



Mascot Dental Clinic

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Tell us more about yourself and your organisation:

Hi! My name is Jess and I am the principal dentist of Mascot Dental Clinic. My partner and I opened up this dental clinic 1.5 years ago and our goal is to serve the local community by practicing ethical and excellent dentistry.

What Brigade(s) will you be collecting for?

Oral Care Brigade.

How did you get your organisation get involved in collecting with TerraCycle?

I was looking for ways to recycle dental waste and this was the first thing that came up on Google! We have put posters around the clinic and a collection box in the waiting area to encourage people to recycle.

Why do you participate in TerraCycle Brigades?

There is so much waste involved in oral care- toothbrushes are meant to be changed every few months, and there is packaging with floss, toothpaste tubes and mouthrinses. I wanted to find a way to reduce the impact of all that waste and this is the perfect way to do it.





Tell us a story about your most moving, exciting, or memorable experience when collecting for the program?

We don't have one yet but I'm sure there will be later down the track when more patients get involved!

What inspires you to recycle?

The feeling that we are making a difference. There is a lot of waste involved with running a dental clinic, so many single-use/disposable items that I am always looking for ways to reduce this without compromising on our high infection control standards.

What charity or cause do you plan to support and why??

We're not sure yet, we might get our patients to decide when we get there! But most likely RSPCA or Guide Dogs Australia because we love dogs.

