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## PCTI Hosts Dental Carnival For HeadStart Children

Wayne, NJ – FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE – Passaic County Technical Institute (PCTI) welcomed toddlers from the HeadStart Daycare program to visit with students of the Academy of Medical Arts to participate in their *Dental Carnival*. Upon arriving, toddlers sat with dental assisting students and watched an informational and fun Sesame Street video on brushing teeth. Afterwards, the HeadStart children explored the classroom by visiting educational work stations. They brushed the teeth on mouth models, played a variety of computer games, sat in dental chairs and got familiar with the equipment, and more. Later on, children had the chance to play with magnets that taught them the difference between good and bad foods for their digestive system/teeth. They also received packets of informative coloring pages to take home. At the end of the event, the HeadStart children were given certificates and tooth care kits to continue their dental education at home. The visit was positive experience that fostered fun while learning.



PCTI Academy of Medical Arts students tailored a fun day of educational play to HeadStart children, teaching them all about healthy dental care.