



Strategic Planning and Performance Group

EMERGENCY DENTAL CLINICS (EDCs)

Patients can contact EDCs using the following details only:

SATURDAYS/SUNDAYS and BANK HOLIDAYS TELEPHONE – 028 2566 3510 LINES ARE OPEN BETWEEN 8.00am and 12 noon

Calls will be directed to a dentist for triage and if deemed clinically necessary advice or treatment at an EDC will be provided for the following dental conditions:

- Dental swelling (spreading infection).
- Trauma to teeth arising from an external force.
- Uncontrolled bleeding following extraction.
- Severe dental pain not controlled by over the counter medications.

Please note, as there is high demand for out-of-hours appointments patients may have to travel outside their area for treatment slots. Patients **should not** attend any site without an arranged appointment.

NORMAL GENERAL DENTAL SERVICE CHARGES WILL BE PAYABLE