

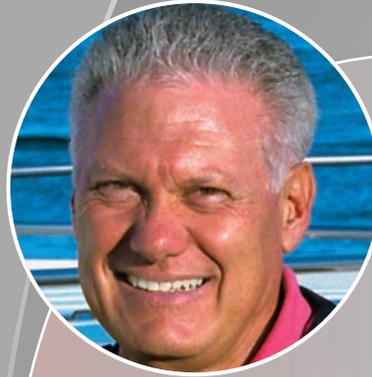


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Christopher E. Bonacci, D.D.S., M.D. is Board Certified by the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery. Dr. Bonacci is currently serving as Chairman of the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Division of General Surgery, at the Reston Hospital Center, Reston VA. In 2006, he was inducted as a Fellow into The American College of Dentists at the American Dental Association, an honor that only 2-3% Dentists nationwide receive.

He is both a dentist and a physician, completing both his dental and medical degrees at Columbia University and his residency in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery at the Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center in New York City. A volunteer for "Healing the Children", Dr. Bonacci has traveled to third world countries treating children with cleft lips and palates. He has also studied in Europe, training with some of Europe's most respected Oral and Maxillofacial surgeons. As a published author, his work has been included in the Journal of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery and the New York State Dental Journal. He is a member of many prestigious organizations including the American Dental Association, the Northern Virginia Dental Association, the Implant Society of Northern Virginia, the Fairfax County Dental Society, the American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons and the Middle Atlantic Society of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons. He served as president of the Fairfax County Dental Society and has been honored with the Commencement Clinical Scholars Award and the Birnberg Clinical Research Award from Columbia University School of Dental and Oral Surgery. Dr. Bonacci lives in McLean, Virginia with his wife and two children.



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Welcome

On behalf of the entire team, it is our pleasure to welcome you to our practice! We are committed to excellence and making your surgical experience as pleasurable as possible with outstanding quality dental care in a warm and friendly environment.

When you visit us, you will notice the use of the latest proven technologies and minimally invasive clinical techniques to deliver predictable and aesthetic treatment outcomes to you.



Our Services



Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery requires up to six additional years of hospital based surgical and anesthesia training. As an Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon, Dr. Bonacci manages a wide variety of problems relating to the Mouth, Teeth and Facial Regions. Dr. Bonacci practices a full scope of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery with expertise ranging from Wisdom Tooth Removal to Corrective Jaw Surgery and Dental Implants. He can also diagnose and treat Facial Trauma and TMJ disorders, and performs a full range of Advanced Bone Grafting procedures for Implant Site Development.

Teeth Replacement With Dental Implants



Dental implants are changing the way people live. Unlike previous options, dental implants are designed to provide a foundation for replacement teeth, which look, feel and function like natural teeth. The person who has lost teeth regains the ability to eat virtually anything, knowing that teeth appear natural and that facial contours will be preserved so that they can smile with confidence.

Ask Dr. Bonacci about tooth replacement therapy with dental implants to replace your missing teeth.

Dr. Bonacci uses BIOMET 3i Oral Reconstruction Products. See the back of this brochure to read more about BIOMET 3i.

Wisdom Teeth Removal

By the age of 18, the average adult has 32 teeth; 16 teeth on the top and 16 teeth on the bottom. The average mouth is made to hold only 28 teeth. It can be painful when 32 teeth try to fit in a mouth that holds only 28 teeth. These four other teeth are your Third Molars, also known as your "wisdom teeth." Wisdom teeth are the last teeth to erupt within the mouth. When they align properly and the gum tissue is healthy, wisdom teeth do not have to be removed. Unfortunately, this does not generally happen. The extraction of wisdom teeth is necessary when they are prevented from properly erupting within the mouth. They may grow sideways, partially emerge from the gum and even remain trapped beneath the gum and bone. Impacted teeth can take many positions in the bone as they attempt to find a pathway that will allow them to erupt successfully.

FAQs

Consumer Beware...Knowledge Is Power! An interview with Dr. Bonacci

On Dental Implants: "Dental implants are the standard of care to replace missing teeth... period. If you are told otherwise then seek out a second or third opinion and only from Board Certified Surgeons."

On Dental Implant Surgeons: "No doctor should perform any surgery if they cannot manage the complications that result from their actions. Implant surgery is invasive. Complications are on the rise because inexperienced doctors are trying to do more and more procedures. If your surgeon has not placed more than 1,000 implants, strongly consider a second opinion. Seek out the best. Implant surgery performed with experienced hands can offer a lifetime of fulfillment in ways you never expected!"

On Implant Education: "I spend a lot of time educating my patients on the various treatment options available for their particular case. The more my patients know and understand, the better. An educated patient is my best patient because they make informed decisions that are in THEIR best interests."

On Implant Advertising: "The best doctors don't advertise. They don't need to. Happy patients and happy referring doctors keep the practice growing."

On Implant Cost: "Top implant surgeons set the costs for dental implants in their respective geographic region. Paying less usually means the quality of the surgeon, the quality of the implant or both being compromised."

On Implant Companies: "There are more than 75 implant companies selling products today. I choose to use BIOMET 3i simply because they are innovators in the industry with the financial muscle to be here in 25 years to support my patients if the need arises. Far too often I am forced to remove implants placed by other doctors because the manufacturer is no longer in business or no longer makes the necessary parts needed for a case."