**Dental Care Supply**

**Nebraska (NE) Notes**

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* I used the NE file from the dropbox for the BOD dentists. The file was collected on 7.25.19. Because the file required payment, the file from 7.25.19 was used rather than a more updated file.
* The “IKN\_processed.csv” file and “[NP\_national\_w\_extra\_col\_2n.csv](http://localhost:8888/view/Dental%20Care%20Supply/NP_national_w_extra_col_2n%20(1).csv)” files were used
* Anything that mentioned “hygienist” was disregarded according to recept dropbox updates.
* I used the PA/IL code on dropbox to help formulate my code for NE
* **The MED + BOD FTE sum of dentists is 1,279 (1,272 unique). The 2018 ADA total is 1,259.**
* This original BOD file from 7.25.19 includes:
  + 1,280 rows that are Dentists in Nebraska
    - All licenses are active and up to date
    - There is just one address column. No mailing address and no multiple lines.
    - Superfluous columns were eliminated before any processing.
  + The Columns Headers Include:
    - *License # First Name Middle Name Last Name Suffix License Type Address City State Zip Code County Expiration Date*
* The IKN-NPPES match rate was 95%
* The overall IKN match rate was 81.3%
* After Exclusions, there were no CHIP values, only Medicaid.
* All of the rows for the final BOD FTE sum had whole numbers for the general, specialist, and pediatric columns.