C.S. Mott Children's Hospital

Dental Health Survey Questions

National Poll
on Children's Health

[PARENTS WITH CHILD AGE = 1 TO 5 YEARS; IF MORE THAN ONE CHILD AGE 1 TO 5 SELECT YOUNGEST CHILD]

We are interested in learning about how parents take care of their children's teeth.

For the following questions, please think about your [x-year old] child.

Sometimes, health care providers (doctors or nurse practitioners) examine children's teeth as part of well-child visits (check-ups).

Q1. At your [x-year old] child's most recent well-child visit, did the health care provider:

Select <u>one</u> response in each row.

	Yes	No	Don't know
Examine your child's teeth			
Apply fluoride varnish to child's teeth			
Talk with you about how to clean child's teeth			
Talk with you about how to keep teeth healthy			
Talk with you about taking child to the dentist			
Say that there is a problem with your child's teeth			

Q2. In YOUR opinion, at what age should children have their first visit to a dentist?

[drop down box age 0-8]

Q3. Has your [x-year old] child been to a dentist?

Yes
Tried but did not have visit
No, never tried

[If Q3 = Yes, then Q4]

Q4. How old was your [x-year old] child at his/her first dentist visit?

[drop down box age 0-5 yrs]