

Bone Graft Consent Form

I understand that a bone graft of allograft and/or xenograft material will be used during my surgical procedure. It has been explained to me that this graft was sourced from either another human or a non-human animal source. The bone has been procured, processed and preserved in accordance with established medical procedures and is assumed to be uncontaminated. The success of the bone grafting procedure is not guaranteed. This means, if the initial bone graft is unsuccessful, a secondary grafting procedure may be necessary; and that the cost of any secondary grafting procedure would be determined based upon the normal cost for the procedure that has to be done.

I understand that both human sourced tissue allografts and non-human sourced xenografts have been used successfully in the treatment of problems similar without an adverse reaction. I have been informed that there have not been any reported side effects when this material has been used either in the mouth or in other parts of the body, nor has there been any reported unusual or increased discomfort when compared with alternative surgical procedures. Despite the successful history of allografts and xenografts, I understand that this does not guarantee that I will have no adverse reactions from this material or that the graft will be successful in my mouth.

I have been offered an opportunity to ask questions regarding the grafting procedure using either allograft and/or xenograft material and all of my questions have been answered to my satisfaction.

I agree to the use of this material to treat my dental problems in lieu of any alternative surgical procedures available.

I have read this consent form and understand the potential risks and benefits.