

Pediatric Dental Emergencies in Colorado Springs

Your Guide to Handling Dental Emergencies for Children

Based on [Emergency.Html](#) by Cool Mountain Kids Pediatric Dentistry

Q: What should I do if my child has a dental emergency?

A: If your child experiences a dental emergency, call Cool Mountain Kids Pediatric Dentistry immediately at (719) 596-6320. We are available to help with urgent dental needs.

Q: Are you available for emergencies outside of regular office hours?

A: Yes, we offer emergency dental services for children. Please call our office at (719) 596-6320, and we will provide instructions on how to proceed.

Q: What if my child knocks out a tooth?

A: If a tooth is knocked out, try to find the tooth and rinse it gently with water. Do not scrub it. Place the tooth in a cup of milk or saliva and call our office immediately.

Q: What if my child has a toothache?

A: For a toothache, rinse your child's mouth with warm water and use a warm compress on the outside of the cheek. If swelling occurs, apply a cold compress. Call our office for further guidance.

Q: What should I do if my child bites their lip or tongue?

A: If your child bites their lip or tongue, clean the area gently with a wet cloth. Apply a cold compress to reduce swelling and pain. If bleeding is severe, contact our office.

Q: My child chipped a tooth, is this an emergency?

A: A chipped tooth can sometimes be an emergency, especially if there is pain or bleeding. Rinse the mouth with water and apply a cold compress. Contact Cool Mountain Kids Pediatric Dentistry to assess the situation.

Q: What if my child has a tooth that is loose or has been pushed out of place?

A: If a tooth is loose or displaced, try to gently push it back into its normal position without forcing it. Avoid wiggling it. Call our office right away for an appointment.

Q: How can I prevent dental emergencies?

A: Regular dental check-ups, proper oral hygiene, and using mouthguards during sports can help prevent dental emergencies. Ensure your child wears a helmet for activities that pose a risk of head injury.

Q: What information should I have ready when calling for an emergency?

A: When calling for a dental emergency, be prepared to describe the situation, your child's symptoms, and any immediate actions you have taken. This will help us provide the best guidance.

Q: Do you treat infants and toddlers for dental emergencies?

A: Yes, Cool Mountain Kids Pediatric Dentistry provides emergency dental care for children of all ages, including infants and toddlers.

Q: What if my child has swelling in their mouth or face?

A: Significant swelling in the mouth or face could indicate a serious infection. Apply a cold compress and call our office immediately for professional evaluation and treatment.

Q: My child has bleeding gums, when should I worry?

A: Minor bleeding from gums after brushing is usually not an emergency. However, if bleeding is continuous, severe, or accompanied by pain and swelling, contact our office promptly.

Resources & Further Reading

Related guides for these FAQs:

■ Cool Mountain Kids: Pediatric Dental Emergencies (Infographic)

<https://storage.googleapis.com/pediatric-dentistry-checklists-20260707-64863c/pediatric-dentistry/Infographic/emergency-html-infographic.pdf>

■ Handling Dental Emergencies for Children (Process Flow)

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