

Observance of Coronavirus pandemic rules for all our valuable patients



Please be advised that our office STRICTLY observes and implements all new rules and regulations now in effect due to Coronavirus pandemic as issued by CDC, ADA and FDA and currently in effect.

In the interest of and for the safety of our patients, our own health, our families, and our entire community at large, all our patients are asked to observe the following rules, with no exceptions whatsoever:

1. Temperature check prior to each appointment
2. Come protected with your own face mask and pen to write with.
3. No companions allowed in the office.
4. Please call us from your car and wait until we call you in for your appointment.
5. Waiting room occupancy is 1 patient only
6. In waiting room stay minimum 6 feet from counter.
7. All discussions (insurance, costs, etc) shall be done over the phone prior to dental appointment.
8. No discussions in operatories or in person is possible any longer in observation of social distancing.
9. Pre-rinsing with ozonated solution, or similar, will be necessary.
10. Do not touch anything in the operatories.
11. COVID19 fee of \$12 will be due and payable BEFORE EACH appointment.
 - This is not related to dental procedures
 - No exceptions possible for ANY circumstance such as evaluation, adjustments, treatment planning visits, etc.
 - This is not an insurance / dental plan covered procedure.
 - It represents but a small portion of many expenses our office and the healthcare industry must cover in order for you as a patient to be seen and protected as well as to prevent drastic cost increases (as per the Florida Dental Association).

You will need to report in the future any changes in your health status immediately to our office and maintain an open communication line with us in order to secure your future appointments.

In recognition of the underlying chronic disease causing the Coronavirus fatalities, we are dedicated to diagnose and treat all forms of **gum disease** in our patients, which is considered to be the essential cause of the majority of chronic afflictions (diabetes, cardiovascular, respiratory disease, etc), shown now as the decisive factors for emergencies and fatalities during Coronavirus pandemic.

If diagnosed with gum disease, please take it extremely serious and cooperate with us to control this now more than ever – vital problem affecting not only you but the society at large and future shutdowns.

Patient signature

Date