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#### **Need Referrals?**

Referrals are always available on our website at *www.DrAlijanian.com* 

- 1. Click "REFERRING DOCTORS"
- 2. Select REFERRAL FORM
- 3. Click on-line Referral form
- 4. Complete form securely on-line OR Print
- 5. Once completed Click submit at the bottom of the form and it will automatically send our office all the information

The secure On-Line Referral Form ensures the privacy of patient's data and we have taken every precaution to protect it.



#### UPCOMING PARTNERSHIP STUDY CLUB MEETINGS:

May 11, 2018 Doctor and Team Meeting



May 31, 2018 Final Dinner



"We are committed to you...Giving patients a reason to smile"

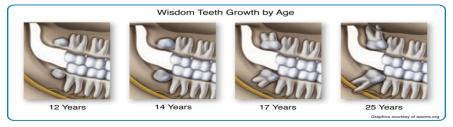


#### Spring has sprung, and summer is fast approaching!

Summer is a busy time for many, with children starting their Summer break, college students returning home, and everyone planning vacation. Our team knows that many patients wait until after they have completed their school year and all of their extracurricular activities to schedule the removal of their wisdom teeth. Our goal is to accommodate as many of your patients as possible. However, this July, Dr. Alijanian will be planning an extended time away due to family obligations, so, we are asking all of our wonderful referring offices to spread the word and encourage patients to call us to reserve their appointments as soon as possible. Dr. Alijanian and our team will be opening additional days to make up for the adjusted July schedule. As always it is our goal to provide you and your patients with the best care possible in the most convenient and comfortable manner.

#### Can't I just keep my wisdom teeth?

When discussing wisdom teeth with patients it is always important to let patients know that just because they are not experiencing pain does not mean that they do not have to worry about their wisdom teeth. Pain free does not mean disease or problem free. In fact, wisdom teeth that come in normally may still be prone to disease, according to a studv bv the American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons (AAOMS) and the Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Foundation. AAOMS strongly recommends that third molars be evaluated by an Oral Maxillofacial Surgeon by the time a patient is a young adult in order to assess the presence of third molars, disease status, and to suggest management options ranging from removal to a monitored retention plan to ensure optimal patient-specific outcomes. We recommend screening at age 14. Please invite your patients to visit our website and click on the wisdom teeth tab or go to https://www.dralijanian.com/ wisdom-teeth/ to watch a video on wisdom teeth management.



Wisdom teeth are easier to remove when the patient is younger, since their roots are not completely formed, the surrounding bone is softer, and there is less chance of damaging nearby nerves or other structures. Removal of wisdom teeth at a later age becomes more complicated as the roots have fully developed (may involve the nerve), and the jawbone is denser.



#### **KUDOS REPORT**

We are excited to congratulate our Implant Treatment and Study Club Coordinator, Elaina Wharton; she has been voted our team member of the month. She is a true leader. No matter how many team members are asking for her assistance she is always patient, positive, and professional - a true "team" player.



*"We believe in education, dedication, communication, and appreciation"* 

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Stay tuned for updates on the construction progress and upcoming open house

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