## RECIPE FOR TREATING THE EDENTULOUS PATIENT

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## We must begin with the End in Mind

And how do we do that?

We must know; What does the patient desire as a final outcome/Restoration?







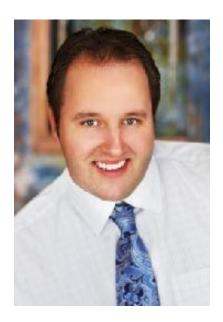
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Dr. James graduated with honors from the University of Oklahoma College of Dentistry in 2005. Following completion of dental school Dr. James continued his pursuit of excellence by completing a three- year post-doctoral program in Prosthodontics at the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio College of Dentistry. Dr. James has obtained board eligibility status by the members of the American Board of Prosthodontics.

Dr. James is an active member of multiple professional organizations including the American College of Prosthodontists (ACP), Academy of Osseointegration, American Dental Association, Oklahoma Dental

Association, Kansas Dental Association and is actively pursuing membership in the American Academy of Restorative Dentistry.

Dr. James brings with him a level of knowledge and understanding that is second to none when it comes to diagnosing, treating, and managing even the most difficult of your dental problems. Dr. James is quite proficient in all aspects of implant, esthetic and prosthetic dentistry. In addition he has been highly trained in treatment planning, guided "virtual" dental implant planning, implant surgery, complete dentures, implant retained or supported complete dentures, implant retained crowns and bridges, implant retained full arch fixed bridges, crowns, veneers, cosmetic dentistry, sleep apnea, children with congenital defects of the oral hard and soft tissues and complex multidisciplinary treatment planning and execution of those plans.



Dr. James will be navigating the audience through his thought processes when treatment planning the edentulous patient. The edentulous patient is not going away and we will be discussing how we should decide what the best treatment for various patients should be; should we use locator attachments? If so how many? Should we use a bar? If so with what type of attachments? Should we provide a removable or a fixed solution? Is one better than the other? Is the All on 4 solution a fad or scientific revolution? We will be answering these questions and more in hopes of better equipping you to diagnose and treat the next patient that comes your way.

"Don't create a treatment plan because it is comfortable for you to do it that way; Do what is best for the patient"