

Implant Appointments and Time for Multiple Implants Placed in Extracted or Healed bone in Upper or Lower Jaw

Appointment # 1: 1.0 – 1.5 hours

Data Collection: Examination, take photos, x-rays, CBCT scan .

Appointment # 2: 30 minutes -1.0 hour

Present Treatment plan, discuss risks, benefits, alternatives, costs, and review x-rays, photos, refer to specialists if you like to have second opinion.

Appointment #s 1, 2 can be combined with #3 if necessary.

*****Important notice:**

A well fitted, comfortable, and esthetic denture needs to be ready prior to any implant placement

Appointment #3: 2-4 hours

Place implants (**if adequate bone and primary stability allowed**) no bone graft needed.

Option #1: Overdenture which is retained by implants (by ball attachment or bar) and removed by you at night to clean and have esthetic lip support.

Option #2: Fixed complete denture retained by 6 to 8 implants using your well fitted denture to attach to new implants and fixed in the mouth when you leave the office.

No one leaves the office without teeth after surgery.

Then wait 2 months prior to placing permanent fixed complete denture or overdenture.

Appointment # 4: 2-3 hours

Deliver or cement permanent fixed complete denture or overdenture.