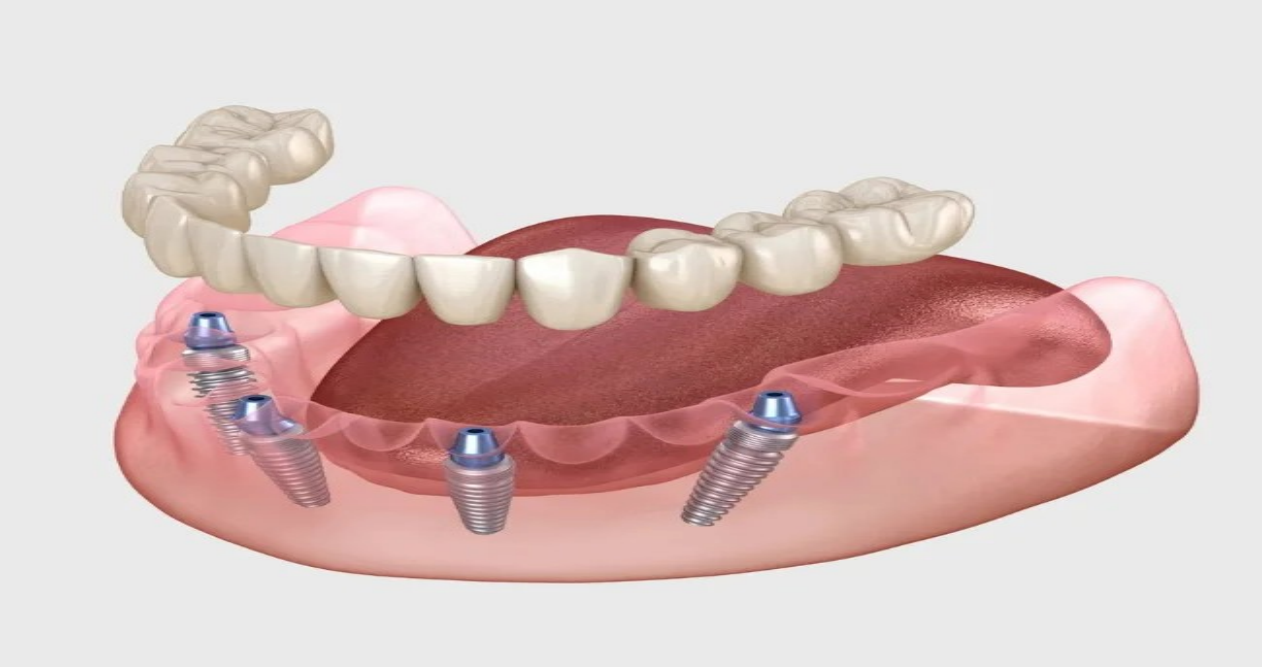

Croydon Full Mouth All-on-4 Dental Implants Dentist Dr Mori Shahid Suggests Treatments for Missing Teeth at Smile 4 U Dental Practice

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Smile 4 U - Croydon has announced the availability of consultation appointments for patients interested in full mouth dental implants as a long-term option for replacing missing teeth. The practice stated that growing numbers of patients are seeking complete arch replacement treatments that aim to restore both function and appearance while reducing some of the limitations associated with removable dentures.

According to the practice, tooth loss can affect everyday activities including chewing, speaking, and confidence in social settings. Full mouth dental implants are increasingly being discussed by patients looking for a more stable solution where several or all teeth are missing. Among the options available at Smile 4 U - Croydon are All-On-4 dental implants, a treatment approach designed to support a complete arch of replacement teeth using a smaller number of strategically placed dental implants.

The practice explained that All-On-4 dental implants are commonly used for complete arch replacement in

either the upper or lower jaw. Unlike traditional removable dentures, the replacement teeth are fixed into position and supported by implants placed within the jawbone. This may help improve stability during speaking and eating while also providing a more natural feel for some patients.

Smile 4 U - Croydon noted that treatment planning for full mouth dental implants is carried out individually, taking into account oral health, bone structure, and the patient?s long-term expectations. Consultations are intended to help patients understand the stages involved and determine whether implant-supported replacement teeth are suitable for their circumstances.

Details about how All-On-4 dental implants help replace a full arch of teeth and regain a complete smile can be found at: https://smile4u.co.uk/dentist-croydon/dental-implants/all-on-4-dental-implants/.

Consultations at the practice generally begin with a detailed examination of the mouth, gums, and remaining teeth. Imaging and scans may also be used to assess bone levels and help determine implant positioning. The dental team explained that discussions during consultations typically include information about treatment timescales, healing periods, oral hygiene requirements, and the long-term maintenance associated with implant-supported teeth.

The practice stated that some patients attending consultations may have experienced long periods of tooth loss or difficulties wearing removable dentures. In these situations, discussions are focused on identifying practical treatment pathways while explaining both the advantages and limitations associated with implant treatment. Recommendations are based on clinical findings as well as patient preferences regarding comfort, appearance, and stability.

Research examining long-term implant outcomes has also reinforced the importance of careful planning and follow-up care. A 2024 study titled ?How far can we go? A 20-year meta-analysis of dental implant survival rates?, published in Clinical Oral Investigations and coordinated in Mainz, Germany, reported that around four out of five dental implants remain successful over time. Conducted by Kupka JR, König J, Al-Nawas B, Sagheb K, and Schiegnitz E, the research noted that implant loss can occur for several reasons, highlighting the importance of ongoing monitoring, maintenance, and consistently high treatment standards to support long-term outcomes.

Alongside All-On-4 dental implants, Smile 4 U - Croydon also provides a broader range of dental implant treatments for replacing single or multiple missing teeth. Individual dental implants may be used to replace one missing tooth without affecting neighbouring teeth, while implant-supported bridges may be considered where several teeth are absent in the same area of the mouth.

There is an extended range of dental implant treatments in Croydon available at Smile 4 U, which can be

explored at: https://smile4u.co.uk/dentist-croydon/dental-implants/.

The practice explained that patients considering full mouth dental implants may also discuss alternative treatment options during consultations, including removable dentures and other restorative approaches. Factors such as oral health history, smoking habits, gum condition, and general health may all influence treatment planning and suitability for implants.

Patients are also advised about the importance of ongoing professional reviews following implant placement. Smile 4 U - Croydon noted that maintaining healthy gums and attending regular examinations are important aspects of long-term implant care. The dental team explained that implant-supported restorations require continued monitoring to help support stability and oral health over time.

The practice additionally stated that consultation appointments are arranged to allow time for questions, particularly for patients who may feel uncertain about undergoing implant treatment. Clear explanations are provided throughout the planning process to help patients make informed decisions regarding complete arch replacement and other missing teeth treatments.

Smile 4 U - Croydon provides general and restorative dental care for patients across Croydon and surrounding areas. The practice noted that full mouth dental implant consultations are intended to support patients seeking personalised guidance regarding long-term tooth replacement options.

Additional information about Smile 4 U - Croydon, Dr Mori Shahid, and her dental implant team is available at: https://smile4u.co.uk/dentist-croydon/.

The announcement reflects continuing interest in full mouth dental implants among patients seeking alternatives to removable dentures for missing teeth. By confirming the availability of consultations for All-On-4 dental implants and related implant treatments, Smile 4 U - Croydon has indicated that patients can access assessments tailored to their oral health needs, treatment goals, and long-term restorative considerations.

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