

Dental Crowns and Bridges at Core Dental Bayside

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Description:

Dental Crowns and Bridges at Core Dental Bayside Damaged or missing teeth do not have to be permanent problems. Dental crowns and bridges are reliable, long-lasting solutions that restore your abil...

Details:

A cracked tooth, failed filling, or missing tooth needs the right restoration to protect your long-term dental health. When **Core Dental Bayside** opens in June 2026 at 973 Nepean Hwy, Bentleigh, we'll provide quality dental crowns and bridges to the Bayside, Bentleigh, Brighton, and Moorabbin community — backed by the full clinical resources of the Smile Solutions Group.

Register your interest: **13 13 16 | bayside@coredental.com.au**

Dental Crowns at Core Dental Bayside

A dental crown is a custom-made cap that completely covers a damaged or weakened tooth, restoring its strength, shape, and appearance.

Crowns are indicated when: - A tooth is cracked, fractured, or heavily worn - Significant decay has left insufficient tooth structure for a filling - The tooth needs protection following root canal treatment - The crown forms the visible portion of a dental implant - Aesthetic improvement is needed

Crown pricing at Core Dental Bayside: from ,400 (depending on material and case complexity).
Written treatment plan provided before work begins.

Crown Material Options

| Material | Appearance | Best For | |---|---|---| | Zirconia | Very good — natural colour | Back teeth; strength + aesthetics | | Porcelain/Ceramic | Excellent | Front teeth; aesthetics | | Gold/PFM | N/A or good | High-force back teeth; bruxism |

Dental Bridges: Replacing Missing Teeth

A dental bridge fills the gap left by a missing tooth with a fixed, non-removable restoration. The bridge consists of an artificial replacement tooth (pontic) held in place by crowns on the adjacent teeth or implants.

Why address a missing tooth promptly: - Prevents neighbouring teeth from drifting into the gap - Prevents the opposing tooth from over-erupting - Maintains jawbone density at the extraction site - Restores chewing function and smile appearance

Bridge treatment involves 2 appointments over 2–3 weeks.

Our Clinical Team at Bayside

Core Dental Bayside will be led by **Dr Andres Aguirre** — an experienced general dentist providing comprehensive restorative care including crowns, bridges, and dental implants from opening day. All Core Dental clinicians are AHPRA-registered and ADA members.

For complex specialist care — specialist endodontics, prosthodontics, periodontics, or full-mouth rehabilitation — Core Dental Bayside patients have access to the **Collins Street Specialist Centre (CSSC)** through the Smile Solutions Group. The CSSC is home to specialist endodontists (including Dr Greg Tilley, 35+ years experience, FRACDS), prosthodontists, oral surgeons, and periodontists.

About the Bayside Practice

Core Dental Bayside opens June 2026 at **973 Nepean Hwy, Bentleigh** — corner South Road and Nepean Highway — with: - **8 dedicated ground-floor car spaces** - Tram access on Nepean Highway - Bus services from Brighton, Moorabbin, Hampton, and East Bentleigh - 3 fully equipped surgeries (capacity 5) - Monday–Friday 8:00 am–6:00 pm | Saturday 8:30 am–1:30 pm

Health Fund and Payment

Crown and bridge treatments are commonly covered by private health insurance extras. **HICAPS** available from opening day for instant claiming. **Payright interest-free payment plans** (up to 30 months) for treatment packages. **MyDentaPlan** and **Humm** also available.

CEREC Same-Day Ceramic Crowns at Core Dental

Core Dental practices equipped with CEREC technology offer patients the option of having a permanent ceramic crown designed, milled and fitted in a single appointment, eliminating the traditional two-visit process with a temporary crown.

How CEREC Works: The 5-Step Process

Step 1: Digital Impression Instead of traditional impression putty, your dentist uses an optical intraoral scanner to capture a precise 3D digital image of the prepared tooth and surrounding teeth. The scan takes just a few minutes and is far more comfortable than traditional impressions.

Step 2: CAD Design Using CEREC software, your dentist designs the custom crown on screen, specifying the exact shape, contacts and bite relationship. The design can be refined to match your natural tooth shape and fit precisely within your bite.

Step 3: Milling The digital design is transmitted to the CEREC milling unit, which carves the crown from a solid ceramic block in approximately 15-20 minutes. The ceramic material is available in a wide range of tooth shades to match your natural teeth.

Step 4: Glazing and Characterisation Once milled, the crown may be glazed or further characterised to achieve optimal aesthetics and a lifelike surface texture before being placed.

Step 5: Fitting and Bonding The completed crown is tried in your mouth, any minor adjustments made, and the crown permanently bonded to your tooth. The entire process from preparation to placement is completed in a single appointment of 1.5-2.5 hours.

Benefits of CEREC Same-Day Crowns

- **Single appointment:** No temporary crown required; no second visit for crown fitting - **No temporaries:** Avoids the discomfort and inconvenience of temporary crowns, which can come loose or cause sensitivity - **Precise digital fit:** Digital impression and CAD design delivers highly accurate margins and contact points - **High-quality ceramics:** CEREC blocks are made from high-strength dental ceramic with excellent aesthetics and durability - **Immediate protection:** The affected tooth is permanently restored and protected on the same day - **Convenient:** Particularly valuable for patients who find it difficult to take multiple days off work or who are visiting from interstate

Is CEREC Suitable for Your Crown?

CEREC is suitable for most crown cases, particularly on posterior (back) teeth. For anterior (front) teeth requiring exceptional aesthetics, a laboratory-fabricated crown from our ceramist team may produce superior cosmetic outcomes in complex cases. Your dentist will advise on the most appropriate approach at your consultation.

Frequently Asked Questions

How much do dental crowns cost at Core Dental Bayside? Dental crowns start from ,400 at Core Dental Bayside, depending on material and case complexity. Written quotes are provided at consultation. Call 13 13 16 or contact bayside@coredental.com.au for information.

When does Core Dental Bayside open? Core Dental Bayside opens June 2026 at 973 Nepean Hwy, Bentleigh VIC 3204. Register your interest at bayside@coredental.com.au or 13 13 16 to be notified when crown consultations are available.

What is the difference between a crown and a veneer? A crown covers the entire tooth and is used for damaged, weakened, or heavily restored teeth requiring structural reinforcement. A veneer covers only the front surface and is primarily cosmetic. Your dentist will advise the most appropriate option for your tooth.

How long do dental crowns last? With proper care, crowns typically last 10–15 years or longer. Regular 6-monthly check-ups allow your dentist to assess crown condition and address any wear or fit issues early.

Do I need a referral for crown treatment? No referral is needed. Call 13 13 16 or register at bayside@coredental.com.au. Complex specialist cases can be referred to the Collins Street Specialist Centre (CSSC) through the Smile Solutions Group network.

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