

## Dr. Patrice Pellerin - The Aesthetic Practice



Dr. Patrice Pellerin is an orthodontic specialist with a very successful solo practice in Lachine, Quebec. He practiced general dentistry for four years before opening his orthodontic practice in 1991. In 1998, Dr. Pellerin converted his practice to a fully aesthetic practice and began using aesthetic orthodontic appliances such as Clarity™ and Invisalign™ on 100 percent of his cases. His practice is committed to providing patients with the most aesthetically pleasing treatment method while ensuring the achievement of established treatment goals.

An internationally recognized guest speaker and teacher, Dr. Pellerin has shared his practice philosophy of “highest aesthetics without compromise to accomplish treatment” with dental groups and practicing clinicians in North America, Europe and Mexico. He lectures on a variety of topics, including the use of aesthetic appliances in orthodontic treatment, practice building through communication and patient satisfaction, and practice management. He taught "Prevention of the Malocclusion" to the Certificate in Dental Hygiene program at the University of Montreal for 14 years, and has been a featured speaker at the 3M Unitek National Training Symposium.

An active member of the professional dental community, Dr. Pellerin has served as a member of the 3M Unitek Advisory Committee for Aesthetic Appliances since 2003, as well as a 3M Unitek Advocate for the use of their aesthetic appliances since 2004. In 2005, he joined the Advisory Committee for Ice Dental Systems, where he actively contributes as an orthodontic specialty advisor. He also served his provincial association, the Quebec Association of Orthodontists, for seven years, and was elected President for the 1999-2000 term.

Dr. Pellerin earned his dental degree in 1985 and his postgraduate Certificate in Orthodontics in 1991 from the University of Montreal, where he received the Senior Student Award from the Academy of General Dentistry, and the Certificate of Merit from the American Society of Dentistry for Children. Currently, he is a member of the Canadian Dental Association, the Canadian Association of Orthodontists and the American Association of Orthodontics.