

Dr. M. Vincent Makhlouf, M.D., F.A.C.S

- Board Certified Plastic Surgeon, Board of Plastic Surgery
- Assistant Clinical Professor of Surgery, University of Illinois
- Past President, Illinois Society of Plastic Surgeons
- Member, American Society of Aesthetic Plastic Surgery



A specialist plastic surgeon must possess an essential balance of skill sets, ranging from technical proficiency, surgical expertise, outstanding clinical judgement, an acute sense of artistic creativity and skilled communication. In addition to top ranking specialty certification - board certified by the American Board of Plastic Surgery - Dr. Vincent Makhlouf is a member of the authoritative American Society of Aesthetic Plastic Surgery and Midwestern Associations of Plastic Surgeons. His distinguished medical career spans the spectrum from clinical professorship appointment, former chairman of surgery, and published author in scientific journals, to double board certifications in plastic surgery, state and national accolades and honors, to recipient of patent awards for surgical innovations; accomplishments that place Dr. Makhlouf uniquely qualified to take on any aesthetic challenge for men and women from all cultures and walks of life.

SPECIALTIES

Aesthetic Cosmetic
Plastic Surgery of the
Face, Neck and Body

Aesthetic
Breast Surgery

Plastic Surgery of
the Hand

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With more than 33 years of surgical experience, Dr. Makhlouf commands a powerful combination of skilled surgeon, innovator, academic educator and professor, making him a much sought-after specialist plastic surgeon for enhancing your appearance. In addition to his academic appointments - assistant Clinical Professor of Surgery, where he shares his specialist knowledge teaching future surgeons innovative and proven surgical techniques - and former chairman of a department of surgery, Dr. Makhlouf provides philanthropic contributions of his skill and surgical proficiency in plastic surgery, locally and internationally, to improve the lives of others, including children, veterans and those with limited financial needs.

A pioneer in surgical innovation. Dr. Makhlouf has been at the vanguard of advances in plastic surgery and aesthetic enhancement. His revolutionary invention of ground breaking surgical instrumentation has received clinical recognition. In 2016 Dr. Makhlouf was awarded several patents for his surgical discoveries, which continue today to be utilized in body surgeries to enhanced results.

Member and Fellow of the American College of Surgeons and board certified in multiple specializations, including the rigorous American Board of Plastic Surgery, Dr. Makhlouf's techniques have been featured in national publications and scientific journals, including the prestigious *Journal of Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery*, recognized as the leading authority in cosmetic and reconstructive surgery. With his unrelenting leadership and dedication to ensuring excellence of standards in ethics and quality of patient care, Dr Makhlouf was awarded the state's "Distinguished Physician Recognition Award" by the Illinois Society of Plastic Surgeons, exemplary of his outstanding contributions to the education, practice and advancement of plastic surgery.

The distinguished career, credentials and honors bestowed upon Dr. Makhlouf, extend to the state and regional level with the nomination in 2016 as the President of the Illinois Society of Plastic Surgeons. In a survey of tens and thousands of physicians nationwide; Dr Makhlouf has been selected and honored with Regional Best "Top Doctor, ranking him as among the very best doctors in the region for plastic surgery, by the trusted Castle Connelly's research organization

Patients are assured of an unsurpassed quality of medical and surgical care; all surgeries are performed by Dr. Makhlouf in a modern accredited surgical environment, fully compliant in meeting stringent state regulatory requirements for patient safety, anesthesia and surgical performance. The American Association for Accreditation of Ambulatory Surgery Facilities (AAAASF) provides the accreditation award which also extends to the medical staff who demonstrate a strong commitment to the highest standard of plastic surgery care and concern for the individual.

In addition to forging a career on a single-minded focus of innovation and surgical excellence, Dr Makhlouf, is strongly committed to providing his patients with a personalized and compassionate experience of care, receiving the distinction of "Top Plastic Surgeon" for the highest rating in patient reviews. In 2020, he was bestowed with the certification for "Compassionate Doctor", an honor granted for his care of patients with the utmost kindness. Dr. Makhlouf has received recognition, over several years, with the Patients' Choice Award, reflective of the difference he makes in the lives of his patients. His clientele includes surgeons, physicians, business leaders, celebrities and men and women from all walks of life, who seek exceptional personalized attention, ethical compassionate care with surgical expertise and outstanding results.

Accomplishments and Clinical Specialties

Medical Education and Post-Doctoral Surgery Training:

- American University of Beirut, Lebanon
- Saint Joseph Hospital, Chicago, Illinois
- Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, Saint Louis University, Saint Louis, Missouri
- University of Connecticut, Hartford, Connecticut

Board Certification:

- Certified in Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, American Board of Plastic Surgery
- Certified Qualification in Surgery of the Hand

Clinical Academic Appointments

- Assistant Clinical Professor of Plastic Surgery, Division of Plastic Surgery, University of Illinois College of Medicine, Chicago, IL
- Former Chairman of the Department of Surgery, Holy Family Health Care Hospital, Des Plaines, Illinois
- Former Lecturer, Department of Surgery, Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science, Chicago, IL

Awards, Honors, and Recognitions:

- Former President of the Illinois Society of Plastic Surgeons
- Illinois Distinguished Physician Award, Illinois Society of Plastic Surgeons
- Regional Top Doctor US News and World Reports
- Regional Top Doctor Castle Connolly's Best Doctors
- RealSelf® Verified Doctor
- Member, American Society of Aesthetic Plastic Surgery
- Member, American Society of Plastic Surgeons
- Member, American Society of Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery
- Fellow, American College of Surgeons
- Member, Midwestern Association of Plastic Surgeons
- Member, Chicago Society of Plastic Surgery

Hospital and Clinical Privileges

- Arlington Heights Associated Surgery Center - Attending Plastic Surgeon, Mt. Sinai Hospital - Attending Plastic Surgeon Consultant
- Swedish North Shore University System - Attending Plastic Surgeon Consultant

Languages

English, French, Spanish and Arabic.

Subspecialty Areas of Clinical Concentration

- **Breast Disorders and Aesthetic Breast Contouring Procedures**
 - Breast Asymmetry
 - Breast Augmentation
 - Breast Reduction
 - Breast Lift
 - Breast Implant Removal
 - Breast Implant Revision
 - Male Breast Reduction (Gynecomastia)
 - Breast Augmentation with Fat Transfer
- **Body Lift and Contouring Procedures**
 - Abdominoplasty Tummy Tuck
 - Liposuction
 - Mommy Makeover
 - Thigh Lift
 - Body Lift
 - Buttock Enhancement or Buttock Lift
 - Brazilian Butt Lift & Fat Transfer
 - Body Lipofilling and Fat Transfer
 - Arm Lift and Recontouring (Brachioplasty)
 - Under Arm Tuck
 - Non-Surgical Vaginal Rejuvenation
 - Labiaplasty
- **Facial Aesthetic Surgery**
 - Blepharoplasty (Cosmetic Upper and Lower Eyelid Surgery)
 - Nose surgery or Rhinoplasty
 - Cheek Reduction (Buccal Fat Removal)
 - Chin Augmentation
 - Face Lift Rejuvenation (Open Surgery or Minimally Invasive)
 - Neck Lift
 - Facial Plastic Surgery
 - Facial Liposuction
 - Aging Skin Rejuvenation with Chemical Peels
 - Cosmetic Dermal Injections
 - Cosmetic Fillers and injections for the Face
 - Otoplasty Correction of the Ears
- **Skin Dermatology**
 - Skin Looseness and Laxity of the Face
 - Skin Cancer Excision and Correction
 - Skin Lesions and Tag Removal
 - Mole Removal
 - Reconstructive Surgery
 - Skin Cancer Surgery
 - Skin Tumors

