

# Jenifer L. Henderson, M.D., F.A.C.S.

*Fellow, American Academy of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeons*



*"My goal is to provide state of the art facial aesthetic treatment and plastic surgery to achieve beautiful, yet natural results.*

*"I operate only on the face. I am uniquely qualified to tailor each procedure to achieve an outcome harmonious with age and appearance.*

*"It is important to me to create a safe and comfortable environment so you feel confident you are receiving the highest quality facial plastic surgery and aesthetics care."*

## **Innovative.**

Dr. Jenifer L. Henderson, MD is a facial surgeon dedicated to the art and science of facial plastic and reconstructive surgery. She specializes in traditional facial plastic surgery procedures, such as the rhinoplasty, the facelift, eyelid surgery, brow lifting, chin implantation, ear surgery, laser skin resurfacing and many others. Dr. Henderson also brings advanced training and significant experience in LipoStructure®, a procedure developed by Dr. Sidney Coleman, with whom Dr. Henderson trained in this technique. LipoStructure® involves a permanent fat transplantation that is utilized to restore the facial fullness that is frequently lost to aging. In addition to surgical interventions, Dr. Henderson is also an authority in the non-surgical treatment of facial aesthetics, including injection therapy with Botox®, injectable fillers and multiple other facial rejuvenation therapies, all of which collectively comprise a complete package of facial aesthetic services.

## **Accomplished.**

Dr. Henderson graduated Summa Cum Laude from the Keck School of Medicine of the University of Southern California in 1992. During her medical school education, she was the recipient of multiple awards for academic excellence including *Medical School Honors, Dean's Recognition, American Medical Women's Association Janet M. Glasgow Memorial Achievement Citation* for graduating in the top decile of her class leading to early induction into *Alpha Omega Alpha*, the most prestigious medical honor society.

Upon graduating from medical school, Dr. Henderson completed a general surgery internship at Naval Medical Center in San Diego, California, where she was awarded *Surgical Intern of the Year*. In addition, she also received the *Mercy Hospital Trauma Award* for the Most Outstanding Intern.

After a one year overseas tour as a *General Medical Officer* supporting the United States Marine Corps in southeast Asia, Dr. Henderson returned to Naval Medical Center San Diego, where she completed a residency in Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery. She subsequently served a two-year tour as a staff *head and neck surgeon* at Naval Hospital Yokosuka, Japan, during which time she also successfully completed *board certification by the American Board of Otolaryngology/Head and Neck Surgery*. She was then selected for advanced fellowship training in Facial Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery under the

guidance of Dr. Wayne F. Larrabee, Jr. MD at the University of Washington in Seattle, Washington. Dr. Henderson completed her fellowship training in 2001.

Following her fellowship training, Dr. Henderson successfully completed *board certification by the American Board of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery*, receiving the highest scores in the nation on both written and oral components of the American Board of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery board certification examination. For this remarkable academic achievement, Dr. Henderson was granted the *Jack Anderson Award for Excellence* in 2001.

### **Experienced.**

Following her fellowship training, Dr. Henderson returned to full-time military service in the United States Navy. She served as *Director of the Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery divisions of National Naval Medical Center* in Bethesda, Maryland, *Walter Reed Army Medical Center* in Washington, DC and most recently of *Naval Medical Center Portsmouth* in Portsmouth, Virginia. She also served as *Assistant Professor, Surgery* of the *Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences*, Bethesda, Maryland, and *Assistant Residency Program Director*, *National Capital Consortium*, Bethesda, Maryland, teaching and mentoring resident surgeons and medical students in the practice of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery.

During her esteemed military career, Dr. Henderson achieved the rank of *United States Navy Commander* and was awarded three Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medals, the Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal, as well as multiple departmental honors for her selfless efforts in the advancement of medical education.

### **Respected.**

Dr. Henderson has *co-authored a reference surgical textbook* entitled *Surgical Anatomy of the Face* and written numerous professional articles published in national medical journals. Dr. Henderson is frequently sought nationally for presentations and professional lectures regarding leading edge topics of facial plastic and reconstructive surgery.

Dr. Henderson has also been selected by her peers to serve as an *examination writer*, as well as a *guest oral board examiner* for the board certification examination sponsored by the American Board of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery. She has also served as a guest board examiner for the certification examination sponsored by the American Board of Otolaryngology/Head & Neck Surgery.

An innovative and experienced facial plastic and reconstructive surgeon, Dr Henderson's professional passion is the development of new and refined surgical techniques, which may further advance and improve surgical patient outcomes. Dr. Henderson constantly strives to perfect her craft via a commitment to the highest quality medical and surgical care, a dedication to medical education, and a sincere desire to serve the you.

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