



Barley Mow Dental Care

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to Barley Mow Dental Care and to thank you for choosing our practice to provide your dental care.

Your initial appointment with us is usually for 30 minutes with one of our dentists and this will normally include:

- A detailed examination of your teeth and gums.
- Examination of the soft tissues of your mouth including oral cancer screening.
- The taking and assessment of any necessary radiographs (x-rays).
- Discussion of any necessary treatment and the options available, including a full explanation of any costs.
- Formulation of a treatment plan if treatment is required.
- Provision of any emergency treatment that you may require to resolve any immediate problems (e.g. temporary dressings, prescriptions etc.) at no additional charge.

The cost of this appointment is £70. It is our practice policy to give patients full information about the cost of their dental work before any treatment is undertaken. A printed estimate will be provided for any additional treatment necessary and I enclose a list and explanation of our most common private fees.

We offer patients a range of payment options, depending on their needs. I enclose a brochure detailing the Dental Care Plans that are available at the practice and will be happy to discuss these in detail at your appointment.

We try to make payment for your treatment as straightforward as possible. Our normal policy is that patients are asked to pay on the day of treatment. You may pay for your dental care by cheque, cash, or credit/debit card. The amount due at any given appointment will be detailed on your treatment estimate.

Please find the enclosed confidential medical and dental history sheet(s). I would be grateful if you could complete these and either bring them with you to your appointment, or post them to us in the envelope provided. Further copies are available by request or can be downloaded from our website. You only need to complete the full address on one of these sheets for our records.

We look forward to seeing you in the near future...

Ruth, Ann & Sandy
Barley Mow Reception Team