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We welcome you to Pearly Whites Laser Dentistry. We believe that technology should be something that makes life better; better dentistry in clinical results, improved patient comfort, and less use of anesthesia. Better is a dentist excited about providing care with state-of-the-art technology, on the forefront of her profession.

The future of dentistry is here now. Pearly Whites Laser Dentistry uses laser technology, incorporating hi-tech equipment, making dental visits more comfortable than ever before. Laser dentistry is practiced with the philosophy of Minimally Invasive Dentistry; saving healthy tooth structure is premiere.

The Pearly Whites Laser Dentistry team uses state-of-the-art, FDA approved lasers manufactured in the US by Biolase, the nation's leading manufacturer of dental lasers.

Lasers are used instead of drills to prepare teeth, decreasing the need for shots. In most cases, patients leave with no pain or sensitivity, without that annoying numb face and are able to speak, eat and smile with confidence.

Lasers accurately detect tooth decay without the poking. Lasers assist in periodontal therapy (teeth cleaning) and decontamination of gum pockets, which helps decrease bleeding and swelling.

Lasers assist in root canal therapy and are used in many soft tissue surgeries with only topical anesthetic, eliminating scalpel use and minimizing postoperative discomfort.

Pearly Whites Laser Dentist Dr. Teresita Mandapat received her mastership in March 2006 from the World Clinical Laser Institute (W.C.L.I.) and is a member of the World Congress of Minimally Invasive Dentistry (W.C.M.I.D.). She is a USC Dental Alumnus, University of Washington graduate and a Washington state native.

Thank you for joining us at Pearly Whites Laser Dentistry on Tacoma's Ruston Way Waterfront. We have a room with a view waiting for you.