



**Dr. Holly Ellis, D.D.S.**  
*Owner, Ellis Dental*

Being a dentist is far more than just a job for Dr. Holly Ellis. It's a lifelong passion that was ignited when she was just a first grader attending elementary school in her hometown of St. Louis, Mo. She fell in love with the idea of helping people by creating beautiful smiles, as well as focusing on their health. Today, as a busy wife and working mom of two small children, Ellis has been a practicing dentist for almost a decade and brings this same enthusiasm and dedication to her patients each day. Her tenacity, dedication and hard work have earned her a reputation for professional excellence throughout the St. Louis area.

In addition to being a devoted practitioner, she is consummate business owner and entrepreneur as the proprietor of Ellis Dental, a practice focusing on general dentistry, which she founded in 2009. During the past five years, Ellis Dental has grown to serve more than XXX patients annually. Recently the practice relocated to a state-of-the-art office facility in the Southwest St. Louis County at 10296 Big Bend Boulevard.

Ellis holds a Bachelor of Science degree in cell/molecular biology from Missouri State University. She graduated from the School of Dentistry at the University of Missouri – Kansas City with a Doctorate of Dental Surgery in 2006. She began her career working as an associated dentist for a practice in Kirkwood, Mo.

Throughout her career, Ellis has dedicated herself to furthering the dental profession and is an active participant in continuing education classes and professional associations. She has completed many courses at the esteemed Dawson Academy and Spear Education Center, as well as other continuing education classes in all disciplines in dentistry. Ellis is a member of the following professional organizations:

- Greater St. Louis Dental Society
- Missouri Dental Association
- American Dental Association
- Gateway Study Club (Chapter of the Seattle Study Club)
- Spear Study Club
- Academy of General Dentistry
- Crestwood/Sunset Hills Chamber of Commerce
- Missouri State University Alumni Association

Ellis and her husband, Justin, reside in Kirkwood, Mo. with their two children. In her free time, she enjoys travel, outdoor activities, and spending time with family and friends. She is also an avid fan of "Wheel of Fortune," competing as a contestant on the show in 2003.