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Breast Implants: Saline vs. Silicone

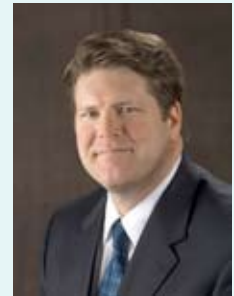
Breast Augmentation (making the breasts larger) is one of the most common cosmetic surgeries performed today. Women who are unsatisfied with their cup size or who have lost volume in their breasts after breastfeeding can choose from a variety of implants to achieve the look that is right for them. An implant creates a fuller, rounder and lifted shape while elevating the nipple to a more youthful position on the breast mound.

Implants are filled with saline or silicone gel and both types have a silicone rubber shell. From 1992 to 2006, the FDA prohibited the use of implants filled with silicone gel for breast augmentation. After extensive scientific research, they concluded silicone gel breast implants do not cause any disease. They are safe and far superior to the saline filled implants. Silicone gel implants are softer, feel and look more natural when implanted, and are more durable than saline filled implants.

Today, over 90% of breast augmentations are performed with silicone gel implants.

Silicone implants come with a renewable 10-year warranty that provides a free replacement implant and covers the cost of the surgery to replace it in the unlikely event that a defect occurs. Contrary to the belief of many consumers, these implants do not have to be replaced every 10 years. Many patients have had breast implants for 20 or 30 years with no problems.

Only plastic surgeons are certified to perform this surgery. For patient safety reasons, breast augmentation should only be performed in a hospital or certified surgery center, not in a physician office. Patients go home about an hour afterwards, most require pain medication for 5 to 7 days, and can resume most activities within 3 to 4 weeks.



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You care enough about yourself to seek ways to look and feel better. It only makes sense to go to the experts at Kadlec Clinic Plastic Surgery to make the most of your procedure. Dr. Frank Fleming is a board-certified Plastic Surgeon with over 15 years experience offering tummy tucks, breast augmentation, liposuction, eye lifts and more.

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It was really important to me to have a great plastic surgeon that was local. I'm not able to take a lot of time off work so I needed to schedule my consultation, my pre-ops and my post-ops around my work schedule. I researched Dr. Fleming's website and found that he was board certified which put a lot of my concerns at ease right away and after meeting him it just verified that.

Dr. Fleming and his staff are extremely friendly, knowledgeable, and very informative. Everyone involved took excellent care of me, and I felt totally comfortable every step of the way. Even before I saw Dr. Fleming, their office staff, especially Melissa, answered every question I had and she always returned a phone call.

When I scheduled my appointment with Melissa, we had actually scheduled the surgery before my pre-op appointment, just so I could get on the books. She knew I needed to get something done right away, due to the sensitive nature of my situation. Dr. Fleming and his staff were wonderful throughout the entire process, kind of held me by the hand, and made it happen for me on the day that I wanted it to happen.

I would encourage anyone looking for a plastic surgeon to make an appointment with Dr. Fleming.

— Angela, local patient

Why I chose Dr. Fleming was for the one reason, I work with him. He's an excellent doctor, his bedside manner is wonderful, and he pays total attention to what you want. When my husband and I came into his office, he was just a wonderful, wonderful man.

I've been looking into a breast augmentation for many years. I researched outside of the area, Seattle, Spokane and I chose Dr. Fleming who is a board certified physician in plastic surgery here in the Tri-Cities. As for my financial needs — he met all those, I was able to stay here in the Tri-Cities, in my own home, I didn't have to stay in a hotel.

I feel Dr. Fleming is very knowledgeable, he is very caring about whatever he is doing, from augmentation, to facelifts, to liposuction. He is smart and focused with what he's doing in the operating room.

— Sara, local patient



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