



“Learn how to smile again with Invisalign”

Dr Tiang says it's important to find a dentist or orthodontist who is certified and experienced in doing the treatment. *“Skilful orthodontists and dentists can use Invisalign to solve a wide variety of orthodontic issues.”* Dr Tiang has experience in enhancing smiles using braces, plates, clear aligners and cosmetic dentistry such as porcelain veneers and bonding. He says, *“Going to someone with experience and training in several fields can be of great benefit to patients. Knowing what makes a beautiful smile and being able to use the many options modern dentistry can offer enables me to give my patients exactly what they want.”*



Your new smile THE MODERN WAY

With Invisalign you can have perfect teeth – without ruining your social life

Remember when metal braces came with a big list of what you could and couldn't safely eat? Sticky and hard foods were all off the menu for teenagers burdened with a mouthful of metal for more than two years.

Now you can have a beautiful, healthy smile, without sacrificing your lifestyle or favourite foods. Invisalign is a revolutionary new adult orthodontic system using clear plastic aligners to gently and painlessly shift teeth into place, creating a perfect smile with a fraction of the inconvenience and discomfort of metal braces.

Because Invisalign aligners are virtually undetectable, you can continue to socialise with confidence – most people won't even know you're wearing them. And they're totally removable, so if you have a special meal or social event planned, you can simply take them out for a while and put them back in afterwards.

You can also remove them to brush and floss your teeth, making them far more hygienic to wear than metal braces, and because they're softer than metal they're more comfortable and won't cause abrasions to the mouth, gums or tongue.

Invisalign aligners are suitable for fixing a range of common orthodontic problems, including crowding or excess spacing of teeth, overbites, underbites and crossbites.

Using high-tech three-dimensional computer graphics, your dentist will devise a treatment plan that's unique to your needs.

You'll even get to view a computer-generated image of what your teeth will look like once the treatment is complete. Then a series of aligners will be produced, each nudging the teeth a little further in the desired direction. You'll wear each set for about two weeks, and because you replace them yourself, you'll make far fewer trips to the dentist than with traditional braces.

Research reveals that more than 80 per cent of people believe straight teeth and a nice smile make a person more attractive and are important for self-esteem. If you've spent most of your life trying not to smile because of uneven teeth, now is the time to sort them out once and for all. It's never too late to improve your smile!

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To find out if Invisalign is right for you, talk to NZ's Platinum Provider of Invisalign, Dr Roger Tiang, in Auckland (Downtown Dental, 09 302 7066) or Hamilton (Northcare Dental Centre, 07 850 5100), or visit www.straightteeth.co.nz for more information.