**COMMUNITY/ADVOCACY PEDIATRICS ROTATION SITE VISIT**

**WHERE: Children’s Dentistry Clinic, SUNY Stony Brook**

**Located on the West Campus of the University. Enter the West Campus via the South entrance off of Nicolls Road. Follow the signs to the Dental Care Center which is the first right. You can park in front of the building and go in through the main entrance.**

**CONTACT PERSONS: Dr. Kimberly Patterson, Lauren Morales or Christina Kunis, Administrative Assistants # 631-632-3181**

**SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: When you enter through the main entrance, see Andrea at the main desk and ask for the Children’s Dentistry Clinic. Your Attending Pediatric Dental supervisor will vary depending on which day of the week your session is scheduled.**

**Please sign the Confidentiality Agreement for Dental Clinic visitors in advance of attending the clinic on your scheduled date. You can sign this document and forward it to Dr. Kevill/Hopgood. You will find this document in the Site Info folder on the OneDrive for the rotation.**

**LEARNING GOALS/OBJECTIVES:**

**Dr. Fred Ferguson, (Now retired faculty member of the Department of Orthodontics and Pediatric Dentistry), outlined the goals and learning objectives for this session on page one of the required reading which he authored (see below). Please be sure to read this document and complete the test prior to this session. During your session you will be able to see first-hand how the dental examination is conducted, how common dental problems in pediatric patients can be addressed and learn some techniques as to how you how you can better assess a child’s oral health during a well child visit.**

**THINGS TO CONSIDER:**

1. **What are some important routine questions you need to ask and advice you need to give during a well child visit in order to promote good oral health for your patients?**
2. **When should a child be referred for a dental visit?**

**READING**

**Growing Healthy Smiles- The Essential Role of the Pediatric Provider. Dr. Fred Ferguson, Department of Children’s Dentistry, SUNY Stony Brook.**