

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 1340 as follows:

1.2 Page 4, after line 24 insert:

1.3 "Sec. 3. DENTAL SERVICES GRANTS.

1.4 (a) \$...... is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of human services,
1.5 for the biennium ending June 30, 2019, to award dental services grants. The commissioner
1.6 may award grants under this section to:

1.7 (1) nonprofit community clinics;

1.8 (2) federally qualified health centers, rural health clinics, and public health clinics;

1.9 (3) hospital-based dental clinics owned and operated by a city, county, or former state
1.10 hospital as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 62Q.19, subdivision 1, paragraph (a),
1.11 clause (4); and

1.12 (4) a dental clinic owned and operated by the University of Minnesota or the Minnesota
1.13 State Colleges and Universities system.

1.14 (b) Grants may be used to fund costs related to maintaining, coordinating, and improving
1.15 access for medical assistance and MinnesotaCare enrollees to dental care in a region.

1.16 (c) The commissioner shall consider the following in awarding the grants:

1.17 (1) experience in delivering dental services to medical assistance and MinnesotaCare
1.18 enrollees in urban and rural communities;

1.19 (2) the potential to successfully maintain or expand access to dental services for medical
1.20 assistance and MinnesotaCare enrollees; and

1.21 (3) demonstrated capability to provide access to care for children, adults, and seniors
1.22 with special needs, individuals with complex medical and dental needs, recent immigrants

- 2.1 and non-English speakers, and students attending schools with a high percentage of
- 2.2 low-income students."
- 2.3 Amend the title accordingly