

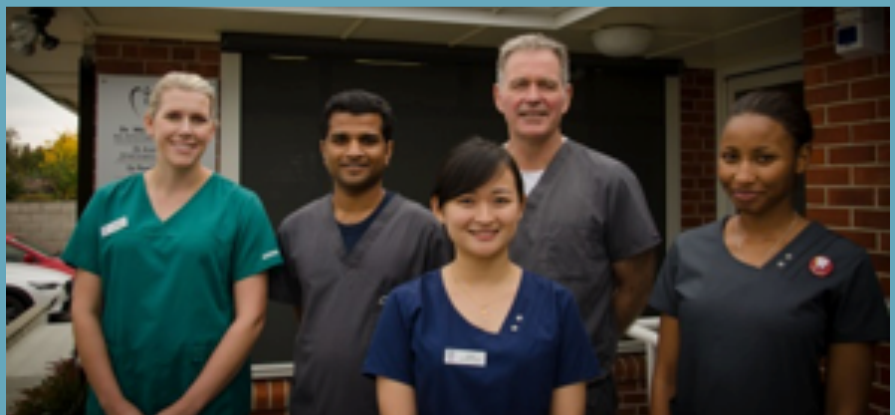
DENTISTRY ON PARKSIDE NEWS BITES

Welcome to our Dentistry on Parkside March 2019 newsletter

Dentistry on Parkside has seen considerable changes in the last 12 months. We were grateful to have had Dr Kevan Wong with his special skill in implant surgery. At Dentistry on Parkside we continue to provide implant treatment with myself and Arun Velusamy fulfilling the need for the growing demand for this service. We were also very pleased to have had Dr Payman Hamadani return as a locum late last year with his special interest in endodontics. We wish him well as he continues his trainings as a specialist endodontist at Otago University.

With the help of Dr Payman Hamadani, Dr Kevan Wong, Dr Arun Velusamy, Dr Phodiso Tuwane and support staff, Mary-Jo and I were able to go to St Johns theological college in Auckland for the year.

It is so good to be home in Ashburton. We still have further training to do at St Johns but I will be continuing to work at Dentistry



on Parkside, three days a week while being part time as a local Anglican Priest into the future.

Every organisation goes through periods of transition and last year and this year is indicative of this, but I want to thank all our loyal patients, and I am especially looking forward to seeing you in the future at the surgery.

We sadly farewell Amanda Allen, Oral Health Therapist, who has been with us for 9 years. It has been a great having her as part of Dentistry on Parkside especially

when you consider when she arrived as a new graduate there were no oral hygienists working in Mid-Canterbury, Amanda has proven to be a pioneer in this respect. With her clinical skill and concern for patient welfare she has been instrumental in growing this part of the dental practice to the extent we have two Oral Health Therapists, thank you.

- **Michael Holdaway**



Amanda Allen - Oral Health Therapist

Farewell

After nine years in Ashburton at Dentistry on Parkside I am sad to be announcing my leave from the practice.

I would like to thank all the wonderful patients I have treated over the years, and am sorry that I am unable to say goodbye in person. You will be in excellent hands with Joanne Lee for your future dental hygiene and therapy appointments, and a new Oral Health Therapist will be appointed in the future.



Joanne Lee,
- Oral Health
Therapist

We are fortunate to have Joanne Lee, Oral Health Therapist who has been with us at Dentistry on Parkside for 4 years. Joanne is available to help Amanda's patients. We are currently advertising for a Hygienist/Oral Health Therapist.

Maternity Leave

Dani our Senior Dental Assistant will be going on maternity leave. We wish her and her partner all the best with their new role as parents.

We are fortunate to have Rachel Whaley return to our staff. Rachael was previously with us for 3 years and has returned to the practice after an absence of 3 years, she will be acting as Senior Dental Assistant while Dani is away.

Baby news

Payman Hamadani and his wife Mona have recently had their baby boy.



1 year anniversary at Dentistry on Parkside

Phodiso Tuwane has been with us for a year. Phodiso offers all aspects of general dentistry and is available to see new patients. The staff and patients enjoy having Phodiso at Dentistry on Parkside.



Phodiso Tuwane -
Registered Dentist

At Dentistry on Parkside we offer regular braces or clear aligners, for teeth straightening.

Clear aligners allow you to simply insert and wear a set of clear plastic aligners over a period of time. By progressing through your set

of customised invisible aligners, your teeth continue to move and straighten into position. It's that simple and that easy.

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Sat 8.30am - 1pm

