

Dear Valued Patient:

We hope this letter finds you and your family in good health. Our community has been through a lot over the last months, and all of us are looking forward to resuming our normal habits and routines. While many things have changed, one thing has remained the same: **our commitment to your safety.**

Infection control has always been a top priority for our practice and you may have seen this during your visits to our office. Our infection control processes are made so that when you receive care, it's both safe and comfortable. We want to tell you about the infection control procedures we follow in our practice to keep patients and staff safe.

Our office follows infection control recommendations made by the American Dental Association (ADA), the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA). We follow the activities of these agencies so that we are up-to-date on any new rulings or guidance that may be issued. We do this to make sure that our infection control procedures are current and adhere to each agencies' recommendations.

You may see some changes when it is time for your next appointment. We made these changes to help protect our patients and our team. For example:

- Patients are allowed in the reception area but you may be given the option to wait in your vehicle if you feel more comfortable.
- We have hand sanitizer for you to use when you enter the office. You will also find some in the reception area and other places in the office for you to use as needed.
- You are require to wear a mask per the governor's health order for health care settings.
- If you are ill, we ask that you reschedule your appointment. We will be happy to take care of that for you.

We look forward to seeing you again and are happy to answer any questions you may have about the steps we take to keep you, and every patient, safe in our practice. To make an appointment, please call our office at 575.524.5812 or visit our website at www.warrenlawdental.com.

Thank you for being our patient. We value your trust and loyalty and look forward to welcoming back our patients, neighbors and friends.

Sincerely,

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