**General Dental Practitioner**

**Work type:** Part-time or full-time opportunity  
**Location:** Carlton

**Melbourne Dental Clinic**

**About Melbourne Dental Clinic**

The Melbourne Dental Clinic (MDC) was established by the University of Melbourne in 2013 to provide excellence in clinical education for the next generation of dental professionals and increase access to comprehensive dental care for members of the public.

As a world-class teaching clinic, our services are provided by undergraduate students and postgraduate dentists training at the University of Melbourne under the supervision of expert academics and qualified and experienced dentists and dental specialists.

At the MDC we have access to the latest equipment and technology, which allows us to provide the highest standard of service and convenience. As one of the largest teaching dental clinics in Australia we are unique in our ability to offer comprehensive general dentistry services, as well as services in six specialty areas, all in one location.

Our mission is to provide world-class education and training to our students and provide high quality, dental care and exceptional service to our patients. We share the University of Melbourne’s mission to be a world-class education and research facility and strive for continuous innovation and excellence in comprehensive dentistry.

**About the Role**

A unique opportunity exists for a dentist with experience in all aspects of general dentistry, to build a career and a strong patient base within the Melbourne Dental Clinic. You will have access to state of the art clinical facilities and the opportunity to develop strong relationships with the Melbourne Dental School, University of Melbourne. You will have quality DA and interdisciplinary ‘on the floor’ support as well as the opportunity to be mentored by the Clinical Director, MDC. The role attracts excellent remuneration with significant incentives.

The role of General Dental Practitioner has been developed to meet the strategic direction of the MDC through the provision of outstanding dental services to our patients. The position will work closely with the Clinical Director, MDC Executive Team and external stakeholders to ensure the effective and efficient delivery of clinical excellence. Aligned with this appointment, the successful candidate may be eligible for an honorary clinical appointment with the Melbourne Dental School, University of Melbourne.

The primary accountabilities of the role of General Dental Practitioner are to;

- provide dentistry services within the MDC Private Clinic, seeing patients as an MDC dentist  
- lead the development of, and participate in, clinical audit, clinical protocols, complex case review
• drive continuous improvement within the MDC by developing meaningful relationships with students, post graduate students, Clinical Governors
• lead and participate in staff development, particularly with dental assistants.

**Essential Selection Criteria**

• A registerable Dental Qualification in Australia with current AHPRA registration with a minimum of five years’ experience working in private practice in all aspects of general dentistry
• Exceptional patient management and interpersonal skills with the ability to communicate with a diverse group of clientele and stakeholders
• Strong organisational and time management skills, with the ability to provide clear direction to Dental Assistants
• A passion for delivering exceptional standards of patient care
• Demonstrated ability to build and maintain effective and productive relationships with a wide range of internal and external stakeholders
• Flexibility and openness to new ideas and change with an ability to be innovate and provide creative solutions
• Current and up-to-date knowledge of National Infection Control standards, regulations and guidelines as well as current and up-to-date knowledge of OH&S issues and compliance within the Dental Industry
• Hold a current Radiation License and relevant insurances (professional and public liability)

**Key Relationships (Internal and External)**

• Melbourne Dental Clinic Executive Management Team
• Melbourne Dental School
• Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences
• MDC Clinical Governors
• MDC Clinical Supervisors
• Dental Assistants

Please submit your application through the APPLY FOR THIS JOB button next to the advertisement on the SEEK website.

A cover letter, CV and document addressing the key selection criteria listed in the position description will need to be included in your application.

For inquiries please contact Dr George Alexander, George.alexander@unimelb.edu.au do not send your application to this email)

**Applications close:** Friday 7 December 2018