

FEES

1. **New patient consultation** Full dental examination, oral cancer screen, detailed discussion of your requirements and treatment options, discussion of payment options. **£79.90 (£75.70 for senior citizens and children under 17 years)**

Radiographs (“x-rays”) may be required and a saliva test may be recommended.

Radiographs £8.00- £64.00 (included in an initial consultation)

Saliva testing £55.00 (£27.50 if carried out at the initial consultation)

2. **Examination** For existing patients who attend regularly and have been seen within 8 months of their last consultation. Full dental examination, oral cancer screen. **Members no additional charge (£33.90 children £39.70 adults, please note appointment times are of limited choice for non-members).**

3. **Implant Assessment** Examination of all teeth, gums and oral cancer screen, x-rays as required, construction of models. Examination by implant surgeon. Presentation of options discussion and estimate of cost. **£110**

To help you to cope with surgery:

Sedation

Provided by a doctor specialising in the provision of intra-venous techniques (Please see “What is Conscious Sedation” overleaf)

Members £169 Non-members £169

Dental Extractions

Members from £87.00 per sextant Non-members from £125.00 per sextant

Minimal Intervention

We prefer the modern approach of *minimal intervention* and we can often avoid the use of the traditional dental drill by utilising a micro abrasion unit which “sandblasts” decay away. Chemical procedures are also used and our *Healozone* machine will produce ozone gas to stabilise dental decay and other oral diseases. In addition, we use a computerised *wand system* for anaesthetising teeth (“numbing”) instead of the traditional needle and syringe. The feedback from our most nervous patients includes comments such as they will never be afraid of dental treatment again and that confidence has been restored.

Oral Hygiene Care

There is no point having healthy teeth if your gums are not tip-top, and we are keen to provide any necessary care for your specific needs. We will ask you to read a leaflet on your *Periostatus* and provide a copy for you to keep for future reference. If you are not yet using an *electric toothbrush* ask about our **28 day return trial**. We are passionate about excellent oral hygiene and cleanliness, and will offer straight forward instruction on all methods best suited to you including interdental brushing (and occasionally flossing) and tooth brushing techniques. We are all users of the Phillips Sonicare electric toothbrush and recommend you try one. Please ask for a demonstration. **Members are entitled to 3 routine cleaning procedures a year, additional appointments are £53.20. Non-members £56.20.**

Oral Medicine and Pathology

Although the incidence of *oral cancer* has increased in all age groups, early detection of lesions will reduce the need for radical surgery and complications. (Members are covered up to **£2500** if diagnosis is confirmed).

We ask that you contact us if you have any *sore spots or ulceration* that lasts over 7 days, in any part of your mouth. Please also contact us if you have any concerns over any *lumps or bumps* you spot. We would rather know about a little problem than a big problem. Your query will never be considered a waste of time.

Occasionally, teeth can be *loose and mobile* due to an aggressive gum disease. The sooner we are able to stabilise this, the more likely you are to save the tooth.

Please be vigilant and report any unusual appearance on your teeth or soft tissues immediately.

Dental Trauma

If a tooth breaks due to an internal or external force, it is best dealt with within 24 hours. Ideally, you should contact us as soon as it happens. We offer emergency cover from 0800 until 2200 each day of the year. A message can be left on 07966 528523 out of these hours.

Members are covered for trauma to a limit of £5000 and emergency out of hours, national and world-wide emergency assistance is included. Non-members emergency appointments £80 0800-1000, £90 1900-2200, £120 weekends and Bank Holidays.

To restore teeth with small or medium cavities you may chose from the following options:

1. **Composite** A tooth coloured filling material, which is bonded to the tooth.
Members from £47.00 Non-members £47.00 - £210.00

2. **Composite Inlay** Durable with a superior appearance, often used for larger cavities. **Members £195 Non-members £319**

3. **Porcelain Inlay** A superlative result. Enduring with a first class, natural appearance. **Members £270 Non-members £350.90**

To restore teeth with large cavities you may chose from the following options:

1. **Composite Onlay** Good appearance, replaces cusps and walls of teeth. **Members £270 Non-members £319**

2. **Gold Crown** Resilient and hard wearing. **Members £310.70 Non-members £450.00**

3. **Metal-Porcelain Crown** Robust and dependable. **Members £310.70 Non-members £450.00**

4. **All Porcelain Crown** A superlative result. Enduring with a first class, natural appearance. **Members £310.70 Non-members £450.00**

Unfortunately the nerve of a tooth may need to be removed to allow us to retain a tooth. The treatment is known as endodontics or root canal therapy.

Members £135.00 per canal (to a maximum of £395.00) Non-members £250.00 (to a maximum of £450.00)

Posts or pinned cores may be required to conserve a root filled tooth
Members £94.00 per post Non-members £94.00 per post

Do missing teeth keep you from feeling and looking your best?

1. **Dental Implant** The natural way to replace missing teeth. Our specialist service delivers an unbeatable sense of security and confidence. Please ask for a leaflet for further information. Evening presentations are also available throughout the year for you.

Our specialist offers interest finance over 12 months. **From £2500.00**

2. **Bridge** Robust, permanently fixed. **Members from £617.00 Non-members from £800.00**

3. **Partial Denture** Reliable and comfortable for the replacement of one or several teeth. Often used as a temporary restoration following removal of a tooth. **Members £180.00 Non-members £270.00**

4. **Full Denture Set and Gerber Dentures** End the distress caused by loose, uncomfortable and artificial looking dentures. **Members £400-£925 Non-members £800-£1850**

5. **Implant retained Gerber denture** The gold standard. Restore your dignity and privacy; gain a sense of security that can't be matched. **From £5848**

Achieve a brighter, whiter smile with the latest tooth whitening techniques:

1. **Tooth Whitening** A simple way to transform your smile. A variety of gels are available with different presentations, procedures and concentrations of the active chemical peroxide. Your dentist will be pleased to recommend the one most suited to you. **Members £124.30- £399 Non-members £184.30-£597 ("top up packs" are available from £109)**

2. **Veneers** Whiten and re-shape at the same time. Porcelain or composite is used. **Members £167-£278.40 Non-members £250-£361.40**

We will always provide an estimate prior to treatment and offer a choice of payment methods - choose between cash, cheque, credit or debit card.