

DENTAL IMPLANTS FOR MISSING TEETH

Missing teeth need not be the social embarrassment that is once was.

Have confidence in your smile again

Dental implants are a new way to replace missing teeth



What is a Dental Implant?

A dental implant is essentially a titanium substitute for a natural root and commonly it is screw or cylinder shaped. Each implant is placed into a socket carefully made at the precise location of the intended tooth.

If you are missing just one natural tooth, then one implant is normally all that will be needed to provide a replacement. Larger spaces created by two, three or more missing teeth do not necessarily need one implant per tooth, however the exact number of implants will depend upon the quality and volume of bone at each potential implant site.

Occasionally, it is even possible to join natural teeth to implants with a conventional bridge.

If you have no teeth in the jaw, and are not yet ready for multiple implant placements, a conventional lower denture can be considerably improved with two implants placed beneath the front section - this is called an 'over-denture'. Implant-supported over-dentures, just like conventional dentures are still removed for daily cleaning, however, once back

in the mouth, the implants make them much more stable.

There are many options and every case can be dealt with in a number of ways. You will therefore need to talk to someone who has examined your mouth thoroughly, before having a clear idea as to what is possible.

A full consultation, examination and radiography is required in order to ensure your dental health and plan the best treatment options.

Dental implant treatment typically is more expensive than other forms of tooth replacement but as the treatment has been shown to last longer it is more cost effective in the long term.

More complex situations involving grafting are sometimes required and these procedures can be arranged for you with a specialist oral surgeon



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