



BTI UnicCa[®], the first implant system on the market to receive the “CleanImplant Foundation” mark

The UnicCa[®] implant system by BTI was recognised with the CleanImplant Foundation mark, which certifies the purity of the surface of the dental implants by the company from Vitoria.

Vitoria, 30 October 2017. The UnicCa[®] implant system by BTI was the first in the world to receive the “CleanImplant Foundation” mark. The CleanImplant Foundation is an independent organisation that, in collaboration with the University of Cologne and Charité – Universitätsmedizin Berlin, analyses the quality of the materials that comprise dental implants, with the aim of detecting implants with a higher level of purity on their surfaces.

This mark guarantees that the surface of UnicCa[®] dental implants by BTI meets the most demanding standards of purity and cleanliness, unlike other brands on the market with much lower quality standards.

Successive studies carried out by this foundation analysed more than 100 different brands of implants. The surprising results have shown a significant variation in the quality on the market, as **alarming amounts of contaminants were detected, such as iron, copper, nickel, sulphur, etc., as well as large amounts of particles of steel and organic contaminants.** It is important to indicate that all the implants analysed, even those with a high level of pollution, had the CE marking or other types of national regulations.

Dental implants are supposedly all clean when distributed in sterile packaging, as the contamination of the surface could cause a loss of osseointegration and other serious problems.

The CleanImplant Foundation was set up as an independent voice that, by awarding its mark, distinguishes which companies have demanding quality controls and guarantee sterile medical devices, free from impurities.

The final objective is to offer a quality mark that enables clinicians and patients to know they are working with a high quality, completely reliable implant system.

The CleanImplant Foundation is made up of a scientific committee of great international prestige, with experts of the calibre of the doctor Tomas Albreksson.

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