



*Welcome to the practice of
Frances H. Yankie, D.D.S.*

Your initial visit will include:

- Approximately one hour of evaluation. Doctor Yankie will actively listen to you to understand your wishes and concerns. You are our top priority!
- We will take any necessary images, such as full mouth x-rays (needed every 5 years) or bite-wing x-rays (needed annually). These images are an important tool to detect dental concerns early on that are invisible to the eye or touch.
- Treatment plan and consultation. Doctor Yankie will provide you with the most conservative treatment options. She prefers to preserve as much tooth structure as possible, while providing the best restorative & cosmetic options available for your needs. She is meticulous in restoring your teeth to their natural beauty in the most artistic way. Albeit time consuming sometimes, these procedures will offer important savings to your tooth and your pocketbook in the long run.
- Oral cancer screening and soft tissue exam.
- Periodontal evaluation. Healthy teeth and successful restorative and cosmetic procedures greatly rely on healthy gums.
- Hygiene recommendations. The doctor and hygiene team work closely to personalize your periodontal care to optimize your oral health. The focus is on improving the health of your gums as an essential ingredient in your overall sense of wellbeing. Once all preliminary cleanings have been completed thoroughly, re-care recommendations for hygiene therapy can be anywhere between 1 to 6 months and may include deeper and more intensive cleanings.

So please take some time to schedule an appointment for a gentle cleaning with one of our top professional hygienists. This can be for the same day as; however, it must follow, the diagnostic exam with doctor Yankie. If we schedule a hygiene appointment the same day as the new patient exam, please be prepared for being in the office for at least 2 hours. If you are overdue or need additional hygiene therapy, we will schedule more treatment for another day.

If you have received our new patient forms, please be so kind as to fill them out so we can better personalize your care at your first visit. Please also tell us about your previous dental experiences so we can help you better by requesting all necessary information from your previous dentist before your first visit.

We appreciate your confidence in choosing Dr. Frances Yankie as your preferred dentist. We are happy to have you!

We look forward to seeing you soon.

Dr. Frances H. Yankie and Staff