

Dental Crowns and Bridges at Core Dental Wyndham

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Description:

Dental Crowns and Bridges at Core Dental Wyndham **Core Dental Wyndham | 242 Hoppers Ln, Werribee VIC 3030 | (03) 9749 6677 | wyndham@coredental.com.au** Whether you have a cracked tooth, a faili...

Details:

When a tooth is cracked, decayed, or missing, the right restoration makes a significant difference to your long-term dental health. **Core Dental Wyndham** provides high-quality dental crowns and bridges for patients across Hoppers Crossing, Werribee, Wyndham Vale, and Point Cook — supported by the most specialist-rich Core Dental suburban team, including our on-site **Specialist Periodontist**.

Address: 242 Hoppers Ln, Werribee VIC 3030 **Phone:** (03) 9749 6677 | **National:** 13 13 16
Hours: Monday–Friday 8:00 am–6:00 pm | Saturday 8:00 am–1:30 pm

Dental Crowns: Protecting and Restoring Your Teeth

A dental crown is a custom-made cap placed over a damaged tooth, fully encasing it to restore strength, shape, and appearance.

Crowns are indicated when: - The tooth is cracked, heavily worn, or fractured - Significant decay has left insufficient healthy tooth for a filling - The tooth needs protection after root canal treatment - The crown will sit atop a dental implant - Aesthetic improvement is needed (shape, colour, contour)

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

Crown Materials

| Material | Appearance | Best For | |---|---|---| | Zirconia | Very good | Back teeth — strength + natural colour | | Porcelain/Ceramic | Excellent | Front teeth — aesthetics | | Gold | N/A | High-force back teeth; grinding | | Porcelain-fused-to-metal | Good | Versatile |

Dental Bridges: Fixed Solutions for Missing Teeth

A dental bridge permanently fills the gap from one or more missing teeth using artificial replacement teeth (pontics) anchored by crowns on adjacent teeth or dental implants.

Why a bridge over leaving the gap? - Prevents adjacent teeth from drifting into the space - Prevents the opposing tooth from over-erupting - Maintains jawbone density in the area - Restores full chewing function and smile appearance

Bridge treatment at Core Dental Wyndham requires two appointments over approximately 2–3 weeks.

Our Clinical Team for Crowns and Bridges

Crown and bridge work at Core Dental Wyndham is led by an experienced team:

- **Dr Darren Manoharan** (BDS, University of Queensland) — Lead Dentist; 15 years of experience; special interest in crown, bridge, and implant restorations; handles complex multi-unit cases including full-arch restorations - **Dr Anika Moyeed** (BHSc, MDent) — speaks English and Bengali; comprehensive restorative care - **Dr Alpa Lodhiya** (BDS, University of Melbourne; GradCert Mental Health) — 20+ years private practice; calm, patient-centred approach to restorative treatment

What makes Wyndham special for complex cases: - **Specialist Periodontist Dr Nupur Kataria** (BDS; Doctorate in Clinical Dentistry — Periodontics, University of Adelaide; Fellow RACDS; former Senior Lecturer, University of Adelaide Dental School) on-site. For patients needing crown lengthening, gum treatment before crown placement, or osseointegration management for implant crowns, Dr Kataria's specialist input improves outcomes significantly - **Specialist Orthodontist Dr David Austin** (BHSc Melb; MDS Orth Hong Kong; MOrth RCS Edinburgh) — for cases where orthodontic space creation is needed before crown or bridge placement - **Dental Prosthetist Ahmed Saoud** (AdvDip Dental Prosthetics, 2012; 20 years industry experience) — complex restoration planning and dental prostheses

For specialist prosthodontic assessment or full-mouth rehabilitation cases, we refer to the **Collins Street Specialist Centre (CSSC)** through the Smile Solutions Group.

Preferred Health Fund Provider

Core Dental Wyndham is a **preferred provider for HCF, CBHS, and NIB**. Patients with these funds receive higher rebates on restorative treatments including crowns and bridges. **HICAPS on-site** for instant claiming. **Payright interest-free plans** (up to 30 months) for treatment packages.

Getting to Core Dental Wyndham

242 Hoppers Ln, Werribee VIC 3030 — on-site parking; near Pacific Werribee Shopping Centre. Easily accessible from Hoppers Crossing, Wyndham Vale, Point Cook, and Laverton.

Frequently Asked Questions

How much do dental crowns cost at Core Dental Wyndham? Crowns start from ,400 at Core Dental Wyndham, depending on the material and case complexity. A full written, itemised quote is provided at consultation. Preferred provider status for HCF, CBHS, and NIB means higher rebates for patients with these funds. Call (03) 9749 6677 for information.

Does Core Dental Wyndham offer implant crowns? Yes — Dr Darren Manoharan has a particular interest in implant restorations. Core Dental Wyndham can place the implant crown (the visible portion) for implants placed here or referred from other practices. For complex implant cases, we work closely with the Collins Street Specialist Centre.

What is the difference between a crown and a bridge? A crown restores a single damaged tooth. A bridge replaces one or more missing teeth — using crowns on adjacent teeth to anchor the replacement. Your dentist will discuss whether a bridge or dental implant (which does not require preparation of adjacent teeth) is the better long-term solution for a missing tooth.

****How long does crown treatment take at Core Dental Wyndham?*** Standard crown treatment involves two appointments over 2–3 weeks. The first appointment (preparation and impressions) takes approximately 60–90 minutes. The second appointment (fitting) is usually 30–45 minutes.

****Do I need to see a specialist for a crown?*** Most crown and bridge procedures can be completed by our experienced general dentists. Specialist input from Dr Nupur Kataria (periodontics) is available on-site at Wyndham for cases involving gum health or crown lengthening. Complex prosthodontic or full-mouth rehabilitation cases can be referred to the Collins Street Specialist Centre.

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