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## Leopold dentist welcomes leading-edge tech

EXPERIENCE GATEWAY PLAZA FAMILY DENTAL'S WORLD-CLASS TECHNOLOGY AND DEDICATED CARE FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

Gateway Plaza Family Dental is leading the way with world-class technology in a warm and caring environment.

The Leopold dental clinic has advanced equipment that is among the best in the world and prides itself on personalised treatment plans for the whole family.

With experienced dentist Nassier Al Obedy at the helm, the Bellarine Highway practice is committed to ensuring each patient receives highquality care in a relaxed atmosphere.

The custom-built practice has an exciting array of services including general dentistry, dental implants, teeth whitening, Invisalign and dentures.

Patients can rest assured they're in good hands with Dr Al Obedy, who has almost 30 years' experience caring for patients from all walks of life.

He took over Gateway Plaza Family Dental, which opened in 2017, earlier this year.

"The practice in Leopold is on par with the best clinics available in Beverly Hills," he said.

"This practice has been custom built for purpose and has a range of features to make sure patients have the most relaxed visit possible.

"We have free carparking on site and we're close to the Bellarine Peninsula and Geelong."

Dr Al Obedy, who is known to patients as Nas, worked with the New Zealand Navy before moving to Australia. He completed a postgraduate diploma in dental implants at the University of Sydney in 2006, around the time he began living and working in Geelong.

He was practice principal at Bupa Dental in Belmont for 16 years.

Due to sporting injuries as a child, Dr Al Obedy has undergone extensive dental treatments, which allows him unique insight into the most comfortable way to execute procedures.

"I have had every treatment imaginable," he said.

"It helps me as a dentist because it's an education that you don't get at university."

His passion for dental implants, which can replace one or several teeth, stems from their ability to change patients' lives, allowing them to talk, smile, eat and laugh with the confidence they deserve. Using 3D software and advanced technology, Dr Al Obedy can complete an implant surgery without the need for a single stitch.

His desire to be a dentist was fuelled by his love of a challenge, keen attention to detail and passion for keeping up to date with fast-paced changes in dental technology.

Gateway Plaza Family Dental's team includes oral health therapist Laura Malishev, who has dental phobia herself and understands the importance of compassionate, gentle care.

Mrs Malishev adores working with children to develop positive dental habits early in life, ensuring



their experience at the dentist is always positive by keeping on top of any potential issues that may arise.

For state-of-the-art dentistry services and personalised care look no further than Gateway Plaza Family Dental. Visit the practice within the Gateway Plaza Shopping Centre, 641-659 Bellarine Highway, Leopold. Book online at gwdental.com.au or phone 5295 7960. Gateway Plaza Family Dental has a dedicated and experienced team including Natasha Adams, Aneeshya Nidhin, Laura Malishev, Tracy Brajkovic, Dr Nassier Al Obedy and Shoko Fallah. Photo: Glenn Ferguson



# Your Local Geelong Family Dental Clinic

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Missing lower teeth replaced by single implant . Work by Dr.Nassier Al Obedy & Monolithic Dental Lab /Geelong

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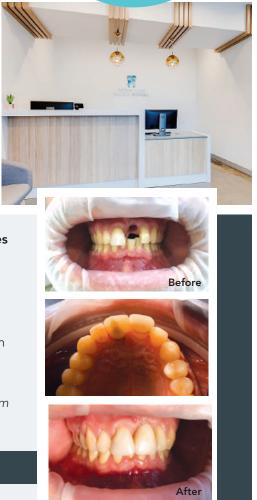
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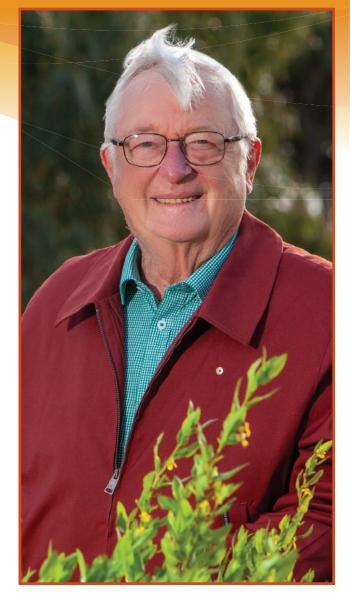


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