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Medical Art Prosthetics is a national team of medical artists, clinical anaplastologists and prosthetists with offices across the United States. Our goal is to enable our patients to renew their appearance and function to lead active, rewarding lives.

The MAP Network helps renew the natural you with Nasal (Nose) Prosthetics

Our patients often present to our offices status post subtotal or total rhinectomy, a devastating ablative facial surgery for treatment of basal or squamous cell carcinoma or other condition. We also see patients for correction of saddle nose deformity, prosthetic replacement following trauma such as bite wounds, gunshot wounds or motor vehicle accidents or for correction of defects secondary to substance abuse or other acquired nasal deformities. Still, many of our patients already have an unsatisfactory prosthesis provided elsewhere and call upon our medical artists for the results we are known for and able to accomplish in just a few days, because this is our specialty.

Our design sessions are comfortable for the patient and productive for the facial anaplastologist because our specialized environment is quiet, relaxed and conducive to the unique creative technical process. Some visit us from the other side of the world for the process and results we offer. We can create for you a life-like, natural-looking new nasal prosthesis.

2 Piece Magnetic Nasal Prosthesis

Our clients know we explore every opportunity to simplify their life with the prosthesis even when it means a more complex design and mold are needed to accomplish this goal. This technique was painstakingly developed to allow the

patient to enjoy their prosthesis without adhesive or fear of tissue trauma.

The patient's pictured easily position a magnetic plastic substructure followed by the aesthetic prosthesis portion that is pulled securely into position with a little click.

These composite prostheses combine the merits of silicone, acrylic and magnetic componentry: The silicone mimics human skin, the acrylic holds collapsed tissue back open to restore breathing and hygiene, and the corrosion proof magnets pull everything into alignment securely. The patient simply slips the pieces into their passively seated positions and they are ready for their day. It's a learned technique that demands time and a love for the process.



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Adhesive Strategy

Adhesives remain a conventional method of attachment and they have advantages. By sealing the margins to the skin air space is eliminated creating a virtually undetectable margin. We understand the properties of different classes and brands of adhesives, and over 4 decades have developed some strategies that truly make attachment methods very reliable and user-friendly.

Osseointegration

Osseointegration is a highly effective method of retention of the nasal prosthesis or midfacial prosthesis. Medical Art Prosthetics has perhaps the longest

experience specifically in implant-retained craniofacial prostheses by medical artists. If this is a method of choice, Medical Art Prosthetics will either team with existing Vistafix implant surgeons or find new surgeons to team up with for our patients. Our patients like our work and will travel great distances for our services.

Virtual Prosthesis Design

It is never too early to contact us, even before the nasal removal surgery (rhinectomy). Pre-op and/or post-op CT scans (cone beam too) are ideal for us to design and even fabricate a nasal prosthesis without ever seeing the patient! Our virtual

design, scanning and 3d printing capability has produced precision silicone prostheses for patients 1000 miles away. Every color nuance and textural detail is then faithfully rendered by the hand of our practitioner.

About Medical Art Prosthetics

Medical Art Prosthetics, LLC was founded in 1985 by Greg Gion, a highly trained and experienced anaplastologist. What started out as a small facial prosthetics office based in Texas then Wisconsin has grown over the last 15 years into a national team of medical artists.

Today the Medical Art Prosthetics team boasts a nationally prominent network dedicated to craniofacial, ocular, somatic and extremity prosthetics that restore anatomy with uncompromising life-like realism. The medical artists have earned a reputation that attracts patients worldwide.

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ADHESIVE-RETAINED NASAL PROSTHESIS



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