



## DR. JILL PETERSON | UPTOWN ENDODONTICS, PA

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In years past, “root canal” was all too often associated with the words discomfort and pain. Today, Dr. Jill Peterson is expertly providing her patients with treatment that most patients find comparable to having a cavity filled. Step into Uptown Endodontics, PA, and relax; you’re in excellent hands. In this calm and friendly atmosphere, Dr. Jill Peterson and her staff of five highly-trained, experienced, and dedicated employees provide the highest level of patient care. “I enjoy the challenge of endodontics and caring for each patient’s specific needs,” said Dr. Peterson. The entire staff shares a conservative treatment philosophy and is committed to staying

on the cutting-edge of the latest dental technology with countless continuing education hours each year.

A native of Colorado, Dr. Jill Peterson received her Bachelor of Science degree from Hillsdale College in Michigan. She began her studies at Baylor College of Dentistry in 1993. In 1997, Dr. Peterson concurrently completed her D.D.S. from Baylor College of Dentistry and her Masters of Public Health degree from the University of North Texas Health Science Center in Fort Worth. Dr. Peterson completed her residency in endodontics and Ph.D. in biomedical sciences with an emphasis in craniofacial biology. She held the prestigious Mentored Clinical Scientist Award from the National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research that supported her training and research between 1997 and 2002. Dr. Peterson has published multiple abstracts and papers.

Uptown Endodontics is actively involved with many organizations in Arlington, including Sheltie Rescue and the Arlington Police Canine Unit, and the Arlington Police Department Wrist Band Program that works to help reunite lost children and adults with their families. Dr. Peterson helps train students from Lamar High School in the Health Occupation Students of America program, introducing them to a possible future in dentistry, as well as working with the Texas A&M University Baylor College Dentistry’s (TAMBCD) Post-Baccalaureate Program (PBP), which assists students from culturally diverse and disadvantaged backgrounds in gaining acceptance into dental school.

Dr. Peterson is an avid reader and knitter, and is actively involved in competitively showing her Shetland Sheepdogs in AKC dog sports and conformation. 

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