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Implant Clinical Director

Stephen graduated from the University of Birmingham in 1996 with clinical distinction. He has since studied under the tutorage of some of the world's most respected implantologists and prosthodontists, including Dr Patrick Palacci at The Dawson Centre in the USA, along with Dr Pete Dawson and Dr John Cranham, and at the Las Vegas Institute with Dr William Dickerson.

Stephen has been placing implants at Bourne End Dental for the last eight years and has established a referral network with dentists from Buckinghamshire, Berkshire and Oxfordshire. He maintains strong links with Straumann UK, a well-established and trusted name within the industry, and is held on their surgical list.

The emphasis at Bourne End Dental is in providing the highest standards of patient care within a multi-disciplinary specialist referral centre.

Stephen is a member of the Association of Dental Implantologists, the International Team for Implantology and the British Society for the Study of Craniomandibular Disorders.

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IMPLANTS

Dental Implants

Implants can help restore smiles by providing a permanent solution to a missing tooth or teeth and allowing people to chew and eat with ease. An implant is an artificial tooth that looks, feels and works like the real thing.

An artificial root made from titanium replaces the root of a missing tooth. It can be placed in either the upper or lower jaw and over time it will bond with a patient's jawbone.

Implants can save healthy teeth by eliminating the need to grind down tooth tissue, required by traditional bridgework. Implants must be placed very gently so soreness afterwards is slight. They are available to most people aged over 18 and have been used since the 1960s.

They remain the most effective and longest-lasting solution available and can improve appearances because when teeth are lost the jawbone shrinks, causing signs of ageing.

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