





Dr. Mark T. Galli, D.D.S. has over 23 years of experience providing Complete Health Dentistry for patients in Encinitas, Carlsbad and North County. Dr. Galli graduated from UC San Diego in 1990, UCLA dental school in 1994, and started his private practice in Encinitas in 2001.

Dr. Galli's team utilizes the most advanced technology to make patient visits easier, faster and more convenient. The office is fully digital, from patient charts and X-rays to smile simulations and even digital crown design and fabrication. Dr. Galli and his staff pride themselves in making patients of all ages feel welcome, comfortable and well-served during their visit.

Some of the services they provide include Preventive care, Sleep Apnea screening, Oral DNA salivary testing, CEREC\* One Visit Porcelain Crowns, Invisalign, porcelain veneers, whitening, fillings, gum/periodontal treatment, digital custom smile design, sedation dentistry, and more.

To learn more, or to schedule an appointment, visit www.gallidds.com or call (760) 943-1449.



For more than 25 years, physicians at North Coast Health Center have been providing highly personalized care to coastal north San Diego County. With more than 250 physicians to choose from, North Coast Health Center patients have access to primary care, a surgery center, pharmacy, lab, imaging, and over 45 medical and dental specialties, all in one convenient location.

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## **A Better Smile** with Dental Implants in Encinitas

extracted few years ago? The one for which you kept putting off proper treatment? Since have a dental implant in my then, you have learned to mouth? live with that space between the teeth.

and no one can see the gap top is very natural looking. since it's way back in your Unless you open your mouth mouth. Nothing to worry about, right? Wrong.

The fact is, having even to tell. one missing tooth causes the bone to resorb, causes tal implants in Encinitas your other healthy teeth to shift and decrease their in with the natural teeth ability to effectively chew that surround your implant. food, and causes other bite problems.



If you have one or more missing teeth it is advised to replace it and keep your with Dr. Galli. He will rebone healthy and your re- view your medical history maining natural teeth in and then perform an exsound condition. There are amination of your mouth, treatment options available teeth, and gums. to accomplish that, including dental implants in En-

As an experienced and compassionate restorative plant, then he will make a dentist, Dr. Mark Galli has recommendation as to the used dental implants since right course of treatment 1996 for numerous patients for your situation. as the most effective way to replace missing teeth.

A 1994 graduate of UCLA Dental School and an active member of several prestigious professional dental associations, Dr. Galli has seen that by keeping your natural teeth strong and healthy, you are contributing positively to your overall health, well-being and self-esteem.

## to replace even one tooth?

missing tooth can have a structure, they are made to detrimental effect on your last a lifetime. bone, your bite, your chewing efficiency, and even placed where your tooth your self-confidence.

In that area, the bone begins to resorb and fewer teeth are doing more work A connector piece called an as the other tooth is now

This puts more load on weaker bone and the teeth your teeth shift, they are less stable, and they wear because the bite is out of

pain, and bite problems, all of which are hard to reverse. low and the teeth above calling 760-943-1449.

e m e m b e r and around the space, help that decaying stabilize the bite and pretooth you had vent these other long term

Can anyone tell that I

No, because the implant is below the gums and It doesn't bother you the crown that is made on and point it out to someone, they will likely not be able

Dr. Galli designs denthat are lifelike and blend And, because implants are integrated into the structure of your jawbone, there is little risk of having problems that require further treatment.

## How do I know if I am a good candidate to get a dental implant?

The first step to finding out if you are a good candidate for a dental implant is to schedule a consultation

If he determines that you are practicing good oral hygiene and have good bone structure to support an im-



get an implant, do I have to have it replaced after a few years?

If I

No, as long as you maintain proper oral hygiene and receive periodic oral Why is it so important health visits with your den-

Because dental im-Better SmileEven one plants are fixed to bone

The implant that is used to be is made of titanium, a material that is very strong and biocompatible. abutment is added, where the crown is placed.

Your new implants will usually be able to handle that remain. Then, when all the biting and chewing you will do as you enjoy life with your new teeth.

If you would like to learn more about dental This can create gum implants and how they inflammation, TMJ issues, may help you maintain a good oral hygiene regimen, please schedule an appoint-Replacing the missing tooth ment with Dr. Mark Galli by will stabilize the bone be- reaching out online, or by