

Limited Dental Warranty

We are proud of our dental services and what they do for our patients. Our goal is to correct your dental problems and have the work we do last for many years to save you time and to save you from unnecessary expenses. We are confident in the durability of the treatment we prescribe for you. However, the primary key to your long-term success is how well you perform your home care: brushing, flossing, using fluoride, and other prescribed products. Also, an equally important key to success is regular professional examinations, cleanings, x-rays, and fluoride.

With these important points in mind, we are pleased to offer the following limited dental warranty:

Permanent Crowns, Bridges, Inlays, Onlays, Veneers

One (1) year warranty from the date of initial placement. We will repair or replace at no additional fee if the restoration broke due to normal use. If the restoration is lost, you will be charged a minimum replacement cost.

Provisional/Temporary Crowns, Space Maintainer

Three (3) month warranty from the date of initial placement of temporary crown. We will recement or repair if the restoration broke due to normal use.

Six (6) month warranty from the date of initial placement of space maintainer. We will recement if it broke loose due to normal use.

If the crown/space maintainer is lost, you will be charged the replacement cost. The labor to recement is free of charge.

Dental Sealants

One (1) year warranty from the date of initial placement. We will repair or replace at no additional fee.

Amalgam and Composite Fillings or Bondings

Two (2) year warranty on permanent teeth and one (1) year warranty on primary teeth from the date of initial placement. We will repair or replace at no additional fee if the restoration broke due to normal use.

Dentures

From the date of initial placement, full dentures, chrome-based partial dentures, and stayplates have a one (1) year warranty, and flexible partial dentures have a warranty of one and a half (1 ½) years. We will repair or replace at no additional fee the broken denture tooth/teeth. In order to have a valid warranty on a broken denture base or clasps, your denture should have been lab-relined at least once a year by our office.

Root Canals

Root canal therapy is about 96% successful. They do occasionally fail. If you loose your tooth within two (2) years due to failure of the root canal, we will refund the root canal fee, or apply it as a credit towards a replacement tooth.

Recementation of Crowns/Bridges/Onlays/Inlays made by Other Dentists

Six (6) month warranty from the date of our initial recementation. If the patient does not follow our recommended treatment plan for the tooth/teeth, the warranty is null and void.

Additional or Repaired Teeth on Dentures

Six (6) month warranty from the date of initial placement due to normal use only. If the patient does not follow our recommended treatment plan, the warranty is null and void.

Repairs - broken crowns, bridges, denture base, and clasps

There is no warranty on our repairs especially if the original restorations were not made by us.

IMPORTANT

<u>To keep this warranty valid, you must</u>: **1.)** Maintain uninterrupted membership in our practice. **2.)** Keep your prescribed regular continuing care appointments (i.e. 3, 4, or 6 months), with no appointment varying more than (45) days from your recommended appointment date **3.)** Maintain your account in good standing and **4.)** Have all recommended dental treatment(s) performed by AllSmile Dental Practice, with the exception of treatment referred elsewhere.

This warranty does not cover damage to teeth or dental prosthesis caused by accidents, trauma, neglect, wear/tear caused by grinding and/or temporomandibular joint dysfunction (TMJ), or improper use (e.g., grinding, clenching, chewing ice or biting non-food items.)