Package prices are offered for all our procedures that enable patients to know beforehand the cost of their treatment. Dental clinics are located at the ground floor of Private Wing, Clifton Medical Services and University Road Medical Services.

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DENTAL SERVICES INFORMATION FOR PATIENT



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DO NOT NEGLECT YOUR ANNUAL DENTAL CHECK-UP

ALL IT TAKES IS A FEW HOURS A YEAR

Aga Khan University Hospital (AKUH) offers comprehensive dental services which are provided by a team of highly trained and experienced dentists. AKUH dental services are supported by laboratory, radiology and operating room facilities for performing procedures under general anesthesia.

We offer a complete range of dental health services at competitive prices:

Orthodontics (Braces)

Orthodontic service is available and deals with the diagnosis, prevention and treatment of dental and facial irregularities by a variety of appliances for straightening the teeth.

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Various surgical procedures are carried out at AKUH, e.g. extraction, removal of impacted third molars and emergency care including Maxillofacial trauma.

Pediatric Dentistry

An early start in regular dental care is an important step on the road to total health. To be completely healthy, your child needs strong healthy teeth - even baby teeth, which can have the same problems as a child's permanent teeth. These dental problems can interfere with your child's good health.

We can help by:

- Examining your child, to diagnose and treat any dental problems before they become serious.
- Cleaning your child's teeth regularly to prevent decay.
- Providing regular check-ups to make sure that teeth stay healthy.
- Teaching your child how to take care of hislher own teeth with proper dental care habits lo enable: tooth brushing, flossing, eating the right food.
- Safety precautions, which include fissure sealants (fillings) and regular fluoride applications.

Prosthodontics (Crown, Bridge and Dentures)

Restores and maintains oral function by replacing the missing teeth by artificial prosthesis including crowns bridges, dentures (partial and complete) and dental implant.

Endodontic

Root canal treatment is the only way to save your teeth if the tooth pulp which contains nerves and blood vessels becomes infected or damaged because of deep decay or an injury. Root canal treatment is done in one or two visits depending on the condition of the tooth.

Dental Implants

Implants are artificial tooth supports, surgically set in the jaw and can replace any number of missing teeth. They are used in any combination of crown to replace a single missing tooth, bridge to replace multiple missing teeth and dentures to replace all upper and lower missing teeth.

Restorative Dentistry

When decay creates a cavity in one of your teeth, the tooth needs to be filled with a durable material.

Cosmetic Dentistry Bonding

Bonding is the most popular method of cosmetic repair. People can now have gaps between teeth closed, or have cracked, chipped, uneven or discolored teeth restored usually in one sitting.

Teeth Whitening (Bleaching)

People with all types of discoloration of teeth can achieve significant lightening through bleaching. Although some stains may require additional procedures.

Everyone needs to take a few hours from his/hers busy schedule once a year for a dental checkup. Proper dental care is as essential to good health as a balanced diet. The best way to keep teeth and gums healthy is to prevent decay every day. Good teeth and an attractive smile are an essential part of looking good and feeling confident.