



## Dr Hanna's advice on implants

What may come as a surprise, is that the loss of even one tooth can have far reaching effects. It can compromise eating habits and speech, and can even change the appearance and shape of ones mouth and face.

Dental implants provide the ideal solution to dental 'gaps' and an alternative to dentures.

What are implants? Dental implants are usually small titanium screws fixed into the jawbone to act like the root of a natural tooth. Implants allow the tooth to function completely independently of the adjacent teeth, providing a permanent, healthy and attractive solution.

What are the benefits of implants? Implants preserve the integrity of your facial structure and replicate your natural teeth as closely as possible, both in function and appearance. They also overcome the disadvantages of bridges and dentures that do not preserve bone and can necessitate the grinding down of adjacent teeth to fit.

What is your advice to people thinking about getting implants? Before embarking on this treatment, it is important to establish exactly what procedure is proposed, what experience the dentist has in this field of work, the total cost of the treatment and what the alternatives are. You will be spending a lot of time, effort and money, so be sure that you know what you are getting at the end of the treatment.

For further information on dental implants, or to arrange a FREE consultation with Dr. Paul Hanna, contact The White House Dental Clinic, Eastbourne: 01323 725224 or visit [www.whdental.com](http://www.whdental.com).

# The White House Dental Clinic – Meet The Team



Over the past five years The White House Dental clinic, Langney Road, Eastbourne has invested heavily in the latest technology, its range of services and it's professional staff. Founded on experience, professionalism and a dedication to patient care, The White House Clinic is now one of the south coast's leading dental clinics.

Each highly qualified dental surgeon at the clinic specialises in their own area of expertise, offering consultation and treatments ranging from general dental care and maintenance to implantology, oral surgery, prosthetics and cosmetic dentistry.

Meet some of our team:

### **Paul Hanna Dr.med. Msc Oral Surgeon**

Dr Hanna is the principal dentist at the White House Dental Clinic. He qualified as a dentist in 2000 from Clausenburg University, Transylvania after which he worked in Sweden before relocating to England in 2003.

For the past number of years Paul's clinical focus has been on implants and smile design, making him one of Eastbourne's most experienced practitioners in the area. He is also a member of the American Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry and has recently completed a three-year specialist qualification in oral surgery at the Clausenburg University, Transylvania.

He is a member of both the American Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry and the American Academy of Osseointegration.

**Claire McCoy BDS. (N.U.I) Msc (Lond)** is a specialist in prosthodontics and geriatric dentistry. Qualifying from University College Cork, Ireland she also has an Msc in Gerodontology from the Royal London Hospital.

Having worked in the field for more than 17 years, she has developed an enviable reputation for high-level theoretical and practical experience in prostheses and

cosmetic dentistry.

**Jayashree Rao Bala BDS, MJDF** qualified in 2002 from Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences after which she worked in general dental practice in London for one year before moving to Eastbourne in 2007. She has a special interest in cosmetic dentistry, teeth whitening, endodontics (root canal therapy). Has completed endodontic modules at the Royal College MSc in Primary Dental Care and she is currently training in MSc Dental Implantology at Bristol University.

Conveniently located in the centre of Eastbourne, The White House Clinic is open Monday – Friday and by special appointment outside these hours, if necessary.

For more information on the White House's full range of dental care, cosmetic dentistry, dental implants smile, makeovers, please visit [www.whdental.com](http://www.whdental.com), or call 01323 725 224.