

NHS Guidance for Primary Dental Care

Cancel routine check-ups for patients from vulnerable groups

DID YOU KNOW? - GENERAL NHS GUIDANCE?

Use infection control procedures: wipe down surfaces between patients & use PPE

Agree local arrangements to consolidate essential, routine NHS work & urgent dental problems

Do not treat anyone with Covid-19 symptoms or those in their households

Before a visit, set up mechanisms to check if patients have symptoms and/or live with someone with symptoms

Avoid aerosol generating procedures

Remote Consultations and triage are essential. Remember the three A's: Advice, Analgesia and Antibiotics

Clearly display materials on COVID-19

DID YOU KNOW? - URGENT CARE FOR PATIENTS WITH COVID-19 SYMPTOMS

Should be referred to local services, which are being set up, who will have appropriate facilities & PPE

[Please click here](#) for contact details for your area's local services

DID YOU KNOW-PPE GUIDANCE FOR ROUTINE DENTAL PRACTICE (NOT TREATING COVID-19 PATIENTS, NOT TREATING HOUSEHOLD CONTACTS)?

For procedures with no aerosol: dental team should wear Full face visor or Goggles/Dental loupes WITH face mask can be used

For aerosol generating procedures: dental team should wear Full face visor WITH face mask or Goggles/Dental Loupes WITH face mask

Supply chain of PPE is becoming an issue for dental practices. [Click here](#) for supplier list & contact details.