

As a valued patient at Pediatric Dental Group of Colorado, we appreciate the trust you place in us and our dental team when you choose us as your child's Pediatric Dentist or Orthodontist.

In the current environment, it's important for all of us to participate in our daily activities smarter and more cautiously. That's why we want to personally update you on the situation with COVID-19 (the coronavirus) and the steps we are taking to ensure your health and safety while in our dental offices.

For more than a decade, Pediatric Dental Group of Colorado has been prepared for today's and similar health scenarios. As a recognized community provider, we have strong relationships in place with health experts including local Pediatricians and local Hospitals. We are in constant contact with them to make sure our policies and procedures meet or exceed their guidelines.

We are also following **ALL** State and Federal Guidelines and constantly staying informed of current recommendations from the CDC and WHO.

We've learned from past experience with outbreaks like H1N1 and Ebola, and have continually refined and improved our ability to protect our patients, their parents and members of our dental team. That includes the way we maintain strict compliance to OSHA Guidelines and Infection Control Protocols. The members of our dental team will maintain this steadfast commitment.

Additionally we are increasing the frequency our professional cleaning services are cleaning our facilities. Moreover, our dental team members are cleaning common areas and commonly touched devices with medical grade disinfectant designed to kill viral agents that cause illnesses.

Additionally, we are in contact with our patients and their families.

**Should any of our patients or members of their families have traveled to any of the COVID-19 outbreak countries (China, Iran, Italy, South Korea, and others) or been in contact with anyone who has, we are asking them to reschedule their appointments.**

**If any of our patients or their families demonstrates flu-like symptoms or been in contact with anyone who has we are asking them to reschedule their appointments and to reach out to their primary care physicians for further health guidance.**

To ensure you always have access to the latest information and guidance, we recommend and direct you to the CDC website <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html> for details that are continually being updated.

We fundamentally believe oral health is an important part of your child's overall health. And we appreciate and respect the emphasis you and children place on maintaining oral health.

Thank you for your continued trust in Pediatric Dental Group and we look forward to seeing you and your children as we continue to strive for optimal oral health in this unique and temporary set of circumstances.

Respectfully,

All of us at Pediatric Dental Group of Colorado