

Muirhead Dental Practice - Fee List 2010

APPOINTMENTS	Private Fee	Maintenance Plan
<p>During your first consultation, we will assess and give you a full picture of your dental health and fitness. This is likely to take up to 45 minutes. It includes a preliminary discussion, taking of medical history, jaw joint check, oral cancer screen and digital x-rays.</p>	£74	<p>From £9.25 per month</p>
<p>Dental check-up, typically every 9 months. Nine point check of the health of your mouth and surrounding areas with discussion of findings.</p>	£39.50	Covered by The Plan
<p>Hygienist appointment, for plaque control - the key to your dental health. Assessment of dental hygiene, thorough clean of teeth and gum margins, and advice on how to improve homecare routine.</p>	From £33	Covered by The Plan
<p>Appointments for children with a dentist, therapist or hygienist. We have an NHS contract, allowing us to provide treatment for any child or young person up to age 17.</p>	Free	From 18, young people have the option to move into the Maintenance Plan to continue regular dental care.
TREATMENTS	Private Fee	Maintenance Plan
<p>Our fees are based on the complexity of the treatment and the materials you choose. We will provide you with an estimate of the cost before treatment begins.</p>		<p>Maintenance Plan members qualify for a 10% discount on most items. Regular preventive appointments should reduce the need for treatment.</p>
<p>White fillings, made of composite for durability and a natural appearance.</p>	£48-£160	10% discount
<p>Silver amalgam fillings, the traditional type of filling material, highly durable and versatile.</p>	£48-£108	10% discount
<p>Root canal treatment. A complex but worthwhile treatment. Requires two appointments. An infected tooth can usually be saved by having the central pulp space cleaned and filled. The root-treated tooth may need a crown for additional strength.</p>	<p>£202 Front Tooth £252 Premolar £353 Molar</p>	10% discount
<p>Extraction.</p>	From £70	10% discount
ADVANCED AND COSMETIC TREATMENTS	Private Fee	Maintenance Plan
<p>We work closely with our technicians to produce crowns, inlays, veneers and dentures which are natural-looking and durable.</p>		<p>Maintenance Plan members qualify for a 10% discount on most advanced and cosmetic treatments.</p>
<p>Porcelain crowns. Most lifelike and durable for front teeth.</p>	£468	10% discount
<p>Porcelain crowns with a metal lining. Highly durable, natural looking and suitable for back and front teeth where strength is important.</p>	£468	10% discount
<p>Porcelain veneers. For transforming discoloured or chipped teeth.</p>	£364	10% discount
<p>A bridge, to replace a missing tooth. A porcelain tooth is permanently fixed on to a neighbouring tooth or teeth.</p>	From £550. A three-tooth bridge costs £1,460.	10% discount
<p>Implant. Now the gold standard for the replacement of a missing tooth. Fixed in the jaw, the implant procedure is completed with a porcelain crown.</p>	£2,135	No discount
<p>Tooth-whitening. Whitening should be discussed before extensive treatment begins; fillings, veneers and crowns will not lighten.</p>	£325	10% discount
<p>Porcelain or gold inlay. If a tooth has a very large cavity, an inlay will be more durable than a plastic filling.</p>	£364	10% discount
<p>Dentures. One of three excellent options for filling a gap, a denture is removable and versatile.</p>	From £278 for an acrylic partial denture to £744 for full dentures.	No discount
<p>Invisalign. Near invisible orthodontics and not a wire or a traintrack in sight.</p>	From £2,000	Free whitening at the end of treatment.
ALL OTHER PRODUCTS AND SERVICES	Private Fee	Maintenance Plan
<p>We will always see anyone with a dental emergency: please phone after 8.30am weekdays: £45 for non-registered patients.</p>	£18 for 'regulars'	Covered by The Plan
<p>For an out of hours emergency, call 01756 792433 and a dentist will attend the practice. Non-registered patients pay £140.</p>	£60 for 'regulars' seen within the last 12 months.	Covered by The Plan
<p>Small X-rays. Often necessary to diagnose a problem.</p>	£7 each	Covered by The Plan
<p>Prescriptions.</p>	£10	Covered by The Plan
<p>Mouthguard. For those who play contact sports.</p>	Single £48 Spare £24	10% discount
<p>Snoreguard. The way to a sound night's sleep - for both of you!</p>	£176	10% discount
<p>Oral Surgery.</p>	From £70	10% discount

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Cancellations and missed appointments. If you are unable to keep your appointment, please let us know as soon as possible. We reserve the right to de-register patients who repeatedly miss appointments.

Pricing accuracy. All the treatments and services above have been priced as accurately as possible. If a treatment is likely to cost more than is anticipated in this fee guide, we will let you know in advance and provide a full explanation. Similarly, it has not been possible to list all possible dental charges. Any proposed treatment not on this list will be costed and an estimate in writing sent to you before treatment begins.

Spreading payments. We ask for payment at the end of each appointment and we accept credit and debit cards, cash and cheques. The more expensive courses of treatment can be paid for in stages. Do ask how we can help you spread payments.