

Dental Emergency



STEPS!

Handling pain with care and compassion you can feel!

ADULT TOOTH IS KNOCKED OUT

You should put that adult tooth in milk or saliva and call your dentist IMMEDIATELY! Your dentist may be able to save the tooth.



TOOTH ACHE - CAN'T BE CURED WITH OVER THE COUNTER MEDICATION

Unlike a headache, if a tooth is hurting it must be treated by a dentist. Pain relievers only reduce the pain and even if an antibiotic takes away the pain the tooth is still abscessed!



TOPICAL OINTMENTS - TEMPORARY

Topical ointments that contain pain relievers only provide temporary relief. Check with your dentist to make sure that you are not causing your child's toothache to get worse.

CHIPPED TOOTH

First make sure that your child hasn't injured their head, has no open cuts or wounds and is acting normally (crying is normal if your child has taken a tumble). Check the chipped teeth. If your child seems dazed or confused, CALL YOUR PEDIATRICIAN IMMEDIATELY.



CALL US!

Warr Pediatric Dental Associates has a 24-hour emergency line as well as a wealth of information on our website. Call us at 336-887-9277. When the office is closed press the number "4" to directly connect to our emergency line.