

Dr. John Bull

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ASK DR. BULL

WHAT DOES YOUR OFFICE LOOK LIKE?

Warm earth tones and soft leather sofas bring to mind a cozy living room. All décor was decided upon to make my patients feel relaxed, which results in open communication and easy discussion of goals.

HOW DO YOU SIMPLIFY THE DECISION-MAKING PROCESS?

While leading patient meetings, my staff and I review concerns, and showcase before-and-after images so patients can view actual surgical results. On my Web site, I've posted numerous face, breast, body and skin care before-and-after cases, so that even in the comforts of their own homes, potential patients can see the effects they could have on a realistic body. The Web site not only introduces the office staff, but also details how procedures are performed, empowering patients with essential information. Patients can also read my monthly column in *The Glancer*, a Naperville magazine, where I answer questions to debunk myths.

Post-pregnant transformations

While there are many options for mothers who would like to restore a more refined appearance, Dr. Bull always tells patients that it's important to first understand the changes that have taken place. "Patients need to grasp why their bodies have changed so they can better understand how to correct what they consider to be problem areas," says Dr. Bull. "In particular, breasts often lose elasticity with pregnancy because of weight fluctuations, but a lift in combination with either saline or silicone breast implants can bring back a youthful, uplifted appearance. Likewise, after childbirth, many women experience laxity around their midsections that is unaffected by diet and exercise. In this case, opting for a tummy tuck and liposuction of the waist, hips and buttocks can yield a very feminine hourglass shape."

CASE STUDY



A TAUTER TUMMY

With so much extra skin, Dr. Bull's patient frequently complained of rashes along her lower abdomen and an inability to fully enjoy day-to-day life. To completely reshape her stomach and lower body, Dr. Bull therefore performed a tummy tuck in conjunction with liposuction of the abdomen, flanks and thighs.

“my practice was created to completely cater to patients”

DR. JOHN BULL HAS WORKED HARD TO MAINTAIN A BALANCE OF COMFORT AND SOPHISTICATION AT HIS NAPERVILLE PRACTICE, THE JOHN BULL CENTER FOR COSMETIC SURGERY AND LASER MEDISPA. “A RELAXING ATMOSPHERE TRANSLATES INTO GREATER PATIENT COMFORT—THE MAIN GOAL OF MY PRACTICE,” SAYS DR. BULL.

MEET THE EXPERT

Dr. John Bull

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American Board of Surgery

SERVICES OFFERED

Abdominoplasty
Breast Augmentation
Blepharoplasty
Facelifts
Laser Skin Resurfacing
Liposuction
Oxygen Facials
Rhinoplasty

ABOUT DR. BULL

WHAT ONE WORD BEST DESCRIBES YOUR BEDSIDE MANNER?

Reassuring.

WHAT FASCINATES YOU MOST ABOUT THE HUMAN BODY?

It's interesting how different each body can be.

WHAT PRO BONO WORK HAVE YOU PERFORMED?

I performed cleft lip surgery on a trip to Peru and am currently planning a mission to Mexico.

IF YOU WEREN'T A PLASTIC SURGEON, WHAT ALTERNATIVE OCCUPATION WOULD YOU CHOOSE?

I'd be either a biochemical engineer or an architect.

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