# Orthodontics Repository of Communications

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# NHS England: **Dental Practice**:

- Dental standard operating procedure: Transition to recovery Version 3 updated 28 August 2020
- <u>Urgent dental care guidance and standard operating procedure Version 3</u> (updated 28 August 2020)
- Redeploying the clinical dental workforce to support the NHS clinical delivery plan for COVID-19. 17<sup>th</sup> April 2020.

# Letters, updates and additional guidance for dental teams:

- Issue 6, Preparedness letter for primary dental care 28 August 2020
- Issue 5, Preparedness letter for primary dental care 13 July 2020.
- Resumption of dental services in England: letter from Sara Hurley and Matt Neligan. 28<sup>th</sup> May 2020.
- Issue 4, Preparedness letter for primary dental care 15 April 2020.
- Issue 3, Preparedness letter for primary dental care 25 March 2020.
- Issue 2, Preparedness letter for primary dental care 20 March 2020.
- Preparedness letter for primary dental care 6 March 2020.

#### GOV.UK:

• COVID-19: Guidance for the remobilisation of services within health and care settings Infection prevention and control recommendations August 20 2020

#### BDA:

- NHS England/Improvement, BDA, BOS and ADG clarification for orthodontics.
  14 Aug 2020.
- Further clarification of abatement issues 14 July 2020.

#### **Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):**

- Public Health England <u>A visual guide to PPE for AGP and non-AGP care</u>.
- Public Health England <u>summarises recommended PPE for primary</u>, outpatient, community and social care settings.

## **General Dental Council (GDC)**

- COVID-19: GDC guidance for dental professionals.
- The 10 high-level principles of remote consultation and prescribing.

#### **Quality Care Commission:**

Current position on dental care services regarding COVID-19 updates.

### **British Orthodontic Society (BOS)**

# Orthodontic Aerosol Generating Procedures (AGP) and Non-Aerosol Generating (NON-AGP) Procedures

- BOS AGP and NON-AGP in Orthodontic Procedures.
- BOS The AGP Question; Implications for Orthodontics.
- BOS PPE and Decontamination for Aerosol Generating Procedures in Orthodontics (AGPs). (11 May 2020).
- BOS PPE and Decontamination for non-Aerosol Generating Procedures in Orthodontics (non-AGPs). (11 May 2020).

#### Phase 1 - Lockdown

- BOS Phase 1: Managing patients during the lockdown.
- NHS patients video consultations:
  - Fleming / accuRx: https://fleming.accurx.com/login.
  - Attend Anywhere: https://england.nhs.attendanywhere.com/
- BOS Covid-19 Orthodontic Emergencies Protocol.

# Phase 2/3: Delivery of Care in the Post Lockdown Phase

- BOS Checklist to Aid Planning.
- BOS COVID-19 Recovery Guidance, Planning for Re-Opening, Things to Consider.
- BOS COVID-19 Recovery Guidance Cross Infection Control.
- BOS IT in Covid-19 Recovery Management and Guidance for Remote Working.
- BOS COVID-19 Recovery Guidance Patient Communication.
- BOS Patient Letter Template, Welcome Back.
- BOS COVID-19 Screening Questionnaire.
- BOS COVID-19 Recovery Guidance The Orthodontic Workforce.
- Financial Guidance for Primary Care.