## TOPIC:

# "TENT POLE" GRAFTING

# For Complicated Alveolar Defects

# **ABSTRACT**

"TENT POLE" concept for reconstruction of severely resorbed mandible as an adjunct procedure of complicated implant restoration was first advocated by Prof. Robert E. Marx who published a series of 64 consecutive successful cases through submental approach in the year 2002. However, in my hand, the "Tent Pole" grafting concept could also be extrapolated in atrophic upper & lower jaws with significantly vertical dimensional loss through intraoral approach either by para-crestal or vestibule incisions. Of all the biomaterials serving as "Tent Pole", I'd like to introduce autogenous iliac "J-Bone Block" which is basically an onlay bone graft harvested from anterio-medial aspect of ilium. It allowed contour adjustment only by simple hand instruments such as rongeur or bone cutter, to be secured properly and intimately at recipient site by one mini-screw on each bone block so that transverse & vertical alveolar ridge augmentation could be achieved simultaneously. According to the differences of Pre-Op & 6 months Post-Op CBCT images calculated by computer software, "Mimics", the average early volume shrinkage of the transplanted iliac J-Bone Blocks is about 17.3% with usually more than enough ridge volume left for placing regular diameter dental implants at ideal location and axial alignment. Subsequent overall survival rates of all these implant supported restorations are high above 95% in this author's case series.

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- (1) Intraoral Approach for Arthroplasty for Correction of TMJ Ankylosis(2009)
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- (8)Incidence and clinical significance of zygomaticomaxillary complex fracture involving the temporomandibular joint with emphasis on trismus(2012)
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