








Why choose Sunshine Coast Radiology for your Dental Imaging?

-  We provide a comprehensive range of Dental Imaging and Reporting services.
-  Dental x-rays are fast and provide important results to your dentist, orthodontist, or specialist.
-  Diagnostic dental imaging can help provide early detection, which increases the chances of successful treatment and recovery.
-  The radiation dose in dental imaging is very low.
-  Dento-Maxillofacial Reporting or DMFR is a specialised area and our DMF Radiologists bring their advanced experience and knowledge to the Sunshine Coast Community.

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A guide to Dental Imaging



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Comprehensive Dental Imaging at Sunshine Coast Radiology



OPG

An Orthopantomogram, or OPG, is a special type of x-ray that looks at the lower face, teeth, jaw joints and maxillary sinuses. It provides a panoramic or wide view which displays all the teeth of the upper and lower jaw on a single film. You will be asked to stand with your face resting on a small shelf and to bite gently on a sterile mouth piece for the imaging to be taken.



Lat Ceph

A Lat Ceph is a side view x-ray of the face, which demonstrates the bones and facial contours in profile on a single film. This is particularly useful to plan any orthodontic treatment that may be necessary. You will be standing next to an image plate and a pair of cone shaped plastic supports will be positioned in each ear gently. This aligns both ears to ensure that an exact side view of the face is obtained for your referrer.



Cone Beam CT

Cone Beam CT is a relatively new technique, which is used to assess the jaws and teeth. Its main advantage compared to OPGs and other dental x-rays is that it provides three-dimensional imaging. This data can be used with other software, for example, for implant planning. You will be asked to stand with your chin resting on a small support shelf for the imaging.



CT Dentascan

A CT Dentascan is a specialised type of CT scan that uses special software to construct unique 3D pictures of your jaws and surrounding tissues. This is particularly useful in assessing the position of teeth and also for placement of dental implants. Images will be assessed by our Radiologists and the report will be forwarded on to your specialist.

Is any special preparation required?

It is preferable for you to phone ahead and make an appointment. No special preparation is required, but you will be required to remove any jewellery or metallic items from the head and neck region, including any piercings, hair accessories, dentures and dental plates. Your dentist or specialist may provide you with a special plate to wear during the scan. Please bring this to the appointment. Images will be assessed by our Radiologists and the report will be forwarded on to your referrer.



Are there any side effects?

- Side effects from general or dental x-rays are incredibly rare.
- If you are pregnant or suspect that you may be, please tell your doctor or radiographer before the test is performed, as special precautions may be required.
- Please bring any previous imaging with you on the day of your examination. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to ask us!