

Private Dental Hygienist Kidbrooke Introduces Air Polishing Appointments in November 2026 at Kidbrooke Village Dentist (Smile 4 U)

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Kidbrooke Village Dentist (Smile 4 U) has introduced air polishing appointments from November 2026. The new option sits alongside the practice?s existing hygiene appointments. It is open to patients in Kidbrooke and the surrounding area who are looking for private dental hygiene care.

A dental hygiene appointment centres on the plaque and tartar that brushing and flossing cannot fully remove. The dental hygienist cleans the surfaces of the teeth and along the gum margins, takes away built-up deposits, and talks through an oral care routine at home that suits the patient. Regular hygiene visits at the dental practice are part of a preventive approach to oral health, aimed at the conditions behind gum disease and decay before they become problems that need more involved treatment.

Professional insights about dental hygiene appointments and treatments at Kidbrooke Village Dentist (Smile 4 U) can be viewed at: https://smile4u.co.uk/dentist-kidbrooke-london/general-dentistry/dental-hygiene/.

Air polishing is an oral hygiene technique that uses a controlled jet of fine powder and water to lift staining and soft deposits from the tooth surfaces and the gum line. It is generally described as reaching areas that conventional scaling instruments find harder to access, and some patients find it more comfortable than traditional cleaning. It is used for stain removal and plaque disruption as part of a wider hygiene routine rather than as a stand-alone treatment, and whether it suits a patient depends on the condition of their teeth and gums. Air polishing is typically carried out section by section, with suction clearing the water and powder as the hygienist works. Patients can ask the hygienist what to expect before the appointment begins.

A 2025 systematic review and meta-analysis titled ?Does adherence to supportive periodontal care lower the risk of caries and related tooth loss?? (DOI: 10.1111/prd.70060), by Donnermeyer D, Meyer-Lückel H, Stähli A, Cosgarea R, and Wierichs RJ, searched studies dating from 1947 to 2025. Among adults with periodontitis, patients who were less adherent to supportive periodontal care were more likely to experience tooth loss than adherent patients (odds ratio 1.50, 95% confidence interval 1.11 to 2.01), and the authors concluded that adherence to supportive periodontal care is associated with a lower risk of tooth loss in these patients. The findings concern adults with periodontitis who are already attending supportive care and should not be read as evidence that any particular hygiene treatment or practice produces those outcomes.

Further information about Kidbrooke Village Dentist (Smile 4 U) and its dental hygienists can be found at: https://smile4u.co.uk/dentist-kidbrooke-london/.

Kidbrooke Village Dentist (Smile 4 U) is a private dental practice serving patients across Kidbrooke and the surrounding areas of South East London. The team provides general and cosmetic dental care, and patients attend for routine check-ups, hygiene appointments, restorative treatments, and other care according to their clinical needs. As a private practice, appointment structures are set by clinical need, which leaves room for more detailed examinations and longer discussions of treatment where the situation calls for it.

The introduction of air polishing fits within the dental practice?s wider emphasis on preventive care. Preventive appointments deal with oral health concerns before they call for more involved treatment, and air polishing gives patients and the hygiene team another option for keeping the gums healthy and the teeth clean between dental examinations. Treatment options are talked through with each patient before anything begins, so the approach reflects individual clinical needs rather than a standard routine applied to everyone.

Patients booking a dental hygiene appointment may find it helpful to mention any sensitivity, bleeding when brushing their teeth, or recent changes to their home care routine, which gives the hygienist in the dental practice a clearer picture of what to focus on during the appointment.

Kidbrooke Village Dentist (Smile 4 U) can be contacted directly to arrange a hygiene appointment or to ask

questions beforehand. Patients from Kidbrooke and the surrounding areas of South East London are welcome, including those attending a private hygiene appointment for the first time. Anyone looking for a private dentist Kidbrooke can contact the practice directly to check availability for air polishing appointments from November 2026.

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