

ROBERT CHUNG, D.D.S., M.A.

DR. ROBERT CHUNG RECEIVED HIS DEGREE FROM NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY DENTAL SCHOOL IN 1992. He trained in periodontics and implant dentistry at Columbia University, where he received his certification and earned a master's degree in immunology. He is interested in the systemic connections of periodontal disease and has published articles about immunological aspects of periodontal disease.

"Periodontal disease is unique for each individual," he says. There are many factors that cause it, including genetic and behavioral. He collaborates with general dentists and evaluates patients' lifestyles and histories before offering treatment options. "There have been tremendous improvements in periodontal therapy the past few years," he says. "We are very capable of replacing teeth with implants, but we're also making remarkable progress in saving teeth." He performs minimally invasive procedures for restoring bone and gums. "Patients are pleasantly surprised by how easy and fast the procedures and recovery are."

Dr. Chung is certified to perform the FDA approved Laser Assisted New Attachment Procedure (LANAP) for saving more teeth, even in advanced cases.

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