

# PROTECT WHAT MATTERS MOST WITH **LOCATOR®**

### DON'T RISK YOUR REPUTATION FOR AN IMITATION.

**COMPATIBLE** 

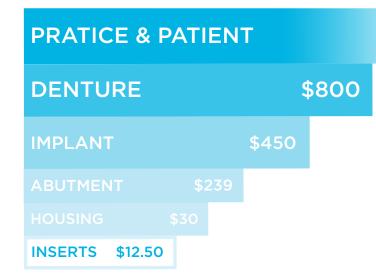
IMPLANT PARTNERS

### If it's not made by **Zest**, then it's not an authentic **LOCATOR®.**

As the only manufacturer to ever make LOCATOR — Zest guarantees clinicians quality and performance.

With over 20 years of clinical success, LOCATOR is the most requested and trusted overdenture attachment system in the industry.

### DESIGNED TO PROTECT WHAT MATTERS MOST.



# FLEXIBILITY IS THE KEY TO STABILITY.

### Removable overdentures have a natural movement.

MILLION DIRECT

TREATED CONNECTIONS

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The LOCATOR® Attachment System was engineered with resiliency to prevent possible complications brought by this natural movement.

#### % of Critical Failures After 10,000 Cycles<sup>1</sup>



ENGINEERED TO FLEX, PIVOT, AND ABSORB.



A nylon insert allows the denture attachment housing to pivot independently with ease.

The rotational movement of the denture attachment housing is designed to alleviate load transfers to the abutment or implant.

A smooth, resilient fit of the housing to the insert and a static connection of the insert to the abutment protects and prolongs the life of the system. RIGID SYSTEMS LIKE Novaloc<sup>™</sup> and MedentiLOC®\*

> Can limit movement of the system resulting in greater risk of load transfers to the abutment and implant.

Non-pivoting systems can inflict stress at the housing-todenture connection, leading to possible denture fractures.

Hard and rigid PEEK inserts can increase wear on what matters most, the abutment and the implant.

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## Zest LOCATOR<sup>®</sup> nylon inserts are designed to be affordably replaced in normal patient hygiene intervals.

Patients who receive consistent care are more likely to...

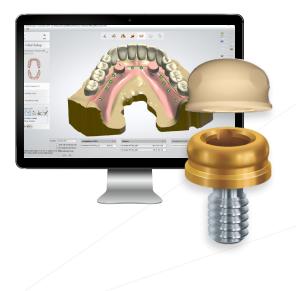
- achieve better long term outcomes.
- require less emergency visits.
- have greater overall satisfaction.
- allow discussion of improved treatment plans.

Using PEEK inserts could...

- encourage patients to extend time between visits.
- reduce the level of resiliency allowing unwanted forces to transfer to the denture, abutment or implant.<sup>1</sup>
- invite greater complications to the most important and costly parts of the system.

### PEEK inserts can increase wear on **what matters most...**

# ...the implant and the abument.



### Market Leader Means Market Leading Advancements.

Zest LOCATOR<sup>®</sup> Scan Bodies can simplify your overdenture cases in combination with a digital workflow.

- Design and 3D print of Mill overdentures with LOCATOR housing recesses included ensuring proper space required for pick-ups.
- Plan your LOCATOR cases in the digital workflow.
- Capture precise location of Attachment.
- Scan intraorally or on a model.
- Scan bodies are made of durable PEEK material.
- Can be sterilized and reused.

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LOCATOR® has been on the market for so long because it's been proven successful. Other companies have tried to create their own version of a LOCATOR. The scientist in me forces me to try out these new systems when they are introduced. **But there's been nothing that compares to Zest LOCATOR when it comes to quality and clinical outcomes.** I ask myself, "Why would I consider switching if what I'm using is working?"



- Dr. Nadim Z. Baba, DMD, MSD, FACP



I've had the opportunity to clinically evaluate many overdenture attachment systems and I keep choosing Zest LOCATOR® for my patients because of its simplicity and predictability. **The pivot, resiliency and simple patient hygiene of the system make it the world leading implant overdenture attachment system and my number one choice.** 

- Dr. Micheal Scherer, DMD, MS, FACP





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