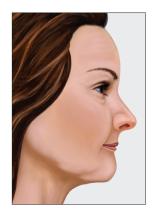
# premature aging<sup>1</sup>



after tooth loss



after bone loss

#### Tooth loss causes bone loss

When a tooth is lost, the jawbone beneath it shrinks from lack of stimulation. Not only does losing teeth affect your smile, it also changes the shape of your face causing you to look prematurely aged.

# Advancements in implant dentistry

Our practice proudly uses BioHorizons dental implants that have been developed using science and innovation to maximize function and esthetics. These implants are lightweight, durable, biocompatible and made from titanium, the most widely used material in implant dentistry. BioHorizons also offers implants treated with proprietary Laser-Lok® surface technology developed to help your smile remain beautiful over time.

BioHorizons dental implants come with a lifetime manufacturer's warranty and are clinically-proven by some of the most thorough and in-depth research in the industry.

Ask us about restoring and maintaining your natural smile with individual dental implants or implant-supported dentures from BioHorizons.

our office proudly uses



1. Dental implants help prevent the appearance of premature aging. For more information, see ML0315 *TeethXpress Magazine*. (page 17)

2. Based on published interview with Dear Doctor Magazine.

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# <sup>66</sup>I feel like I'm 20 years younger!<sup>99</sup>

**Millie** Dental implant patient

# prevent



#### Tooth replacement

A missing tooth can be replaced by a dental implant without altering the healthy adjacent teeth. Once the implant is placed, a post (or abutment) is attached providing support for your final crown.

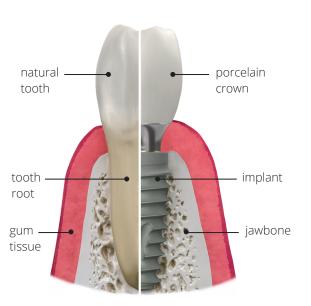
#### Why replace missing teeth?

Losing one or more of your teeth creates a gap in your smile, affects your ability to chew properly, and can alter your diet and nutrition. In addition to these serious issues, tooth loss also causes bone loss.

# What are dental implants?

Dental implants are the standard of care for tooth replacement. They bond with healthy bone and provide permanent support for dental crowns and dentures. Dental implants look and feel like natural teeth and can last a lifetime — that's what makes them such a good value.

# Tooth Implant



# Why choose dental implants?

Dental implants have helped millions of people with their smiles for over 50 years. From a single missing tooth to an entire set of lost teeth, dental implants restore your appearance, speech, nutrition, oral health, comfort and self-esteem.

# Untreated missing teeth



unattractive smile
loss of chewing ability
accelerated bone loss

#### Traditional crown & bridge



grinds down healthy teeth
bone loss continues
greater risk for cavities and tooth failure

# Dental implants with a crown



full chewing ability
preserve healthy teeth
prevents further bone loss and the appearance of premature aging



I am grateful for the dental implant technology that feels and looks so natural.

**Christie Brinkley**<sup>2</sup> Supermodel & dental implant patient