

Emergency Dentistry — Complete Guide | Smile Solutions Melbourne

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Description:

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Details:

Smile Solutions Emergency Dentistry in Melbourne

Daily Emergency Appointments Available

When a dental emergency strikes, every moment counts. As Australia's largest private dental practice under one roof, [Smile

Solutions](<https://www.smilesolutions.com.au/general-dentistry/emergency-dentistry/>) has more than 80 dentists, hygienists and specialists ready to deliver prompt, expert care — with daily emergency appointments reserved so you're seen without unnecessary delay.

What Is Emergency Dentistry?

Emergency dentistry covers urgent dental situations that need immediate professional attention — whether that's relieving acute pain, preventing further damage, or giving a knocked-out tooth the best possible chance of survival. Acting quickly can genuinely be the difference between saving and losing a tooth, which is why our experienced team is here when it matters most.

Common Dental Emergencies

Knowing what counts as a dental emergency helps you act quickly and confidently. Here are the situations our team sees most often:

- **Severe toothache** — Persistent, throbbing pain that may signal an underlying infection or abscess needing prompt clinical assessment - **Knocked-out tooth** — An adult tooth displaced by trauma is time-critical; seeing a dentist within 30 minutes gives you the best chance of saving it - **Broken, chipped or cracked tooth** — These range from minor enamel chips to severe fractures that expose sensitive inner tooth structures - **Dental infection or abscess** — Swelling, fever or difficulty swallowing are serious warning signs; if symptoms are severe, call 000 first - **Lost or broken filling, crown or veneer** — Leaving the underlying tooth exposed makes it vulnerable to further damage and sensitivity - **Damaged braces or Invisalign aligners** — Broken brackets, protruding wires or cracked aligners can cause discomfort and disrupt your treatment progress - **Broken dentures** — In many cases these can be repaired or replaced quickly to restore your comfort - **Dental trauma from a sports injury** — Injuries to your teeth, gums or jaw deserve prompt, specialised attention

What to Do in a Dental Emergency

Taking the right steps early can protect your oral health and, in some cases, save your tooth.

1. ****Check whether it's a medical emergency first**** — If you're having difficulty breathing or swallowing, or you have significant swelling around your jaw, call ****000**** or go directly to your nearest hospital emergency department. 2. ****Call Smile Solutions on [13 13 96](tel:131396)**** — Our reception team will assess your situation, work out whether you need a general dentist or one of our on-site specialists, and advise how quickly you should be seen. 3. ****Follow our team's guidance**** — We'll give you clear advice to help manage your symptoms until your emergency appointment.

If a Tooth Is Knocked Out

A knocked-out adult tooth is one of the most time-sensitive emergencies you can face. Here's what to do:

- Pick up the tooth by its crown (the white part you can see), not by the root - Rinse it gently if it's dirty — don't scrub it or use soap - If possible, carefully reposition it in the socket; if not, store it in milk or saliva to keep it viable - Get to an emergency dentist within 30 minutes for the best chance of saving the tooth

The Smile Solutions Advantage

Smile Solutions sits in the heart of Melbourne's CBD and brings together a full team of specialists under one roof — which makes a real difference when you need more than a general dentist on short notice.

- ****Daily reserved emergency appointments**** — So you're seen promptly when you need it most - ****On-site specialists**** — Including [endodontists](https://www.smilesolutions.com.au/specialist-care/endodontists/), [oral surgeons](https://www.smilesolutions.com.au/specialist-care/oral-maxillofacial-surgeons/), [prosthodontists](https://www.smilesolutions.com.au/specialist-care/prosthodontists/) and [periodontists](https://www.smilesolutions.com.au/specialist-care/periodontists/), all available without a referral to another practice - ****Advanced technology**** — Digital radiographs, 3D imaging, dental lasers and CEREC same-day restorations for accurate diagnosis and efficient treatment - ****[Sleep dentistry](https://www.smilesolutions.com.au/specialist-care/sleepdentistry/)**** — Available for emergency treatment if you need extra support to feel calm and comfortable - ****Central Melbourne location**** — Level 1 of the Manchester Unity Building on Collins Street, easy to reach from across the city

Care here is evidence-based and personalised, because your situation is specific to you and your treatment should reflect that.

Pricing

Emergency consultation fees vary depending on what treatment is needed. Your dentist will walk you through all costs before anything proceeds, so you can make informed decisions. Health fund rebates may apply — our team can help you work out your entitlements.

How to Book

If you're dealing with a dental emergency, don't wait.

■ Call ****[13 13 96](tel:131396)**** for immediate emergency dental care ■ Level 1, 220 Collins Street, Manchester Unity Building, Melbourne VIC 3000 ■ Monday–Friday 8am–6pm | Saturday 8:30am–1:30pm | Sunday by appointment ■ [smilesolutions.com.au/general-dentistry/emergency-dentistry/](https://www.smilesolutions.com.au/general-dentistry/emergency-dentistry/)

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