

Children's Dentist at Core Dental Southbank

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When Should My Child First Visit the Dentist?

We recommend your child's first dental visit by the age of 12 months, or when their first tooth appears. Early visits help us detect any concerns early, provide guidance on teething and diet, and most importantly, help your child become familiar with the dental environment before any treatment is ever needed.

What We Offer for Children at Core Dental Southbank

- Gentle check-ups and cleans tailored to children's needs - Children's check-ups from \$80 - Digital X-rays (using the lowest possible radiation dose) - Fissure sealants to protect newly erupted permanent molars from decay - Fluoride treatments to strengthen developing teeth - Early assessment for orthodontic concerns - Guidance for parents on diet, fluoride, brushing techniques, and teething - Happy gas (nitrous oxide) available to help anxious children feel calm and comfortable

Specialist Referral Pathway

Our experienced general dentist team at Southbank is skilled in caring for children and creating positive dental experiences from a young age. For children who require specialist paediatric dental care, we have a clear referral pathway to our Specialist Paediatric Dentists at other Core Dental locations, ensuring every child gets the level of care they need.

Child Dental Benefits Schedule - Bulk Billing

Core Dental Southbank bulk bills eligible children under the Child Dental Benefits Schedule (CDBS). Children aged 2 to 17 from families receiving eligible Australian Government payments may access up to \$1,026 in dental benefits over a two-year period, covering examinations, X-rays, cleaning, fissure sealing, fillings, and extractions.

To check your child's eligibility, visit MyGov (Medicare) or contact our practice - we are happy to help you understand what is covered.

HICAPS On-Site

We have HICAPS on-site for instant health fund rebate processing, so you only pay the gap on the day - no waiting for reimbursement.

****Creating Positive Dental Experiences****

We know that a child's early dental experiences shape their relationship with dental care for life. Our Southbank team creates a warm, welcoming environment - from the non-clinical decor to our gentle, patient-centred approach. We explain everything to your child in age-appropriate language and always move at their pace.

For anxious children, we offer happy gas (nitrous oxide) - a safe, mild sedation that helps children relax while remaining fully conscious. It wears off within minutes of the appointment ending.

All clinicians at Core Dental Southbank are AHPRA-registered and members of the Australian Dental Association.

Families in Southbank, South Yarra, and surrounding inner-city suburbs find our City Road location easy to reach by tram along St Kilda Road or a short walk from Flinders Street Station. With extended hours until 6:00 pm, it is straightforward to fit children's appointments around school pick-up or a busy commute without the stress of driving into the CBD.

****Book Your Child's Appointment****

Give your child the best start in dental health. Book at Core Dental Southbank:

- Phone: (03) 8547 0780 - Call nationally: 13 13 16 - Online: coredental.com.au - Email: southbank@coredental.com.au

****Visit Us****

55 City Rd, Southbank VIC 3006 Short walk from Flinders Street Station; multiple tram stops along St Kilda Road Nearby street parking and CBD car parks

Open Monday to Friday 8:00 am - 6:00 pm and Saturday 8:00 am - 1:30 pm. Your Local Dental Practice - coredental.com.au