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The Newsletter from Far Headingley Dental Care

New Dentist Joins

We are delighted to announce that we have a new dentist Miss Victoria Dyer joining the dental team in April. Victoria was brought up in Skipton and qualified from Newcastle Dental School in 2002.

She is currently working towards her Certificate in Advanced Restorative Dentistry and is passionate about providing excellent cosmetic dentistry.

Victoria is engaged to Will and is getting married in July 2007. She enjoys walking, cooking and gardening. In addition to working all day on Fridays Victoria will be working a late session on Wednesdays until 7.30pm. This will provide additional convenience for clients who require later appointments.



Tooth & Gum Beauty Therapy

One of the new services that FHDC is pleased to now be able to offer is that of a dental hygienist.

Lisa Ramage joined the team in January and provides two important services. The first is regular cleaning and polishing of your teeth and oral hygiene instruction between dental visits. The second is treatment



Positive Changes

Throughout 2006 we will be investing into improving Far Headingley Dental Care. Behind the scene new facilities have already been introduced for the dental team. These include a staff room, kitchen and meeting & training room.

In April the refurbishment of the surgeries will begin. By the summer we will have two working surgeries which will be more comfortable and pleasant. It will also mean that we will be able to offer more appointments because of the increased capacity.



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for those people who have gum disease to help stabilise it and help prevent tooth loss.

Your dentist will be able to provide more advice of FHDC's hygienist services during your routine dental examination.

Regular visits to a hygienist can help prevent the need for dental treatment and reduce your overall dental costs.

The cost for hygienist visits may be included if you are on Budget Care Plan or Denplan.

Meet the team...

Name: Dr Purvi Precious

Role: Principal Dentist

Purvi is married to Adrian and has a Chocolate Labrador called Bodie

Born: London

Age: 30

Likes: Walking, Skiing & Scuba Diving, Yoga & spending time with family and friends

Favourite Food: Anything spicy especially Thai

Favourite Film: The English Patient

What do you love about your job?

Meeting new people. Helping people improve their confidence through cosmetic treatment and working with a great team!



Refer a Friend Scheme for £5 @ FHDC

Want to save £5 off your next appointment then simply refer a friend who is currently not registered with FHDC to us.



Make sure you tell them to say who so sent them so we can add a £5.00 credit to

your account after they have had their initial consultation appointment.

Leeds Hospital Fund Benefits

Did you know that from just £2.73 a week you can join the Leeds Hospital Fund where you and any dependent children can claim up to £95 each year for the cost of dental treatment plus many other health related costs including opticians, physiotherapy, hospital admissions, chiropody, chiropractic treatment and

Headingley Chiropractic Clinic

We are pleased to be able to offer our patients who require chiropractic services 25% off their first consultation. Please pop upstairs or phone the clinic on 0113 228 9888

Q&A's

Here's the answers to a few question we get frequently asked?

Q. Why do I get asked to fill in a medical history form?

When a dentist sees a patient for the first time it is important that they understand any medical conditions that may affect or be affected by dental treatment. This is for your safety and needs to be kept up to date when you visit the practice

Q. Why has the dentist referred me to the hygienist?

Dental hygienists provide a variety of services (see front page) If you have been referred to a hygienist your dentist feels that you would benefit from these extended services that cannot be completed during a normal dental visit

Q. Can I have my teeth whitened if I have crowns?

Tooth whitening only whitens natural teeth. If you need crowns fitting and are considering whitening it's best to do this first. If you already have crowns fitted you are advised to speak to your dentist at your next appointment for personal advice

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Opening Hours

Monday to Friday
8.40am - 12.30pm
2.00pm - 5.30pm
(Wed -7.30 pm)

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Your Team

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Hygienist Lisa Ramage DipDT&DH

Interested in joining our team?

We are currently recruiting dental nurses and a gardener @ FHDC

Please contact the practice for more information