



Dental Clinic

February 2018 Newsletter

Welcome Alyssa!

We would like to welcome Alyssa Garrard to the practice; she has joined us as a full time dental nurse. She brings a number of years' experience with her and we look forward to her being part of our team!

Save the Date – Thursday 12th April 2018

We are very excited to be planning an open day at the practice. We will be focusing on babies and toddlers as we are promoting advice from Public Health England that all children should see a dentist before their first birthday.

Come along to the practice and see behind the scenes, from reception to cross infection control. We will have a number of staff here to help with any questions you may have.

More details to follow.

We have conducted an audit of our own patients and our statistics show that less than 4% of our patients are under 5 years.

We are accepting new children under 5 years on the NHS.

Top Tips

- Try to cut out snacks completely
- If snacks are given make sure they are SUGAR FREE to prevent tooth decay
 - Make sure you bring your child to the dentist before their first birthday
- Ideal snacks are carrots, cucumber and humous, cheese and crackers, crumpets

Call to Action

If you have a new baby, a new grandchild, work in a nursery or preschool, or know someone who does please pass on this information. We hope to increase our numbers of under 5 year olds within the practice over the coming year and would appreciate your help in getting us there!

Leave it on the shelf

The easiest trick in the book —

If you don't have sweets in the house, no one can't eat them and you'll save money, too!