



## Oral Health Disparities Due to Race, Ethnicity, and Class

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Dear Colleagues,

Race, ethnicity, and class impact the oral health of populations in multiple ways. According to the differential exposure hypothesis, race, ethnicity, and class impact exposure to a wide range of risk and protective factors that have oral health implications. According to differential effects hypothesis, race, ethnicity, and class alter the effects of risk and protective factors. Finally, it is not just race, ethnicity, and class, but their intersections that shape oral health needs.

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