

Dr. Michael Goldberg of Manhattan Dental Health in New York City had this to say about Dr. Anglis:

Who should you trust as your dentist? I am asked for recommendations all the time. Today, people move more frequently than any time in history. So, when you get to a new city or town, how do you choose a new dentist? Or, if you're insecure with your current dentist, how do you know to whom to turn? It's never easy.

Organized Dentistry would like you to think that every dentist is created equal. In fact, even my discussing this could cause me trouble with the "authorities". I DON'T CARE. When I see unethical behavior, I speak up. When people of conscience stay silent, bad things happen. And, bad things are happening in healthcare today.

That's why I'm writing this in support of Dr. Len Anglis. Not only do I know his expertise because we attend so many scientific events together, not only do I know the efficient and caring staff he has firsthand because I've watched them in action, I know Dr. Anglis as a human being. He's a friend and mentor. I know what's in his heart and soul.

Being a great dentist is more than having knowledge and extraordinary skills, it is about caring for human beings in a very deep and special way. People like Dr. Anglis are, in my opinion, rare.

I've taught thousands of dentists while I was a Professor at Columbia University for 30 years. I know dentists, and I know that knowledge is just one small component making up an exceptional professional. I see "C" students graduate. In my opinion, our Universities, Organized Dentistry, and Government are not adequately protecting us.

Dr. Anglis and I belong to a group of mature practitioners who regularly meet to discuss the latest advances and innovations and how to better care for our patients. And, we spend a great deal of time dealing with the human side of our profession.

Sure, Dr. Anglis travels all over the world learning from the best of the best. His tenacious dedication to continuous learning is legendary and also in my experience, unparalleled. Doctors today just don't do that. They sit at a computer, maybe attend a local course. But to go to Portugal to learn from Dr. Malo or to California, Georgia, or Florida to learn from Drs. Misch, Pankey, and Dawson? Few doctors have that level of commitment.

When I'm asked by a patient of mine whom to see, I invariably refuse to give a name unless I personally would see that dentist. Doing less would be immoral. And yes, I would personally see Dr. Anglis. I wouldn't hesitate for a nanosecond.

In fact, if I needed an implant, I would fly from New York and go to Crown Point in a flash.

Aren't there experts in Manhattan, where I practice?

Of course there are. Yet, even if I know their expertise, skill, and reputation, I probably don't know their office staff, their humanity, or their conscience.

I know Dr. Anglis that well, and it's why I wouldn't hesitate to see him, even if it required some travel.

There's no price for peace of mind.

Wishing everyone good health and wellness,

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