D. 2019

BY THE GOVERNOR:

Laura Kelly

Scott J. Schwab
Secretary of State

Byron A. Caskey
Assistant Secretary of State

