

## COVID-19 PATIENT PROTOCOL

Practice your social distancing where possible

**1.** Only enter the clinic if you are not displaying symptoms of COVID-19.

**2.** Enter the clinic at the correct time of your appointment.

**3.** You will be asked to enter the clinic alone. (Excluding children under the age 16 and any patient with special requirement prior to arrangement, we will allow only 1 person with them)

**4.** Before you enter you **MUST** have your own mask and a small disposable bag to put away your mask when you are in the surgery.

**5.** When entering the clinic, you **MUST** use the hand sanitiser provided.

**6.** We will digitally take your temperature.

**7.** If possible only bring necessary belongings with you.

**8.** You will be asked if you need the bathroom when entering

**9.** Any paper work that needs to be handled will be addressed at the door.

**10.** You may be waiting in the reception area before you get called into the surgery.

**11.** Before entering the surgery please leave your belongings outside the surgery. (All personal belongings will be left at the patient's own risk, for that reason minimise what you bring)

**12.** Once you enter the surgery please make sure you keep your mask on until further instructions are provided to you by the dentist.

**13.** During your time in the surgery follow all instructions given by the dentist and staff members.

**14.** Once treatment is completed please put your mask back on and disinfect your hands with the gel provided.

**15.** When exiting please take your mask off and take your belongings out of the plastic bag and put the plastic bag in the bin provided.

Thank you for your cooperation