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## Perfect Smile Hosts Free Dental Day in Las Vegas, Nevada In Partnership with Smiles for Everyone Foundation, Perfect Smile Dental Provides Free Dental Services to Those in Need

Las Vegas, Nevada – February 8, 2019 – <u>Perfect Smile Dental</u> partnered with the <u>Smiles for</u> <u>Everyone Foundation</u> to open its Las Vegas office to provide free dental services for nearly 100 underinsured, low-income individuals on February 2, 2019.

Volunteers from Smile Brands Inc.'s affiliated offices in Las Vegas arrived on a rainy Saturday morning ready to cast rays of sunshine over all those who stepped into the <u>Perfect Smile Dental</u> office. The Team, comprised of nine doctors and over 30 support staff, worked together to deliver pro bono care to underserved patients. Members of the Las Vegas community were informed about the event through our Foundation's partnerships with local nonprofit organizations, such as <u>Street Teens</u>, an organization that gives guidance to homeless youth, <u>Helping Hands of Las Vegas Valley</u>, a support program for low-income senior citizens, and <u>The Cupcake Girls</u>, a resource center for victims of sex trafficking. Services included checkups, cleanings, oral cancer screenings, fluoride treatments, <u>fillings</u>, <u>extractions</u>, and more. Volunteer dentists included Dr. Karla Gutierrez, Dr. Gordon Murray, Dr. Sara Parasido, Dr. Kostika Polena, Dr. Cortnie Sanchez, Dr. Andrew Schneider, Dr. Joel Stokes, Dr. Kathleen Uy, and Dr. Matthew Welebir.

The patients were extremely vocal about how grateful they were for the level of compassion shown to them by the Team. "They were smiling through, even though they were tired," said Hollie S., who learned about the event from the local news. "I would just like to tell them thank you, and not to worry about the long wait. Linda C, from the <u>Jewish Family Service Agency</u> wrote to us saying, "The staff is the bomb and humor filled, but also extremely patient, caring, and knowledgeable. I'm a disabled, senior veteran on a budget. This afforded me relief and satisfaction. You're a blessing to the community! Keep up the good work, and God bless."

The Smiles for Everyone Foundation would like to give a warm thank you the entire volunteer Team. Their hard work truly paid off, and as patient Hector M said it, "You made my 2019!"

The next Day of Giving that the Foundation will be hosting will be in Burleson, TX on February 9, 2019. Please visit <u>www.smilesforeveryone.org</u> for more information.

## **About P3 Dental Group**

P3 Dental Group is a rapidly growing group dental practice affiliated with Smile Brands Inc. Founded by Dr. Matthew Welebir in 2003, P3 Dental has been delivering quality care to Las Vegas area residents. With five convenient general dentistry locations and two co-located specialty centers, P3 Dental Group provides state-of-the-art general and specialty care, including: preventative care, periodontal care, restorative care, cosmetic care, Invisalign®, dental implants, oral surgery, and sedation dentistry. Their mission is to create long-term patient relationships by making dental visits convenient, affordable and stress-free. P3 relies on Smile Brands to provide world-class business support services so they can focus on delivering highly personalized patient care.

## About the Smiles For Everyone Foundation

The Smiles for Everyone Foundation is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization with the mission of delivering smiles for everyone by providing free dental care for those in need, both at home in the U.S. and around the world. Since 2011, the Smiles for Everyone Foundation has delivered over 19,000 smiles and \$14.5 million in donated dentistry. The foundation currently supports programs which provide free dental care to those in need in Cambodia, Ghana, Laos, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Thailand, and the United States. For more information or to make a donation, visit www.smilesforeveryone.org.

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