

VOLUNTEER MINISTRY CENTER

VMC

Opening Doors for a Better Tomorrow

VMC Dental Clinic

511 N. Broadway

(entrance on the Broadway side of the building)

865-934-1746

- Who we serve:** Knox County residents (over the age of 18) who are literally homeless per HUD standards
and
Knox County residents (over the age of 18) in the HUD income range of “Extremely Low” (0-30% AMI), regardless of housing status
- What we provide:** Fillings
Extractions
Cleanings (by appointment only)
Dentures/partials (for literally homeless community, by appointment)
Limited denture repair/adjustments
- Cost:** Services are free to the patient
- Times of service:** Because we are staffed mainly by dental professionals who volunteer their time, hours and days of service can vary. Please call 865-934-1746 to verify availability. In general, we are open:
Tuesdays 8:30-3:30, *for literally homeless only*
Fridays 8:00-11:30, for any eligible patient
We are also open on other weekdays when a provider is available.
- How to get an appointment:** We are currently operating as a walk-in clinic. We take the first three (3) walk-ins each day that we have a provider. Once a patient has completed their first walk-in appointment, any needed follow up treatment will be completed at scheduled appointments.
- What to bring:** People who are currently experiencing homelessness can bring their HMIS card or a letter from a shelter stating their current status. Low income Knox County residents can bring a current pay stub, statement from an employer stating wages, Social Security awards letter, or a food stamps letter. Other proof of income may also be accepted.