

**Question for written answer E-001539/2015
to the Commission**
Rule 130
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Subject: Cost as a barrier to dental care

Access to dental care is an important aspect of the quality of life of EU citizens. A recent Eurostat publication, however, states that 4.6 % of the EU-28 population are unable to meet the costs of dental care.

What can the Commission do to reduce the barrier of high costs to dental care?