

ALAN E. ZWEIG, DMD, FAGD

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DENTAL CONSULTANT & EXPERT WITNESS

Highly trained and experienced prosthodontist who has been running a thriving dental practice in Beverly Hills, CA, since 1981; worked with celebrities, business leaders, and patients from six different continents; been invited to write articles for dental journals; and frequently appear in the media. Earned an advanced degree in prosthodontics and takes at least 30 hours of continuing education each year with professional organizations such as the California Dental Association, the American Dental Association, the Beverly Hills Academy of Dentistry, and other highly accredited institutions. Presented to study clubs and table clinics as well as the American Dental Association, California Dental Association, and the Academy of General Dentistry's national meetings.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

**Prosthodontics / Cosmetic Dentistry / General Dentistry
Implant Reconstruction / Advanced Restorative Dentistry / Dental Records & Insurance Review
Dental Malpractice Consultation, Deposition, & Expert Testimony / Workers' Compensation
Certification & Experience in Invisalign Treatment**

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

PRIVATE PRACTICE, Beverly Hills, CA	1981 – Present
Practiced as a sole practitioner as well as with associate and partner doctors in a practice specializing in prosthodontics, including all aspects of cosmetic, esthetic, and implant dentistry, as well as full mouth rehabilitation, restoration of natural teeth or the replacement of missing teeth, and oral and maxillofacial structures with artificial substitutes. Utilize the latest state-of-the-art equipment and cutting-edge technology and uphold the strictest sterilization techniques. Treatment is tailored to the individual patient's needs and preferences.	
CLINICAL ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, REMOVABLE PROSTHODONTICS	1980 – 1986
University of Southern California School of Dentistry	
PRIVATE PRACTICE, St Louis, MO	1977 – 1978
INSTRUCTOR, FIXED PROSTHODONTICS	1976 – 1978
Washington University School of Dental Medicine	

MEDICAL LEGAL EXPERIENCE / INSURANCE CONSULTING

CONSULTING EXPERT DENTIST & PROSTHODONTIST; PRO/CONSUL, INC.; THE TASA GROUP; THOMPSON REUTERS EXPERT WITNESS SERVICE (TREWS); AMERICAN MEDICAL FORENSIC SPECIALISTS (AMFS) AND MULTIPLE INDEPENDENT ATTORNEYS	2011 – Present
Review dental records and interpret for malpractice defense, educate attorneys on dental claims for legal cases, and consult with counsel as to possibility of favorable outcomes. Serve as a dental expert for depositions and trial appearances.	
LEGAL CONSULTANT	2006 – Present
Work with both plaintiff's and defense counsel on record evaluations, depositions, and expert opinions. Consulted with attorneys to determine deviations from standards of care and advised attorneys on feasibility of success in malpractice action. Collaborated with attorneys on strategies for possible litigation and/or settlement of malpractice cases and prepared questions for deposing witnesses and malpractice experts.	
QUALIFIED MEDICAL EVALUATOR, STATE OF CALIFORNIA	1994 – 2004
Prepared reports for insurance carriers on dental problems incurred by covered injured workers. Examined, evaluated, and reviewed records to determine appropriate therapeutic and restorative treatment for injured workers, including initial reports, progress reports, and final reports to insurance carriers; made recommendations on apportionment. Participated in peer-to-peer conversations to determine the appropriateness of proposed clinical treatment of injured workers.	
WORKERS' COMPENSATION:	1981 – Present
Examinations, Report Writing, Record Reviewing, and Clinical Treatment.	

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EDUCATION & LICENSING

SUBJECT MATTER EXPERT, DENTAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA	2011 – 2012
Reviewed complaints and records, wrote comprehensive errors and omissions reports, and evaluated the adequacy of treatment based on existing standard of care norms.	
PEER REVIEW COMMITTEE, SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SECTION, AMERICAN COLLEGE OF PROSTHODONTICS: CHAIR 1998	1996 – 1998
Collaborated with other prosthodontics to review complaints submitted to the Los Angeles Dental Society; reviewed records and interviewed and examined patients to determine the validity of each complaint; made recommendations based on conclusions derived and standards of care as determined by the American College of Prosthodontists.	
QUALIFIED MEDICAL EVALUATOR, STATE OF CALIFORNIA	1994
CERTIFICATE IN PROSTHODONTICS, University of Southern California School of Dentistry	1980
DOCTOR OF DENTAL MEDICINE, Washington University School of Dental Medicine, St. Louis, MO	1976
BACHELOR OF ARTS IN BIOLOGY, Washington University, St. Louis, MO	1973
CALIFORNIA LICENSE #D28839	

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

LIFE MEMBER & FELLOW: ACADEMY OF GENERAL DENTISTRY

ASSOCIATE: AMERICAN COLLEGE OF PROSTHODONTICS

LIFE MEMBER: AMERICAN DENTAL ASSOCIATION, CALIFORNIA DENTAL ASSOCIATION, & LOS ANGELES DENTAL SOCIETY

FOUNDER: GREATER LOS ANGELES CEREC STUDY CLUB

PUBLICATIONS & MEDIA APPEARANCES

Los Angeles Magazine: Selected as one of "Southern California's Top Dentists" 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018., 2019, 2020 and 2021.

Schwartzman, Aaron and Zweig, Alan E., "Improved Communication with the Laboratory for the Fabrication of Labial Veneers," *Journal of the California Dental Association*. Volume 43, No. 4. April 2015. pp 203-208.

Zweig, DMD, Alan E., *Making People Happy, Healthy and Youthful*. Amazon.com. ISBN# 978-1-4752-1291-4. 2012.

Zweig, DMD, Alan E., "Improving Impressions: Go Digital!", *Dentistry Today*. Volume 28, No. II. November 2009. pp 100-104.

Simon, Ziv, "Challenges in Achieving Gingival Harmony," *Journal of the California Dental Association*. Volume 38. No. 8. August 2010. pp 583. 587-588. Article includes my photos of an esthetic implant restoration.

"Dr. Phil" Syndicated. One appearance performing six whitening procedures at one time for a makeover segment. 2009.

"Ten Years' Younger." *The Learning Channel (TLC)*. Four appearances doing smile and cosmetic makeovers on reality television show, 2008.

"How Do I look?" *The Style Network*. One appearance demonstrating professional tooth whitening, 2007.

Numerous mentions and quotations in various consumer publications.