Frequently Asked Questions

- What is a dental implant?
- What are the **advantages** and **disadvantages?**
- How much do implants cost?
- How much *time* would I have to commit?
- What are the *risks*?
- Is there any pain?
- What are the **steps** that I should expect?
- Is there a lot of *maintenance* involved?

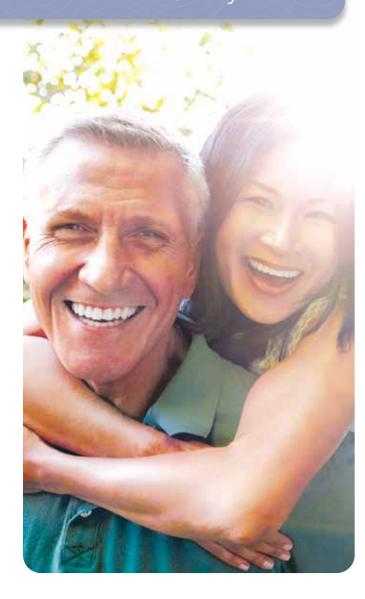
Talk to your doctor today to see if dental implants are right for you.





IMPLANTS

A Lasting Solution, A Better Quality of Life



Why Choose Dental Implants?

While some patients might be tempted to overlook implants, choosing to accept dental implant treatment can prevent serious negative effects for years to come.

When a patient leaves a toothless site untreated or settles for bridge work, they face the risk of losing bone in that area, which could result in the loss of additional teeth later on. Protect the future of your oral health and choose the long lasting solution today.

The Benefits of Dental Implants:

- Protect adjacent teeth, chewing capability and long-term dental health
- Provide a superior appearance that looks and feels like a natural tooth
- Promote better hygiene and are easy to floss
- Improve self-esteem, comfort and confidence

Fixed Bridge



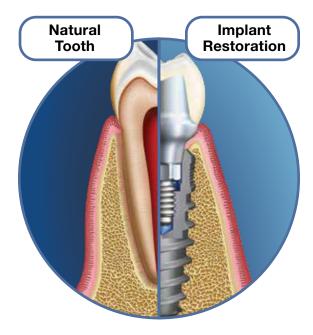
Teeth adjacent to the missing tooth are prepared to support three connected crowns.

Dental Implant



A dental implant is placed directly into the bone. A crown is attached to the implant, leaving the adjacent teeth intact while preserving the bone of the jaw.

Implant Placement



A dental implant is designed to replace the root of a missing tooth. Once placed in the jaw, this critical understructure serves as the foundation on which to erect a standalone replacement tooth.

Final Restoration





With the use of a dental implant and crown, the patient was able to enjoy a brand new, lasting smile.

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