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## Preventative Dentistry for the El Reno Community



There are many things that go into making sure you have a beautiful, healthy smile. From brushing your teeth to flossing, it really is the little things that make a difference in the overall health of your smile. A big aspect in making sure your smile is the best that it can be is with **preventative dentistry**. With biannual dental checkups and other preventative measures, **Dr.**

**Michael Kirk and Dr. Adam Cohlma** are able to make sure your smile is the best it can be, and it is important for our patients to know about the options they have in ensuring their oral health.

The biggest aspect in **preventative dentistry** is dental checkups. During your checkup, our doctors will leave no stone unturned when looking for any sort of decay or potential problems in your smile. Part of the checkup includes inspection of your soft tissues, looking for signs of oral cancer or periodontal (gum) disease. Our doctors will inspect each and every tooth, making sure that all is well. Should we find anything in your smile that requires attention, our doctors will tackle the situation immediately. Also, should we find old dental work that needs replacing, such as fillings, crowns, inlays, and etcetera, we will be happy to replace them with tooth-colored alternatives, giving you a more natural looking smile.

The reason why **preventative dentistry** such as dental checkups is so important is because by looking for problems every six months, we are able to handle potentially harmful situations early on, saving you pain and money. Oral cancer claims 7,500 lives every year, and if treated early, we can control and eliminate the harm. We recommend bringing your children, as young as two years of age, into our office to establish healthy oral routines early, and, as always, that you come into our **El Reno** office every six months for your own health and care!

If you'd like to set up an appointment, [call us](#) today at **El Reno Family Dentistry**. Our office is located in **El Reno** and serves patients from **El Reno, Yukon, Minco, Calumet, Hinton**, and other communities in the **Canadian County**.