

Dental Implant Provider Checklist

The following questions can help you determine whether a general dentist is experienced with dental implant placement.

- How many surgical training courses has the dentist taken and how long was each course?
- Did these courses comply with the guidelines for meeting the legal standard of care?
- How many courses has the dentist taken specifically on the management of complications?
- How long has the dentist been placing implants and how many implants are placed annually?
- Does the dentist refer complex or difficult cases to surgical specialist?
- How many bone grafting procedures has the dentist done?
- What is the dentist's success rate for dental implants?
- Does the dentist have multiple before and after case photos?

| Evaluation Criteria | General Dentist | Surgical Specialist |
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| Surgical Training (including complications) | | |
| Dental Implant Training | | |
| Years of Experience Placing Dental Implants | | |
| Number of Dental Implants Placed Annually | | |
| Success Rate of Dental Implants Placed | | |