



BEACON

ORAL & MAXILLOFACIAL SURGEONS

DENTAL IMPLANTS

Have you or someone you know lost a tooth?

Do you have a problem tooth that may or will be lost soon?

Don't feel alone. More than half of all people have lost one or more teeth. You may be suffering from many issues that tooth loss creates. Pain or discomfort? Difficulty speaking? Loss of confidence? Decreased taste? Embarrassment? Even worse than the inconveniences of tooth loss is the health issues that arise: Bone loss, collapsing bite, further tooth loss or fracture, jaw pain, or joint pain. You may have heard of dental implant success stories from friends and family or the treatment may be completely new to you. Not to worry. Beacon Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeons has solutions for you. Whether you or someone you know needs replacement of one tooth or all of your teeth, we're here to guide you through your new beginnings!

TOOTH LOSS CONSEQUENCES

- Bone loss
- Additional tooth loss
- Tooth mobility
- Difficulty speaking
- Difficulty eating
- Inconvenient adhesives
- Decreased taste
- Pain and discomfort
- Loss of confidence



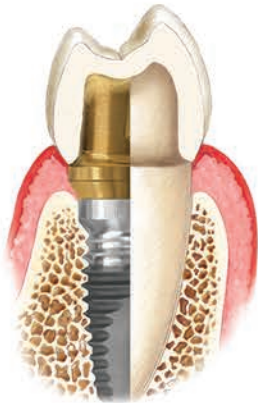
A shift in dental success

Modern dental treatment is absolutely amazing. However, there's only so much dentistry can do without dental implants. Teeth fracture or become infected. Fillings and other restorations must be replaced. Eventually our natural teeth can give way to the stresses of life. Dental implant treatment is the only real solution for replacing teeth.

Dental implant treatment is the most successful treatment in dentistry. They even reduce further tooth loss by eliminating conventional treatments that can harm teeth. You'll feel confident in your new tooth or teeth... and especially your smile.

Who is an implant candidate?

Almost anyone with a failing or missing tooth is a dental implant candidate. Have you been told you aren't a candidate? We now have advanced techniques that can provide solutions for patients with very difficult issues. Beacon Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeons will evaluate your situation and in most cases we can provide a solution for you.



Dental implants and implant crowns mimic the look and feel of natural teeth.



Healthy jaw with no missing teeth.

DENTAL IMPLANT BENEFITS

- Increased chewing function and taste
- Preservation of remaining natural teeth
- Restoration of natural tooth appearance
- Increased comfort
- Elimination of denture adhesives
- Insurance of tooth stability
- Improved speech
- Elimination of bone loss
- Elimination of partial or dentures
- Improved confidence



Bone loss in jaw resulting from not replacing missing teeth.



Missing tooth replace with a dental implant and an implant crown.

A photograph of a dentist and a patient in a clinical setting. The dentist, a man in a dark polo shirt, is holding a dental model and pointing to it. The patient, a woman with long blonde hair, is looking at the model. The image is overlaid with a green tint and several white circular and arrow-like graphic elements.

Treatment Types

Dental implants can be used in a number of different ways depending on your unique situation. When a single tooth is missing or lost, a dental implant becomes a single tooth root for your new tooth. When a few teeth are missing or lost they can be used to support a bridge. When entire arches of teeth are missing they can support a bridge or improve the function of a denture. Your experienced team at Beacon Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeons is here to help you choose the right treatment for you.

A team approach

Your dental implant procedure takes special skill. Your dentist must be able to provide a plan that will create a strong and beautiful restoration for your dental implants. Your Beacon surgeon will provide the foundation for what will be your new tooth or teeth. This cooperative approach provides the pinnacle in dental treatment. Beacon Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeons works with some of the most knowledgeable dental implant dentists in the region; each specialty providing the knowledge and skill necessary to create a beautiful result.

Sequence

What if we told you that your tooth can be replaced in just a few minutes? What if we told you that all of your teeth can be replaced in a few hours? Your dental implant procedure can often be completed in a single procedure appointment!

After your dentist creates a plan for your new tooth or teeth, Beacon Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeons will consult with you regarding the implant placement procedure. We'll create a treatment plan that supports your dentist's proposal for restoration.

At the time of tooth removal, your implant is placed to replace your tooth. After a healing period, we release you back to your dentist to complete your treatment. We will organize and coordinate everything for you.

Experience

There's no replacement for experience. Beacon Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeons is known regionally for dental implant treatment. Your outcomes are based on a heavy emphasis on knowledge of the cooperation between surgery and your dentist's tooth replacement. From your consultation through surgery and your dentist's completion of the implant restorations, you'll know why you came to see us for your care.



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