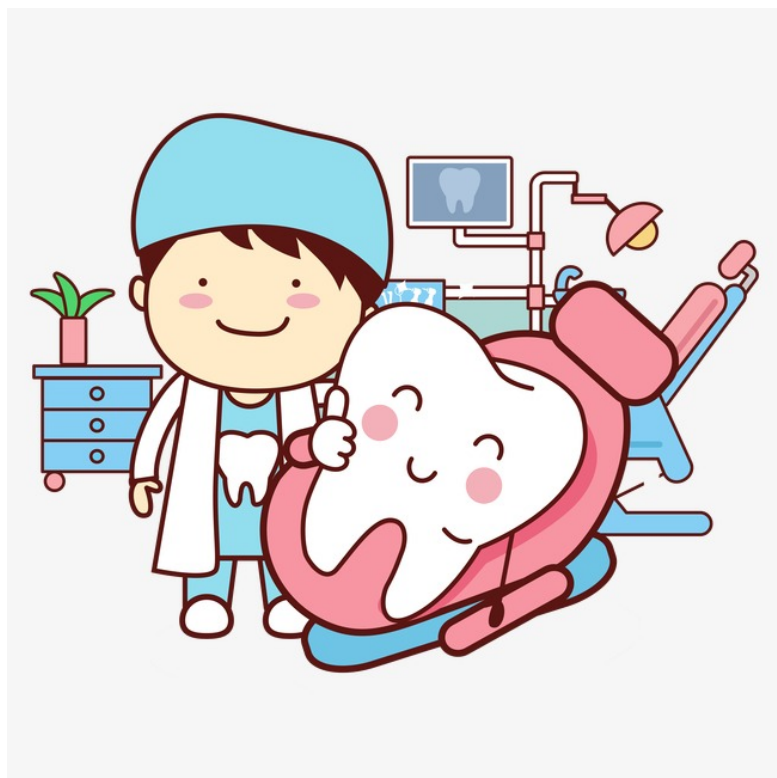


Going to the Dentist!

Autism Friendly Space

A Social Narrative by
44 Dental Care



People everywhere visit the dentist to keep their teeth clean and healthy.

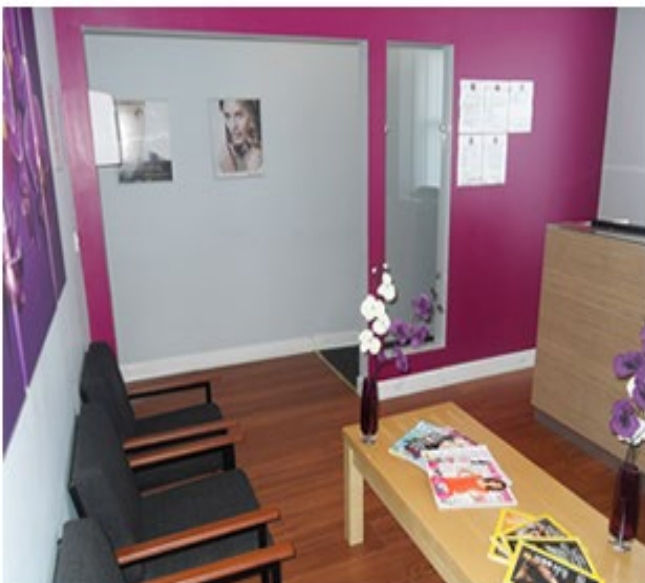


My family goes to the dentist. I can go to the dentist too.



When we go to 44 Dental Care, we will first check in at the front desk. When we check in, I can stay with my family and tell my name to the receptionist.

After we check in, I will have a seat in the waiting room and wait for my turn.



While I am waiting, there are several different things I can do:

- ✓ **I can talk to my family.**
- ✓ **I can play in the waiting room.**



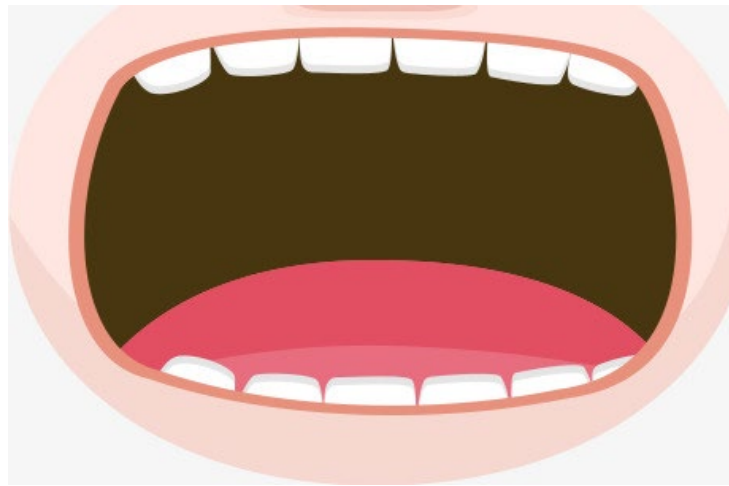
- ✓ **I can also relax in the calming corner.**

When my name is called, I will go to a special room to see my dentist.



I will sit at the big chair. I will wear a special dentist bib. Wearing the bib can be fun!

My dentist will look inside my mouth to help keep my teeth healthy. I will try to keep my mouth open and wait patiently.



If I get nervous:

- ✓ **I can hold my mom or dad's hand or squeeze toys.**
- ✓ **I can say "Stop Please" and take a short break in the Calming Corner.**

After the dentist is finished I will get special stickers.



Going to the dentist can be fun!