

Thomas Pitts, DDS: Pioneering Orthodontics for Over 50 Years

World-Renowned Orthodontist and Executive Clinical Director at OC Orthodontics Continues to Shape the Future of Aesthetic Dentistry



New York City, New York Mar 26, 2025 ([Issuewire.com](https://www.issuewire.com)) - Thomas Pitts, DDS, a distinguished orthodontist with a career that spans more than five decades, is renowned for his contributions to the field of orthodontics. As the Executive Clinical Director at OC Orthodontics, he leads a progressive team devoted to creating innovative, clear, and metal brackets designed to enhance patient care through exceptional aesthetic outcomes.

Dr. Pitts embarked on his orthodontic journey in 1970, developing a unique specialty known as "Pitts Discipline." This methodology emphasizes smiles and facial aesthetics through groundbreaking techniques. His passion for orthodontics is evident in his commitment to fostering clinical relationships, innovating product development, and leading educational initiatives globally. In addition to his directorial role, Dr. Pitts practices part-time at Pitts Orthodontics in Reno, where his legacy continues through his son, Dr. Arnie Pitts, and Dr. Mark Handelin. His grandson, Dr. Hunter Pitts, is set to join the practice, ensuring the family's commitment to orthodontics endures.

Dr. Pitts earned his Doctor of Dental Surgery Degree from the University of the Pacific Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry, followed by a Master of Science in Orthodontics from the University of Washington after serving two years in the U.S. Army. His extensive affiliations with prestigious organizations, including the American Association of Orthodontists, the Pacific Coast Society of Orthodontists, the American Dental Association, the Nevada State Dental Association, and the Northern Nevada Dental Society, underscore his influential role within the orthodontic community. He is also the founder of the Pitts Progressive Study Group, which fosters knowledge sharing among orthodontic professionals.

Globally recognized for his innovative techniques, Dr. Pitts has pioneered the "Pitts 21 Discipline," which utilizes a unique bracket slot and arch forms that have revolutionized orthodontic esthetic procedures. As a celebrated lecturer and clinician, he has dedicated over 30 years to teaching orthodontic finishing and clinical excellence, currently serving as a Clinical Professor in the Department of Orthodontics at Roseman University in Henderson, Nevada. His dedication to teaching continues to inspire a new generation of orthodontists.

Outside of his professional endeavors, Dr. Pitts cherishes family time and enjoys golfing. His commitment to community service reflects his desire to make a positive impact both within and beyond the orthodontic realm. As he continues to innovate and educate, Dr. Thomas Pitts remains a beacon of excellence in orthodontics.

Learn More about Dr. Thomas Pitts:

Through his findatopdoc profile, <https://www.findatopdoc.com/doctor/2119266-Thomas-Pitts-Orthodontist> or through OC Orthodontics, <https://www.oc-orthodontics.com/ambassador-mentors>

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