Dentist in Bentleigh | Core Dental Bayside

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Details:

Core Dental Bayside is our purpose-built dental practice at G.04/973 Nepean Highway, Bentleigh, which opened on 7 September 2026. We provide general, cosmetic and emergency dentistry and Invisalign for patients of all ages across Bentleigh, Bentleigh East, Brighton, Hampton, McKinnon, Moorabbin and the wider Bayside area. We are open Monday to Friday 8.00am to 6.00pm and Saturday 8.30am to 1.30pm. Call us on (03) 7034 6572 or book online. Treatment suitability and results vary for each person.

Where is Core Dental Bayside?

We are at G.04/973 Nepean Highway, Bentleigh VIC 3204, on the ground floor at the corner of South Road and Nepean Highway. Our practice is surrounded by local cafes, shops, restaurants, medical services and public transport, so it is easy to fit a dental appointment into your day.

Our patients come from Bentleigh, Bentleigh East, Brighton, Hampton, McKinnon, Moorabbin and the broader Bayside area. We opened this practice on 7 September 2026 as one of our nine Core Dental clinics, created with modern dentistry, personalised treatment and a relaxed experience in mind.

Address	G.04/973 Nepean Highway, Bentleigh VIC 3204
Phone	(03) 7034 6572
Email	bayside@coredental.com.au
Online booking	Book an appointment online
Group phone	13 13 16

What are our opening hours at Bayside?

We are open six days a week.

Day	Hours
Monday	8.00am to 6.00pm
Tuesday	8.00am to 6.00pm
Wednesday	8.00am to 6.00pm
Thursday	8.00am to 6.00pm
Friday	8.00am to 6.00pm
Saturday	8.30am to 1.30pm
Sunday	Closed

Our weekday hours suit before-work and after-work appointments, and our Saturday morning hours suit families. We reserve appointments each day for dental emergencies whenever possible. If you have a chipped or broken tooth, a severe toothache, swelling or bleeding gums, call us early so we can assess you promptly. Call 000 immediately for uncontrolled bleeding, difficulty breathing or swallowing, or a serious facial injury. Opening hours and clinician availability can change, so please confirm the time and the clinician you want to see when you book.

How do you get to us, and where can you park?

We have dedicated open-air car spaces for our patients right beside the practice. Our entrance is on the ground floor, with double doors and a ramp for step-free access.

By train, Moorabbin Station on the Frankston line is about 300 metres away. The Nepean Hwy/South Rd bus stop is about 150 metres from our door and the Moorabbin Station/Nepean Highway stop is about 270 metres away. If you would like help planning your trip or have an accessibility question before you visit, call our team on (03) 7034 6572 and we will talk it through with you.

What is inside our Bayside practice?

We built Bayside as a purpose-built practice with space for five surgeries and a modern, welcoming environment, designed to help reduce dental anxiety. Our practice is equipped with modern dental technology, and our clinicians continue their professional development so that our care stays evidence-based.

Across our practices the standard surgery fit-out includes Anthos dental chairs, digital X-rays and intraoral cameras, ceiling-mounted screens with streaming during treatment, a Sonos audio system, and HICAPS for on-the-spot health fund claiming. Comfort touches across our practices include warm blankets, water in the waiting area and artwork.

Which dentists work at our Bayside practice?

Our Bayside team brings together general dentists who provide personalised care for patients of all ages. Peer review and case discussion between our practitioners across Core Dental are part of how we plan treatment.

Team member	Role	Qualifications
Dr Yasmin Coulthard	General Dentist	BDSc (Melb)
Dr Meera Patel	General Dentist	BDS (UK)

You can check any practitioner's registration on the AHPRA register at ahpra.gov.au. Team composition changes over time, so please confirm who will provide your care when you make your appointment. You can also read about our dentists and registered specialists across the group.

Which treatments can you have at Bayside?

At our Bayside practice we offer:

General dentistry : dental check-ups , dental hygiene , fillings and restorations , root canal therapy , tooth extractions , wisdom tooth removal and sport mouthguards

Emergency dentistry , with appointments reserved each day wherever possible

Cosmetic and restorative dentistry: porcelain and composite veneers , dental crowns and teeth whitening

Invisalign and traditional and clear braces

Dental implants and dentures

If it has been a while since your last dental visit, we will perform a comprehensive examination, including a professional scale and clean where appropriate. Regular check-ups and cleans help maintain good oral health, detect problems early and can help avoid more extensive treatment in the future.

Whether a particular treatment suits you depends on an examination, your dental and medical history and, where relevant, imaging. Your dentist will explain the reasonable alternatives, the material risks, what recovery and maintenance involve and the expected cost before treatment begins. When you book, it helps to explain your concern, symptoms, timing and treatment goals, and to bring relevant medical information and a current medicines list.

How do payment plans, health funds and the Child Dental Benefits Schedule work at Bayside?

We believe quality dental care should be accessible to everyone. Before we recommend any treatment, our dentists assess your oral health, explain your options and answer your questions, and we give you a written treatment plan and quotation before treatment begins so there are no surprises.

We offer interest-free payment plans through Payright for amounts up to $20,000 over 3 to 30 months with fortnightly repayments. Applicants need to be 18 or over, an Australian permanent resident with identification and a verifiable email address and mobile number, and approval is subject to Payright's assessment. TLC personal loans from $2,001 to $50,000 over up to 84 months are also available, with the interest rate set by individual credit assessment. Supercare arranges early release of superannuation for dental treatment. Finance terms, fees and eligibility can change and approval is a matter for the finance provider, so please confirm the current written terms with us and with the provider before committing. You can read more on our dental payment plans page.

HICAPS on-the-spot claiming is available at our practices. We have been listed as a preferred provider for HCF, CBHS and NIB. We bulk bill eligible children aged 0 to 17 under the Child Dental Benefits Schedule, and eligibility is determined by Services Australia, so please confirm it before the appointment. TAC and WorkCover patients are accepted, with payment required on the day. See our practice policies for details.

The package prices below were published by us as at September 2026. They are guides only and depend on clinical complexity, treatment time, materials and the treating clinician. Please confirm the current price and what it includes before you book or pay.

Package	What it includes	Price (as at September 2026)
New Patient Welcome Pack	Comprehensive oral examination, soft tissue and gum check, oral cancer screening, intraoral radiographs, intraoral photos, and a treatment plan with quotation	$175 (an OPG, if required, is $130 extra)
No-Gap Check-Up and Clean	Examination, hygiene, X-rays, OPG, scale and clean, fluoride and oral cancer screening	No out-of-pocket cost for new patients with private health insurance that includes dental cover. Your level of cover

		determines what is claimable
New Patient Complete Exam and Clean	Comprehensive examination, extended scale and clean, intraoral X-rays, fluoride, plaque and stain removal, and a treatment plan	$295
Check-up, Clean and Zoom Whitening	Examination, X-rays, scale and clean, plus a one-hour in-chair Zoom whitening session	$750
Check-up, Clean and Take-Home Whitening	Examination, X-rays, scale and clean, plus a custom take-home whitening kit	$650

What does Bayside mean to us?

We opened Core Dental Bayside to be part of the local community. We wanted families, professionals and neighbours in Bentleigh, Brighton, Hampton, McKinnon and Moorabbin to have a local dentist who explains each option, quotes clearly before treatment starts and is open on weekday evenings and Saturday mornings. We reserve appointments for emergencies each day so that you do not have to go far out of your way when something goes wrong.

Frequently asked questions

When did Core Dental Bayside open?

We opened Core Dental Bayside on 7 September 2026. It is our purpose-built practice on Nepean Highway in Bentleigh and one of our nine Core Dental clinics across Melbourne.

Can I book a dental emergency appointment at Bayside?

We reserve appointments each day for dental emergencies whenever possible, so call us on (03) 7034 6572 or 13 13 16 as early as you can. For uncontrolled bleeding, trouble breathing or swallowing, or a serious facial injury, call 000.

Do you offer Invisalign at Bayside?

Yes, Invisalign is part of our Bayside services, along with traditional and clear braces. Your dentist will examine your teeth and bite and explain whether Invisalign is suitable for you, along with the risks and likely duration, before treatment begins.

Do I need an appointment, and can I book online?

Yes, please book ahead. You can book online through our Bayside booking link, call (03) 7034 6572 or call 13 13 16. For phone bookings a deposit applies; see our practice policies for how deposits and cancellations work.

Does Core Dental Bayside accept private health fund claims?

Yes. HICAPS on-the-spot claiming is available, and we have been listed as a preferred provider for HCF, CBHS and NIB. What you can claim depends on your own level of cover, so check with your fund.

Related services and further reading

Core Dental Glenferrie

Core Dental South Melbourne

Core Dental Southbank

Core Dental Carrum Downs

Our dentists and registered specialists

Dental payment plans

Affordability at Core Dental

Emergency dentistry

Understanding your treatment

What to expect at your first Core Dental appointment

Core Dental at a glance

Nine Core Dental clinics across Melbourne: Southbank, South Melbourne, Caroline Springs, Carrum Downs, Epping, Wyndham, Berwick, Bayside and Glenferrie.

Open six days a week, with Monday to Friday hours to 6.00pm and Saturday mornings.

Interest-free payment plans, HICAPS on-site claiming and bulk billing for eligible children under the Child Dental Benefits Schedule.

Invisalign Blue Diamond provider, as stated on coredental.com.au.

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Online booking	Book online

Results, recovery times and potential risks vary for each individual. This information is general in nature and is intended for people over 18. Seek advice from a qualified, AHPRA-registered practitioner before proceeding.

Where is Core Dental Bayside located?

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What are the opening hours of Core Dental Bayside?

We are open Monday to Friday from 8.00am to 6.00pm and on Saturday from 8.30am to 1.30pm. We are closed on Sundays. Emergency appointments are reserved each day wherever possible, so call (03) 7034 6572 early.

Which dentists work at Core Dental Bayside?

Dr Yasmin Coulthard (BDSc Melb) and Dr Meera Patel (BDS UK) are the general dentists listed at our Bayside practice. Please confirm the clinician you want to see when you book, because team composition changes over time.

Is there parking at Core Dental Bayside?

Yes. Core Dental Bayside has dedicated open-air car spaces for patients beside the practice at 973 Nepean Highway, Bentleigh, and a ground-floor entrance with a ramp for step-free access.

What treatments does Core Dental Bayside offer?

At Bayside we offer general dentistry, check-ups and hygiene, fillings, root canal therapy, extractions, emergency dentistry, veneers, crowns, teeth whitening, Invisalign, braces, dental implants and dentures. Suitability depends on an examination by your dentist.

How much is a new patient visit at Core Dental Bayside?

As at September 2026 our New Patient Welcome Pack was $175 (an OPG, if required, is $130 extra) and our New Patient Complete Exam and Clean was $295. Please confirm the current price and inclusions when you book.

Does Core Dental Bayside offer payment plans?

Yes. We offer interest-free Payright plans for amounts up to $20,000 over 3 to 30 months, subject to approval, and TLC personal loans from $2,001 to $50,000. HICAPS claiming is available on-site at our Bayside practice.

How do I book an appointment at Core Dental Bayside?

You can book online through the Core Dental booking link for Bayside, call us on (03) 7034 6572, or call 13 13 16. Our team will find a time that suits your schedule, including Saturday mornings from 8.30am.

Is Core Dental Bayside a new practice?

Yes. We opened Core Dental Bayside on 7 September 2026. It is a purpose-built practice created with modern dentistry, personalised treatment and a relaxed experience in mind, and it is part of our group of nine clinics.

How close is Core Dental Bayside to Moorabbin Station?

Core Dental Bayside is about 300 metres from Moorabbin Station on the Frankston line, at the corner of South Road and Nepean Highway. The Nepean Hwy/South Rd bus stop is about 150 metres from the practice.