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Special points of interest:

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- Stabilizing dentures with dental implants.
- "I want a fixed, permanent 'bridge' ... nothing removable."
- Do Implant Crowns look Natural?
- Treatment Planning is Paramount to Success!
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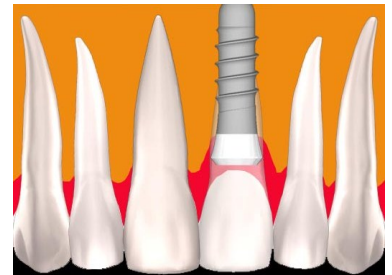
Are Dental Implants for you?

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What are Dental Implants?

Dental Implants are substitute or replacement tooth roots. A tooth consists of a crown and a root. The crown is that part of the tooth which is visible in the mouth. The root is under the gum tissue, surrounded by the bone. The crown is supported by the root portion, which is attached to the bone. Implants are placed into the bone so that a prosthetic crown (the visible part of your tooth) can be firmly attached. State-of-the-art technology in implant dentistry makes it possible to provide replacement teeth that look, feel and function like natural teeth.



Am I a candidate for Dental Implants?

- Are you missing one or more teeth?
- Are you lacking in confidence because of your teeth or smile?
- Does wearing a denture restrict your ability to eat, smile or talk comfortably?



Am I a candidate for Dental Implants ?



Dental implants can replace missing teeth for people of all ages, young and old. Nearly everyone is a candidate for dental implants, and there are very few medical conditions that would rule out dental implant treatment. As part of your treatment evaluation, your dental team will carefully review your medical and oral health and examine the condition of your teeth and gums, as well as the amount and quality of your jawbone. Specific x-rays and models will help your prosthodontist determine whether you are a dental implant candidate.

DENTURE PATIENT CONCERNS:

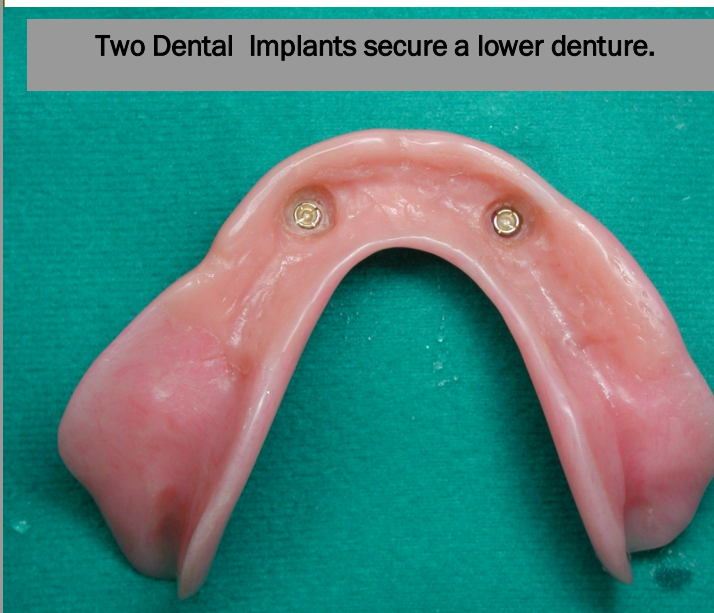
"When I talk or sneeze, my lower denture comes flying out of my mouth."

"My mouth is so dry that my dentures rub like sandpaper against my gums."

"I hate my upper denture. I can't taste my food and my palate feels like it is in prison."

Stabilizing Dentures with Dental Implants

Two Dental Implants secure a lower denture.



A Fixed Implant-retained Bar with a Detachable "Palateless" Denture



FIXED BAR SECURED BY 5 IMPLANTS

DETACHABLE DENTURE WITH CLIPS TO FIXED BAR

PALATELESS UPPER DENTURE

Are Dental Implants for you?

“I want a fixed, permanent ‘bridge’....nothing removable”

Replacing missing teeth with a fixed or permanent prosthesis is often possible. If enough bone is present to support a fixed “bridge”, Prosthodontists may recommend a non-removable treatment solution.



BEFORE: WEARING AN UPPER DENTURE



AFTER: A NON-REMOVABLE IMPLANT BRIDGE

Do Implant Crowns look natural?

Prosthodontists carefully manipulate the supporting soft tissues to achieve excellent aesthetics. Can you tell which is the Implant ?



BEFORE



DURING TREATMENT



AFTER





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Dr. Rubinoff has been a featured international speaker in Prosthodontics and Implant Dentistry for over 35 years and he has published several papers for national and international journals. Dr. Rubinoff is a Fellow of the International Team for Oral Implantology (ITI)

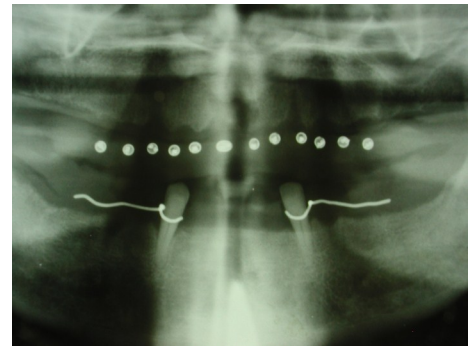
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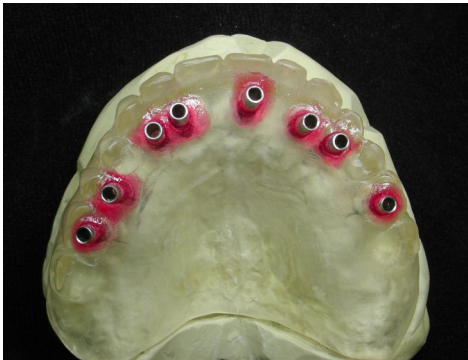
BEFORE TREATMENT



XRAY TEMPLATE WITH METAL MARKERS



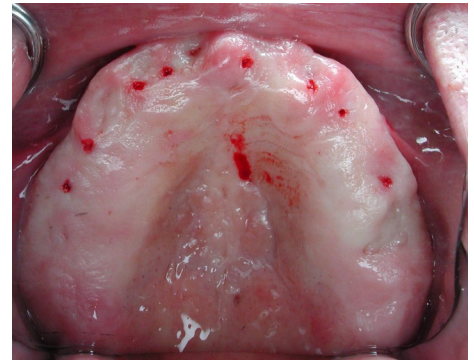
PANORAMIC XRAY WITH MARKERS



SURGICAL TEMPLATE WITH GUIDE TUBES



SURGICAL TEMPLATE IN MOUTH



DRILL SITES FOR DENTAL IMPLANTS



AFTER TREATMENT SHOWING IMPLANTS



AFTER TREATMENT

- Surgical & Radiographic templates are often used to identify the correct location for dental implants.
- Precise location and placement of dental implants is paramount to successful results.