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## **“Facelift Denture™” technique has come to Virginia**

**Facelift Dentures™** describes a new, highly efficient and comfortable technique for replacing missing teeth, developed by Dr Rod Strickland of Savannah, Georgia, resulting in stunning “facelift-like” results.

Dentist/Artist Dr Lisa Marie Samaha and her Dental Lab Assistant, Leah Quillopo, recently returned from Savannah where they completed their advanced training for the highly successful, state-of-the-art “Facelift Denture™” technique. **Port Warwick Dental Arts became the first practice in Virginia (and one of the first in the world) to be trained in this technique.** When Port Warwick Dental Arts creates “Facelift Dentures™,” the outcome can be dramatic- like a facelift- often in a few short visits. This facelift, however, is totally without pain, bruising or swelling because, *no facial surgery* is needed.

Gum disease, a common and aggressive oral infection which causes destruction of the jawbone, is the number one reason people lose their teeth. After bone loss, the teeth no longer have “soil” to dig into. When a person loses all of his/her teeth and gets a set of dentures, the already weakened jawbone continues to dissolve away at a rapid rate. This is because after teeth are lost, the jawbone is programmed to shrink away. **Eventually, the face begins to get a "sunken-in" look. The chin and nose get closer together as the face begins to collapse, causing rapid aging.** “Facelift Dentures™” help to restore the soft facial tissue. *Facelift Dentures™ support the face the same way natural teeth and bone supported the face many years prior.*

At Port Warwick Dental Arts, Dr Samaha has been creating beautiful smiles since 1982, to include custom-designed dentures. Often many hours of appointment time and try-ins were needed in order to accomplish what she can now do in a fraction of the time with the “Facelift Denture™” technique. With this technique, she is quickly able to determine where the teeth would have *ideally* been located when her patient was in his/her twenties or thirties – giving him or her the most natural looking smile

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while totally rejuvenating the entire facial structure.

Dr Samaha is also experienced in the placement and restoration of dental implants; small titanium posts which are gently placed in the jawbone and snap onto tiny attachments inside your denture. The denture fits securely, no longer rocking or slipping while eating or speaking. To learn more about this or the Facelift Denture™ technique, visit [www.PWDentalArts.com](http://www.PWDentalArts.com).

