



The Dental Group West REPORT

THE BEST COMPLIMENT WE RECEIVE IS THE REFERRAL OF FAMILY AND FRIENDS



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The Wisdom of Young Adults.

We're not talking mental prowess, rather those troublesome extra teeth that most of us have or have had. It is unusual for "wisdom teeth", also called third molars, to have enough room to erupt in the average sized young adult jaws.

The best time to consider extracting third molars is when the teeth are not quite fully developed (late teens typically) up to the early 20's. The bone in younger folks is not as dense and makes removal much easier than waiting until adulthood when surgical complications are more common. Summer time is the best time to get this issue resolved because if third molar

pain strikes after school begins, studies and attendance can be adversely affected. We're happy to do a consultation on your teen or young adult at any time, and get them in for treatment.



INVISIBLE BRACES ARE HERE!

So often, young and even older adults avoid having braces done because they have active lives and just don't want to be seen with wires and brackets on their teeth. They likely have the extra income to finally have something done, but the thought of looking like a thirteen year old again in the working world of adults is not appealing. A solution now exists using CAD CAM technology, to have straight teeth and the smile you've always wanted without wires and brackets. The "Invisalign" product, when used by a properly trained dentist, allows the use of a series of clear trays that fit intimately over the teeth and gently move them where they belong. The average person cannot tell you are wearing the thin comfortable treatment shells. If you think you may be a candidate for this great treatment, or would just like to explore it further, give us a call.





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Simply pass our information along to family, friends, colleagues, and anyone else you can think of and we'll hook you up with a pair of movie tickets... good for whatever you'd like to go see!



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KNOW YOUR BENEFITS

As the year winds down, we see many of our patients who have work that needs to be done and who have dental benefits that will cover most or some of the expense. Once the "benefit year" ends, that money that is yours to use, is lost. In some cases we have seen up to \$1500 of unused insurance resources.

If you think you have work to be done, or have been away for a while, we are here to help. Kay and Kendra are experts in tapping into this resource. They'd be happy to look at your situation and answer any questions you may have. Often, we can do "pre-authorizations" for treatment on-line while you wait. Interest free loans are also available for qualified patients having out of pocket expense.

M.I. Paste... Have You Heard?

M.I. paste is a phosphopeptide that binds calcium and phosphate to tooth surfaces. It's an exciting new product that is known for reversing tooth sensitivity and restoring enamel gloss after whitening procedures, relieving dry mouth caused by certain medications, reducing high oral acid levels from excessive soft drink consumption, reversing tooth sensitivity before and after professional cleaning, reducing high oral acid levels - sometimes as a consequence of pregnancy, buffering acids produced by bacteria and plaque, providing regular conditioning during orthodontics, during and after bands or brackets have been removed, preventing and reversing white spot lesions, and providing a topical coating for patients suffering from erosion, caries and conditions arising from xerostomia (dry mouth). The product is safe and easy to use and only requires a visit with your dentist here at Dental Group West to explore this option more thoroughly.

