

# Physician Directory

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## Dentistry & Maxillofacial Prosthetics

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**Specialty:** Dentistry & Maxillofacial Prosthetics  
**Team:** Head & Neck and Dental Center/Team

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## Pathology/Laboratory Medicine

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Hematology Center/Team

**Medical School:** University of Medicine, Romania (1995)

**Residency:** St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center (2003),  
University of Medicine, Romania (1999)

**Fellowship:** University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer  
Center (2005), Memorial Sloan, Kettering Cancer Center  
(2004)

## Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery



**Thom R. Loree, MD**

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**Specialties:** Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery, Surgery  
**Teams:** Breast Center/Team, Head & Neck and Dental Center/Team, Sarcoma and Melanoma Center/Team  
**Medical School:** George Washington University School of Medicine and Health Sciences (1982)  
**Residency:** St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center (1990)  
**Fellowship:** Memorial Sloan, Kettering Cancer Center (1990)



**Paul I. Tomljanovich, MD**

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**Specialty:** Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery  
**Teams:** Breast Center/Team, Dermatology Center/Team, Head & Neck and Dental Center/Team  
**Medical School:** Bologna Medical School, Italy (1969)  
**Residency:** St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center (1975), St. Barnabas Medical Center (1971)

## Surgery



**Wesley L. Hicks Jr., MD**

**Specialty:** Surgery

**Team:** Head & Neck and Dental Center/Team

**Medical School:** University at Buffalo School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences (1984)

**Dental School:** Meharry Medical College (1979)

**Residency:** Memorial Sloan, Kettering Cancer Center (1990), University at Buffalo School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences (1987), New York Hospital, Cornell University Medical College, Manhattan Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital

**Fellowship:** Stanford University Medical Center, Palo Alto (1991), Memorial Sloan, Kettering Cancer Center (1990)



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**Team:** Head & Neck and Dental Center/Team

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**Medical School:** University of Western Ontario (1992)

**Residency:** University of Toronto (1997), Harbor-UCLA Medical Center, Los Angeles (1994)

**Fellowship:** University of Bern, Switzerland (1999), University of Toronto (1999), Royal United Hospital, Bath, England (1996)



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**Residency:** St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center (1990)

**Fellowship:** Memorial Sloan, Kettering Cancer Center (1990)



**Nestor R. Rigual, MD**

**Specialty:** Surgery

**Team:** Head & Neck and Dental Center/Team

**Medical School:** University of Oklahoma College of Medicine (1980)

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**Fellowship:** University of Oklahoma Teaching Hospitals (1991)

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