



In this era of commercialism and over-consumption, we felt it was imperative to return to the indispensable elements of the Season of Giving by providing a little joy to those who needed it most.



This past Holiday Season, instead of sending out a gift that you may not have had a use for, we chose to donate a number of items to the 38 special children residing at St. Joseph's Orphanage. Some of these kids, who ranged in age from 5 to 15, had spent many years at St. Joseph's without the luxury of warm and well-fitted clothing. Instead, they had been dressed in old hand-me-downs and clothes that didn't fit.

Kids being kids, a misplaced glove, mitten, hat, or scarf left behind at school or anywhere else is commonplace; and more often than not, there are never enough warm clothes to go around to every child. That is why, in your honor, these great children received vital necessities like warm coats, hats, and gloves, as well as toys and other gifts from their "wish lists" this Christmas.



Like so many in the dental profession, we truly feel that we are part of our local community. During the holidays especially, we feel that it is extremely important for us to do something that gives back to a community that has given us and our families so many wonderful opportunities. Here at ADL, we are fortunate enough to have a laboratory full of employees that are much more like a large extended family. For this reason, it was no surprise that we unanimously agreed to make this a very Merry Christmas for the children in our area that are greatly in need of both help and hope.

This past Holiday Season, your team members at ADL Dental Laboratory decided to return to what we feel is the true meaning of Christmas: to give generously to those less fortunate.

We made a list. We checked it twice.



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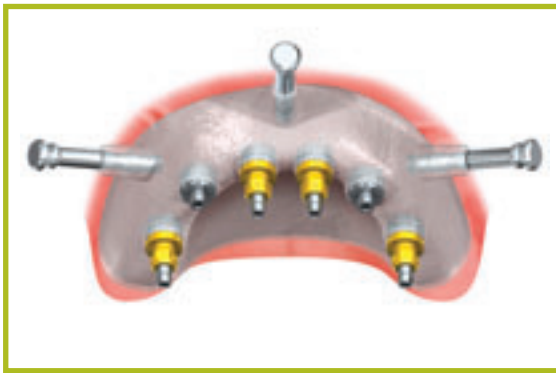


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All-on-4™



The All-on-4™ clinical solution is a minimally invasive procedure that is geared towards existing and future totally edentulous patients. All-on-4 has been developed to maximize the use of available bone, allowing for immediate function of fixed prostheses. As

one of only a few dental laboratories in Kentucky who have the extensive Nobel Biocare training that is required, we are very excited to provide the All-on-4 treatment procedure.

The All-on-4 solution yields the ability to achieve primary implant stability with no severe parafunctions. The All-on-4 treatment plan does not call for a wider opening of the mouth than a normal straight position of the implants, thanks to the angulation of the posterior implants.



Additionally, the All-on-4 solution makes use of a simple guide that helps achieve predictable positioning of the implants. All-on-4 also facilitates an optimal prosthetic support for a high pressure modeled acrylic bridge that can be fabricated and functioning shortly after surgical treatment. If you select the All-on-4 treatment procedure, we will work closely and carefully with you and to ensure maximum patient acceptance.

At ADL Dental Laboratory, we are dedicated offering innovative services that set us apart from other dental laboratories. We are proud to be the area's leader in dental implants; an achievement which can be attributed to our accessibility, convenience, and friendliness. From cost planning to the final components, our highly trained and experienced staff can assist you with All-on-4 every step of the way. As part of our commitment to superior service, we will even loan you the wrenches and tools.



The NobelGuide Treatment Concept

With NobelGuide, the placing of the implant, abutment, and restoration takes place in one visit. The final prosthesis is worked out prior to surgery, and an accurate CT scan determines bone quality and implant placement within a 3-D environment. This allows the implant surgeon to place the implants and order the surgical stent all without any discomfort to the patient. Once the surgical stent has been returned to the qualified dental laboratory, a master model is poured from the stent and the restorative work begins. Based on the design of the surgical template, the dental implants and the final prosthesis are placed the same day, a technique built on Immediate Function™.



Benefits of Immediate Function™



Immediate Function™, Immediate Function, combined with temporary or final prosthesis (Teeth-in-an-Hour™) ready at surgery, radically shortens treatment. Because of the NobelGuide treatment concept, dental professionals have increased predictability, improved pre-production prosthesis planning, and reduced inventory. As well, dental professionals now have a new means of differentiating and developing their business to stay competitive in the ever-growing implant market.



This procedure is geared towards totally and partially edentulous patients and single-unit cases. This is not to over simplify the procedure, as there is extensive training and pre-treatment planning that MUST take place in order for this delicate and exact treatment to become a success.



This treatment involves the NobelGuide concept and a screw-retained,

permanent prosthesis fabricated utilizing Procera® technology. For more information on this new and exciting concept please call Chris Morris or Linda Gavin at 502-451-2200 or 800-456-1292.

The Procera® Advantage Program

Because we are consistently striving to discover new opportunities to strengthen our relationships with new and existing clients, we are pleased to be a part of the new Noble Biocare™ Procera® Advantage Program.

Because there are virtually no dental laboratories in the Kentucky area that have discovered this program, we feel that it gives our clients the accessibility that they deserve. It's really simple to enroll in the program as it offers some pretty substantial benefits, including Procera Crown Certificates, which are easily redeemed at ADL Dental Laboratory.



We are optimistic about the program and the results of Procera, which delivers lifelike esthetics with near-metal strength and precise fit. Procera also allows for traditional seating and cementation methods, and it will save you precious chairtime. We encourage you to take a look at the program and its many benefits, and also to consider us when redeeming your certificates.



We welcome your questions and are always happy to provide qualified technical assistance.