

Oral & Dental Health Services



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Dear All,

Oral and Dental Health Services in Primary Health seeks to provide quality services and up-to-date in the field of oral medicine and dental surgery. The publication of the e-journal is one of the ideas we are working on for awareness, education, prevention and treatment, and urges all Oral & Dental Health staff to participate in the content for the benefit of all. The journal will also contain community activities and oral health news.

The care of her highness Ms. Faeqa Saeed Al-Saleh - Minister of Health, the support of Dr. Manal Al-Alawi - Assistant Undersecretary of Primary Health and all dental staff with their participation, opinions about the development and improvement will lead to the success of the e-journal.

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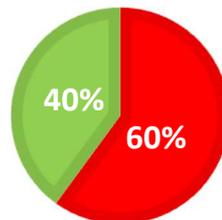
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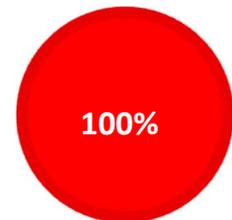
WHO Oral Health Facts



DENTAL CARIES IN SCHOOL CHILDREN AROUND THE WORLD



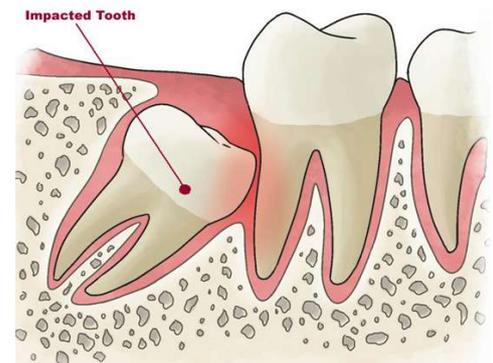
DENTAL CARIES IN ADULTS AROUND THE WORLD



Impacted Tooth

Teeth become impacted when they are prevented from moving into their proper position in the mouth by other teeth, bone or lack of space.

The most common teeth to become impacted are wisdom teeth because they are usually the last to erupt. When the jawbone cannot accommodate these extra teeth, the teeth remain stuck under the gum. This impaction can create pressure, pain, and even jaw soreness.



Bad Breath

If you suffer from bad breath, you are not alone. Bad breath, also called halitosis, can be downright embarrassing.

Gum disease, cavities, oral cancer, dry mouth, and bacteria on the tongue are some of the dental problems that can cause bad breath. Using mouthwash to cover up bad breath when a dental problem is present will only mask the odor and not cure it.

If you suffer from chronic bad breath, visit your dentist to rule out any of these problems.



The Down Syndrome Dental Clinic

In 2007 Down Syndrome Society Center and Oral & Dental Health cooperate to open a dental clinic to provide a comprehensive dental curative, preventive and educational services to down syndrome children in kingdom of Bahrain.



GCC Oral & Dental Health Week

Oral & Dental Health services yearly has organized several activities during the GCC Oral Health Week targeting different age groups to promote oral health among community.



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