



# Pudsey Dental & Implant Centre

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## Referral Form

**For Periodontal/Implant/Endodontic and Advanced Restorative Cases**

### Referrer's Details

Date:

Name:

Address:

Postcode:

e-mail:

Fax:

Tel:

### Patient Details

Name

Date of Birth:

Address:

Sex: M / F

Post Code:

e-mail:

Tel: Home

work:

### Presenting Problem

Patient's chief complaint:

Please specify details of any particular problems:

Relevant medical history:

The patient is new to the practice/ attends regularly:

Please enclose an PA+OPT if possible

Date:

Signed:



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## Guidelines for Referring Patients for Periodontal Treatment

### Referral Criteria

Many periodontal cases are treatable in general dental practice and are likely to heal sufficiently after a course of intensive non-surgical therapy, such that no further treatment is required beyond routine maintenance. However if the patient at re-evaluation has one or both of the following then they should be considered for referral;

- Further apical migration of the epithelial attachment or
- BPE 4 in any sextant or both

The following should also be considered (from The British Society of Periodontology document 'Parameters of Care')

BPE score of 4 in any sextant and including one or more of the following factors:

Patients under the age of 35 = Complexity 3

Smoking 10+ cigarettes daily

A concurrent medical factor that is affecting the periodontal tissues

Root morphology that adversely affects prognosis / short root length

Rapid periodontal breakdown >2mm attachment loss in any one year

### When to refer

The success in treating advanced periodontal disease generally occurs in patients with 6-8mm probing depths/clinical attachment loss. Periodontist have limited success when depths are 9mm or greater. Therefore, the **early referral** of cases is likely to provide the best results.

### How to refer

- Send the completed referral form to Pudsey Dental & Implant Centre
- Please enclose appropriate radiographs
- Patient will be contacted, assessed and treated as appropriate
- The referring GDP will be kept informed of progress
- A discharge summary will also be sent to referring GDP and radiographs returned

### Treatment

- Non-surgical and surgical periodontal treatment
- Follow up would be on an individual basis
- Maintenance with referring GDP

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