



**International College of Prosthodontists  
London Symposium – Satellite Meeting  
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**Invited Speaker – Sachin Varma**

**Title**

Implants in Clinical Practice: Challenges, Complications, and Solutions

**Abstract**

Implants are commonplace in general practice with the role of the prosthodontist changing constantly. Implants in a Prosthodontic practice have evolved such that the Prosthodontist is now expected to take on surgical cases. As an observation from the speaker, more complex referrals are coming in with a particular emphasis on implant complications as well. There is a particular emphasis on what type of cases should a prosthodontist be taking on, and how to work in a specialist practice as part of a multidisciplinary team.

This talk outlines certain clinical cases showing the challenges experienced in a Specialist Prosthodontic Practice. Dilemmas in clinical options in respect to the financial considerations, compromised scenarios and taking on referrals are discussed. There is a particular focus on the clinical aspects in regard to implant prosthodontics.

**Biography**

Dr Sachin Varma is a Consultant in Prosthodontics at Guys and St Thomas' Hospital Trust. He has been a Specialist in Prosthodontics since 2007

Sachin plays an active role there in training both postgraduate and undergraduate dentists. He has a vast knowledge and experience in implant dentistry and takes great pleasure in sharing his skills.

As well as his teaching commitments, Sachin takes pride in providing specialist treatment in Prosthodontics including implants, crowns, bridges and dentures at his specialist referral practices based in Windsor and Surrey. He pays particular attention to the cosmetic, yet functional and realistic aspects of Prosthodontics.