



To our patients and community,

We are devastated by the unprecedented state of COVID-19 crisis and want to be sure we lead the charge in doing what is right by our immediate community, patients, and our team.

Turlock Children's Dentistry is following the recommendations of the California Dental Association (CDA), the American Dental Association (ADA), American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry (AAPD) and the White House and deferring all elective dental treatment for the next 3-6 weeks.

Dr. Padilla is available to triage and treat true dental emergencies. We urge everyone to stay home and stay healthy.

The following are true dental emergencies:

- Knocked out adult teeth
- Teeth broken with nerve exposed
- Spontaneous tooth pain
- Swelling of the face associated with an infected tooth

We will be open by APPOINTMENT ONLY if your child is experiencing any of the above dental emergencies, please call our office line at **209-353-9912** or our after hours emergency line (after 6pm) at **209-596-5753** and Dr. Padilla will be happy to assist.

We apologize for any inconvenience that this may cause, but we feel it is imperative to slow the spread of this virus. Again, please understand that we are making this decision out of love for our patients, our families, and our team.

Respectfully,

Turlock Children's Dentistry