UIC College of Dentistry and Affiliated Sites and Hospitals

The Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery program at the University of Illinois at Chicago is unique in that it provides each resident a variety of experiences in each of its affiliated sites, including:

- University of Illinois College of Dentistry
- University of Illinois Medical Center
- Northwestern Memorial Hospital
- Lurie Children's Hospital
- Jesse Brown Veterans Administration Hospital
- Advocate Christ Hospital

The residents rotate through each of these institutions in order to broaden their exposure to the full scope of oral and maxillofacial surgery and to augment their experiences with a diverse faculty.

The University of Illinois College of Dentistry is geographically located across the street from the University Hospital. A completely renovated and progressive postdoctoral Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Clinic offers care to patients referred from the hospital, the dental college and private dental and medical practitioners. The Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery interacts intimately with other departments within the College of Dentistry. The College of Dentistry is also the point of congregation of the residents and attending surgeons for many conferences, lectures and programs.

The University of Illinois Medical Center is a modern 600-bed tertiary care facility, which serves as the primary teaching hospital for the University of Illinois, College of Medicine. Dedicated in 1980, the University of Illinois Hospital is an eight-story facility with the most advanced medical technology available today. Patient care programs encompass the entire spectrum of health services and the medical staff is composed of recognized leaders in a variety of specialties. The University of Illinois Hospital serves as a referral site for the seriously ill throughout the United States and other countries. The medical center is part of a 365-acre tract on the West Side of Chicago, which contains the largest concentration of medical facilities in the world.

The Jesse Brown Veterans Administration Medical Center is a 538-bed tertiary care facility renowned for its progressive research projects, academic affiliations, and community collaborative ventures. The majority of the University's programs include rotations through the Veterans Administration West Side Medical Center. Approximately 1,000,000 veterans reside in the medical center’s primary service area. This complex is the outpatient clinic of jurisdiction for all veterans living in Illinois and four counties of Northwestern Indiana. Dr. Raza Hussain is the Chief of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, and Dr. Ira Satinover is an attending OMS surgeons at the JBVA. Dr. Callison is the Director of the Dental Service at the JBVA.

Northwestern Memorial Hospital is a major medical center in downtown Chicago that provides Level I trauma experience for the residency program. In addition, Lurie Children’s Hospital will provide pediatric OMFS and Craniofacial experience (CFC clinic monthly). Dr. Alexis Olsson is the Chief of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, and there are several adjunct clinical faculty with whom the residents interact on major OR cases. There is also the Northwestern Dental Center where the resident may assist in outpatient dentoalveolar procedures for the Northwestern GPR program.

Advocate Christ Hospital is a Level I trauma hospital in Southwest Chicago where OMFS residents will rotate for their Trauma Surgery experience during their General Surgery rotations (48 month residents), or their General Surgery internship (72 month program). Additional maxillofacial trauma experience with, on-call responsibilities, is provided at this hospital as well.