

***Manhasset Miracle Smile
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Dear Patient,

We at Manhasset Miracle Smile want you to know we are doing everything possible to minimize the possibility of Covid-19 transmission at our office. Here are some of the extra things we are doing- (beyond our usual precautions which are very stringent).

- Temperatures are taken of all staff and patients upon arrival using non-contact infrared thermometer.
- A series of important questions are asked which could prompt us to delay or reschedule treatment if the doctor deems it necessary.
- Additional personal protection including head covers, Level III and/or N95 masks, face shields and non-permeable disposable jackets are donned for appropriate services.
- Air filters are placed throughout the office, cycling through air purification during the entire workday.
- Hand sanitizer is offered all over the office, for use by staff and patients.
- Pre-procedural rinses are utilized to minimize bacterial and viral load.
- Unique, high-speed suctioning for all services has been put into place to minimize aerosol dispersion.
- Office appointments have been curtailed to promote social distancing. Waiting room is limited to a maximum of 2 persons, 8 feet apart, but typically there has been less than 5 minutes of waiting time, with 1 person only present. Patients are encouraged to call the office from their cars in order to come straight up and into the treatment room.
- There is a barrier at the front desk to limit face to face contact, and front desk staff wear masks all day as well as assisting staff.

As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please call the office at 516-627-0362, and we will be happy to discuss our precautions. Our screening questionnaire is reviewed on the phone before your appointment, and we will also take your temperature remotely at your appointment. We are dedicated to a safe and comfortable dental appointment- and we appreciate your trust in us!

For more information, please visit the cdc website by using this link:

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/hcp/dental-settings.html> or

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/symptoms.html>

Sincerely,