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MESSAGE FROM GRAHAM MURRAY



2023 already feels so long ago but what a year it has been. I hope that you enjoyed welcoming in 2024 and here's to a year full of prosperity.

At Murray Dental we always try to engage our patients with genuine enthusiasm, warmth and compassion, and we focus our efforts on creating a considerate environment that is respectful of everyone and where patients can feel at ease and amongst friends.

As you know, we aim to deliver an outstanding dental experience that results in each and every patient achieving excellent dental health and a smile of which they are proud. We sincerely hope you feel delighted with your experience and outcome.

So that you continue to benefit from the treatment carried out, we advise you to maintain your oral health and hygiene, with regular visits to the dentist who referred you and be sure to attend regular hygiene appointments too.

We accept referrals from other dentists or self-referrals from patients who have, or perceive they have, high levels of dental need but require treatment that is not covered at a general practice level. We have formed excellent relationships with referring dentists who appreciate our integrity and commitment to providing a first-class service to their patients and may long this continue.

We would be truly grateful if you would leave a Google review that allows others to become more familiar with and confident of the quality of work we do here at Murray Dental.

TEAM EVENTS

To celebrate the end of the year the Murray Dental team had their Christmas party at The Coventry Building Arena. Graham didn't disappoint us again embracing the theme of Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory and coming as Willy Wonka himself!



In February the practice attended a "Great British Bake Off" style baking school in Birmingham as part of our practice social calendar. Great cakes were baked, decorated, eaten and many laughs had. Thank you to all of those who attended the event.



As a practice we find it important to have these team building functions throughout the year as it gives us all a chance to relax and reconnect with each other as life in the practice can be busy.

60 Second Interview At Murray Dental with our lovely hygienist, Rose



- Q. What 3 things would you take onto a desert island?**
Phone, TV, personal chef
- Q. What is your favourite food?**
Spaghetti Bolognese
- Q. If you could choose another career, what would it be?**
Chocolate taster
- Q. What was your proudest accomplishment?**
My family
- Q. Which film can you watch time and time again?**
Love Actually
- Q. What's your favourite thing about working at Murray Dental Practice?**
Lovely staff and patients

Meet our new colleague Dr Nassar Khan

Nassar is a qualified Dentist with a specialist interest in Endodontics.



Nassar has been undertaking clinically demanding and complex root canal treatments (endodontics) for many years treating patients who have been referred to him by their own general dental practitioner.

Although he still practices general dentistry, an ever-increasing amount of his clinical time is being spent offering his expertise to patients who have the desire to conserve their own dentition rather than have a tooth extracted.

Having originally qualified as a pharmacist with a first-class honours degree from Aston University in Birmingham he was accepted on the graduate entry programme at Barts and The London, Queen Mary's school of Medicine and Dentistry.

He obtained his Bachelor of Dental Surgery degree with Honours in 2012 and he later successfully completed his post graduate examinations to become a member of The Royal College of Surgeons England and The Faculty of Dental Surgery, Glasgow.

Nassar continued to pursue his interest in endodontics; went on to complete his Master of Science (MSc) degree in endodontics and he remains an active member of The British Endodontics Society.

All of Nassar's treatments are carried out using state of the art operating microscope's, CBCT scans and the most up to date endodontics's equipment and materials.

If your own dentist has recommended that you seek endodontic treatment from Nassar be rest assured that you have been placed in very capable hands.

What is root canal treatment?

Root canal treatment is the cleaning, disinfecting and filling of the roots of a tooth.

Why is root canal treatment needed?

Endodontic treatment is necessary when the pulp, the soft tissue inside the root canal, becomes inflamed or infected. The inflammation or infection can have a variety of causes: deep decay, repeated dental procedures on the tooth, or a crack or chip in the tooth. In addition, an injury to a tooth may cause pulp damage even if the tooth has no visible chips or cracks. If pulp inflammation or infection is left untreated, it can cause pain or lead to an abscess which can be extremely painful. If root canal treatment (RCT) is not carried out, the tooth may need to be taken out.

What does it involve?

The aim of the treatment is to remove all infection from the root canal. The root is then filled to prevent infection recurring. Root canal treatment is a skilled and time-consuming procedure. All work is carried out whilst looking into your tooth with magnification (operating microscope). Some courses of treatment may involve two or more visits.

At the first appointment the root canal is disinfected and shaped ready for the root filling. The canals will be dressed with an antibacterial paste and a temporary filling is placed on top. The tooth is then left to settle.

The tooth is checked at a later visit and when all the infection has cleared, the root canals and tooth is permanently filled.

Sometimes the treatment maybe completed on the same day with a final filling placed within the canals.

What will my tooth be like after treatment?

Afterwards, you will return to your dentist, who will place a crown or other restoration on the tooth to protect and restore it to full function. You may be asked to return to Murray Dental to take a check x-ray some months later. We will liaise with your dentist at all stages of your treatment with us.



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