## Waterlase Dentistry™

Waterlase Dentistry is one of the most advanced dental treatments available today. Waterlase uses a patented technology that combines focused light energy with a stream of water for a highly precise, exceptionally gentle dental experience.

Waterlase allows your dentist to perform a wide range of procedures with benefits including:

- **★** Gentler treatment with faster healing
- \* Less anesthetic for most procedures
- \* Treating dental needs in more than one part of the mouth in one visit

\* Makes dental care a more relaxing experience for you



I would definitely recommend it. The treatment was fast and the pain went away instantly.

> Steve, California Waterlase Patient



For Canker Sores & Cold Sores

**Waterlase** Laser Dentistry



### Pain Relief with Waterlase™

Canker sores and cold sores are a painful nuisance. They can make talking or eating difficult, and always seem to take forever to go away. Fortunately, your Waterlase dentist can safely and efficiently treat these sores on your lips, tongue, inner cheek and gums — often relieving pain immediately.

Once your canker sore or cold sore has been diagnosed, Waterlase treatment is simple:

- ★ Laser energy is applied to the sore for just a few seconds
- \* Most people experience immediate pain relief
- **★** Sores typically heal faster when treated with laser
- ★ You can probably avoid prescription medication for your sore, avoiding its side effects and potential drug interactions.

# HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT CANKER SORES, COLD SORES OR OTHER TYPES OF ORAL LESIONS?

Ask the dentist or one of our staff. We'll be happy to explain all about the condition and laser treatment.

CA WALLEY CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY OF THE PAR		Canker Sores	Cold Sores
	Symptoms	Painful, open sores that appear inside lips & cheeks, at base of gums, or under tongue	Appear around the lips or at the corners of the mouth
	Medical Name	Aphthous ulcers	Herpetic lesions
	Cause	Stress, poor nutrition, food allergies, illness, hormonal changes, trauma	Outbreak of herpes simplex virus (HSV-1)

#### **BEFORE**

Courtesy Dr. Gary E. Alhadef



Large, inflamed cold sore before treatment.

#### AFTER WATERLASE TREATMENT



Same lesion after several seconds of treatment with the Waterlase laser. Patient reported immediate pain relief.

#### 7 DAYS AFTER TREATMENT



Inflammation is gone and treated area is completely healed.