

## Your Child's Dental Care is changing, please read carefully

### Dear Parent/Guardian

At MJ Warren Dental Practice, we are incredibly proud of our reputation for providing an excellent standard of dental care to all of our patients. Preventative dentistry is central to our ability to provide this service for children, ensuring they receive personalised care to establish good habits from a young age and encouraging oral health for life. Our priority is to treat our patients as we would wish to be treated.

The landscape for providing dental care via the NHS has changed significantly, making it increasingly difficult for us to maintain the high standards you expect and we insist upon. We repeatedly approached our local NHS commissioning team to retain a core NHS service for children. Sadly, they made it very clear that a child-only contract is not permitted. Therefore, our offer to continue providing this service has been refused, we are understandably disappointed in their decision.

**This means that MJ Warren Dental Practice will be unable to provide any NHS care after 31st March 2023.**

**Introducing our new children's plan, Denplan for Children!** As an existing patient your child is eligible to join our Denplan for Children Plan giving you the peace of mind that their preventative dental care will be covered by convenient monthly payments. This allows you to budget for dental check-ups, regular fluoride applications, dental x-rays, and any other routine dental treatment carried out at the practice. An assessment will be carried out at your child's next visit, and they will be placed into one of three categories.

### The categories are:

- **£6.00** per month for children who are deemed as low risk of developing cavities (have a low sugar diet and good brushing technique)
- **£10.83** per month for children who are deemed as medium risk of developing cavities (moderate level of sugar in diet and satisfactory brushing)
- **£14.44** per month for children who are deemed as high risk of developing cavities (high level of sugar in diet and poor brushing)

Denplan for Children covers:

- Dental examinations and routine x-rays
- Topical fluoride appointments
- Any necessary fillings
- Optional worldwide dental emergency insurance

**NHS care will end on**

**31/03/2023**

**Register your interest  
now to benefit from our  
new payment plan**

**HOW TO REGISTER  
YOUR INTEREST**

**Call us on**

**03333601766**

**OR**

**Come and visit us at the  
practice.**

A member of the team will be happy to help you to arrange an assessment appointment for when your child is next due for a check up.

You'll need this letter and your bank details to complete the Denplan application after the assessment has been completed.

**Register your child with Denplan to enjoy the benefits overleaf...**

PLUS! Denplan for Children offers family discounts of up to 15%. For more information about discounts and optional worldwide insurance, see below.

If you choose not to register your child with Denplan for Children but wish for them to remain as a patient at the practice, you will pay our private fees at each appointment.

Please do not hesitate to contact our reception team on **0333 360 1766**, if you have any questions. May we take this opportunity to thank you for your loyalty in supporting the practice over the years, we all look forward to seeing you again soon.

Yours Sincerely



Dr Resham Qureshi  
GDC Registration: 271377

## Family discounts of up to 15%!

You can earn discounts on your monthly Denplan fees when you pay for more than one person's plan on the same Direct Debit.

You'll earn a 5% discount on your fees for two people, a 10% discount for three people, and a 15% discount for four or more people paying on the same Direct Debit.

## Optional worldwide dental emergency insurance

All of our Denplan prices include the cost of Denplan Supplementary Insurance, provided by Simplyhealth Access. If you choose not to take out this optional Insurance, your monthly fee will reduce by 60p.

### Denplan Supplementary Insurance covers:

- Access to a 24-Hour Worldwide Dental Emergency Helpline
- Temporary emergency treatment in the UK, when you're more than 40 miles away from the practice
- Temporary emergency treatment abroad anywhere in the world
- Worldwide Dental injury cover
- Mouth cancer cover (cover not immediate)
- Hospital cash benefit if you need to stay overnight in hospital under the care of a dental or maxillofacial surgeon
- Cover towards the cost of a dentist opening the dental practice to provide treatment outside normal surgery hours