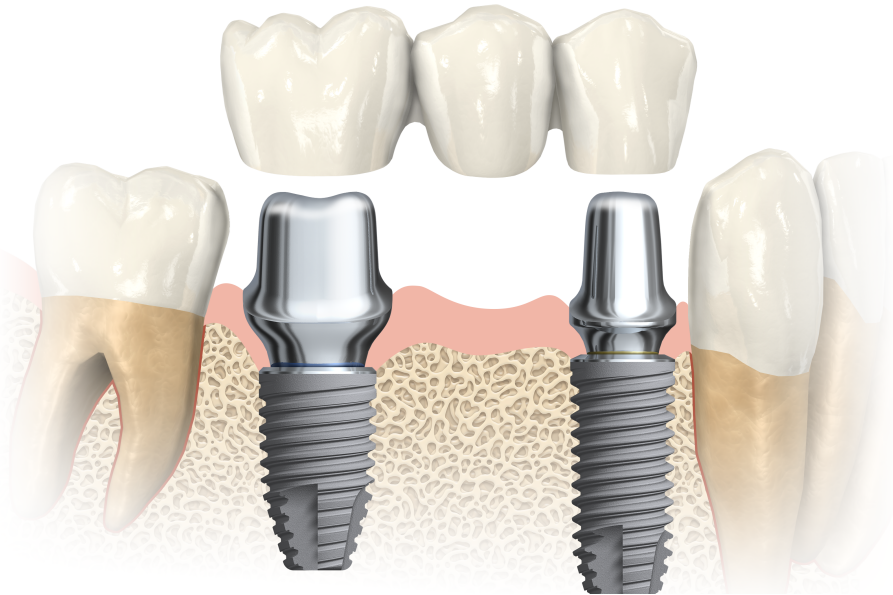


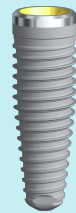
Implant Bridge

Specialist Oral Surgery by Specialist Oral Surgeon



Screw retained

Abutment screws attach the bridge to the implants



Nobel Biocare

The Ti-unite surface on Nobel Biocare premium implants offer superior results

Dental Implant Bridge

This is when two or more implants are placed to restore three or more dental crowns. There will be essentially more crowns than implants.

If there is enough bone quantity and good bone quality surgery can be undertaken under local anaesthesia with or without IV sedation. It may be necessary to place bone grafting materials. After three to six months a digital trios scan is undertaken and the abutments and crowns are then milled and fitted.

Stages

1

CONSULTATION

A clinical and radiographic examination with possibly a CT scan

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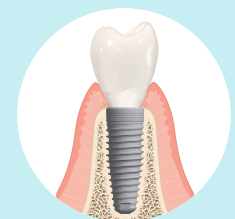
SURGERY

Undertaken under local anaesthesia with or without IV sedation

3

DIGITAL SCAN / FIT

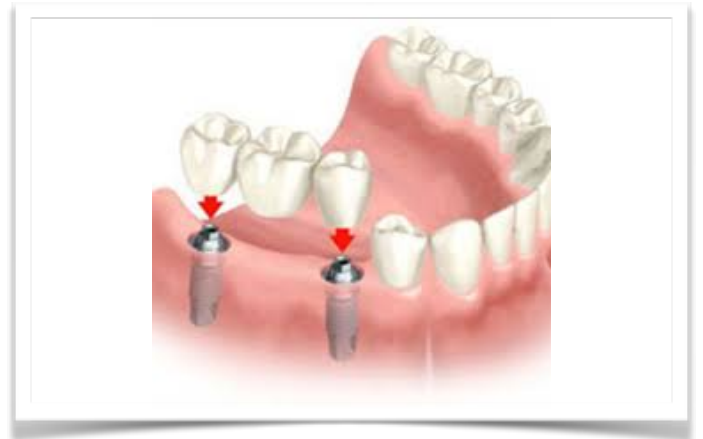
After 3-6 months digital scan and then the lab mills abutments and crowns to fit



A dental implant bridge is an ideal way to replace missing back teeth avoiding the need to wear a denture.

If missing teeth are not replaced the opposing teeth can over-erupt and cause bite issues as space is lost in the years ahead.

Wearing a denture compromises gum health long term and increases the risk of tooth decay in addition to accelerating tooth loss and bone loss. A denture also needs to be removed overnight and cleaned. The dental implant bridge is a fixed solution supporting the natural opposing teeth position long term. The bridge does not need to be removed at night and does not contribute towards early tooth loss in other quadrants if oral hygiene is maintained. It is possible to have multiple implant bridges in all areas of the mouth whilst maintaining the other natural healthy teeth.



“Getting rid of my denture and having permanent implant back teeth has given me a new lease of life”

Should you wish to explore your dental implant bridge treatment options further please contact our reception team at the Castle Clinic Dalkey Dublin on 01 2353323 or e-mail at us at castleclinic@oralsurgery.ie.

Implant bridges are very successful with time and provided oral hygiene measures at home are good with regular dental cleaning visits using bio-film cleaning techniques (Glycine cleaning) you should get many years of function.

Mr. Darren McCourt is a specialist Oral Surgeon with over twenty years experience in placing dental implants. Surgery is undertaken under local anaesthesia with or without IV sedation in Dalkey or General Anaesthesia at Blackrock Clinic. The Castle Clinic is a Nobel Biocare appointed centre of excellence for dental implant treatment. The Nobel Biocare dental implant is a premium implant. The Nobel implant product range is accompanied with years of research resulting in their unique surface to optimise bone fusion and engineering expertise ensuring mechanical long term success.

