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### ORTHODONTIC PRIVATE TREATMENT – GUIDANCE ON FEES

# <u>Initial consultation appointment</u>

After discussion and if treatment is appropriate, diagnostic records (xrays and dental models) are taken.

A clinical report is prepared and discussed at a second appointment. This includes the proposed treatment, an estimate of the length of treatment, the fee for the full treatment and payment methods.

# The maximum fee for these 2 appointments is £150.

The quoted treatment fee covers all the orthodontic treatment required: appliance placement, adjustment, and removal and orthodontic retention and supervision.

Most adult cases take 16-24 months to actively treat usually followed by a minimum of 18 months of retention (supporting the teeth in their corrected positions until the supporting tissues adapt to the "new" situation).

Fees are dependent on the severity of the problem, the number and types of appliances needed in the treatment, the expected treatment time and the requirement for retainers and length of supervision period.

#### TREATMENT FEES - A ROUGH GUIDE

These are subject to the severity of the problem, the number and types of appliances needed in the treatment, the expected treatment time and the requirement for retainers and the length of supervision of retention.

Fixed appliances: single arch	£950-£2500
Fixed appliances: both arches	£2750-£4500
Simple removable appliances	£250-£500
Growth modification appliances	£500-£900

#### Provision/replacement of retainers

Fixed retainers	£50-£180
Removable retainers	£50-£60

#### Additional charges which may be incurred

Replacement of lost or irreparable removable

appliances or retainers £50-£200

Clinical time lost when appointments are not kept

or are cancelled with less than 24 hours notice £210 per hour pro rata

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