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GP DENTAL EMERGENCIES AND ROUTINE CHECK-UP REFERRAL FORM

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Patient Details

Names:		Surname:	
Telephone:		Mobile:	
Email:			

Referring Practice Details

Practice Name:		Practice No:	
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For guidelines on the management and referral of GP dental emergencies and routine check-up please see overleaf

Clinical History and Treatment

How would you like to receive your report? Electronic Access CD By hand Telephonic

Email Address _____

Do you require more referral pads? Yes No Would you prefer an electronic referral form? Yes No

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Referring Practitioner's Name	Mobile No	Date	Signature								

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GUIDELINES ON THE MANAGEMENT AND REFERRAL OF GP DENTAL EMERGENCIES AND ROUTINE CHECK-UP

1. Routine dental check ups

It is recommended that most people get their dental check-ups every 6 months (bi-annually).

The dentist may recommend more frequent visits depending on dental health and individual patient needs.

What to expect in a routine check-up: Full oral examination and professional cleaning. Dr will discuss clinical findings and tailor treatment according to your individual needs following a thorough check up.

2. Common dental emergencies

- Reversible/ irreversible pulpitis
- Tooth fracture
- Tooth luxation (tooth displacement)
- Tooth avulsion (tooth fell out due to trauma)
- Tooth intrusion (tooth displacement axially into alveolar bone)
- Pericoronitis (inflammation of gum overlying partially erupted tooth esp. Wisdom tooth)
- Abscess
- Cellulitis

3. Management of dental emergencies

- All may or may not cause tooth ache
- Immediate treatment involves antibiotic treatment (Augmentin/Amoxil/Erythromycin + Flagyl + Anti-inflammatory + Analgesic for 5days). Advise the patient to consult with the dentist 3 to 5 days post commencement of antibiotics
- For cellulitis - Antibiotics and incision and drainage of abscess (immediately refer to Maxillo Facial Surgeon as this might worsen overnight and swelling will lead to airway obstruction)
- Always emphasize that antibiotics are not the treatment and that definitive treatment is needed during or immediately after the course as the cause of the problem has not been treated therefore- the symptoms are likely to flare up again.
- Definitive treatment eg root canal treatment/ fillings/ splinting needs to be performed by a dentist as soon as possible.
- Avulsion of a permanent tooth is a true dental emergency and requires reimplantation and splinting immediately - patient should be seen by a dentist immediately.

4. Services Price list

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