

DI STEFANO

HAIR RESTORATION CENTER

WHY CHOOSE NEW ENGLAND'S HAIR RESTORATION LEADER?

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EXPERIENCE MATTERS

Put your trust in the most experienced hair transplant experts in New England. At DiStefano Hair Restoration Center our experienced surgeons have performed over 10,000 surgeries. You will not find a more experienced hair restoration practice in all of New England!



GRAFTPARENCY

At DiStefano Hair Restoration Center we coined the term "Graftparency". "Graftparency" means graft transparency, the process of informing our patients on the number of grafts they need and how many grafts they will receive in their surgery! We believe that the patient should have all the necessary information to make an informed decision about their hair transplant, and the most important component is the number of grafts!



OUR GUARANTEE

At DiStefano Hair Restoration Center we stand by our results, and we guarantee patient satisfaction with all of our hair transplants. Approximately 92-95% of all transplanted hair is expected to grow, and after 15 months if the patient is unsatisfied with his or her results, we pledge to replace any grafts that did not grow at no charge to the patient as long as all recommendations were followed.



INNOVATION

Developed the IGT procedure



INDUSTRY RECOGNIZED

Members of the International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery



BEST TRAINED MDs

Our surgeons are Emergency Room trained physicians

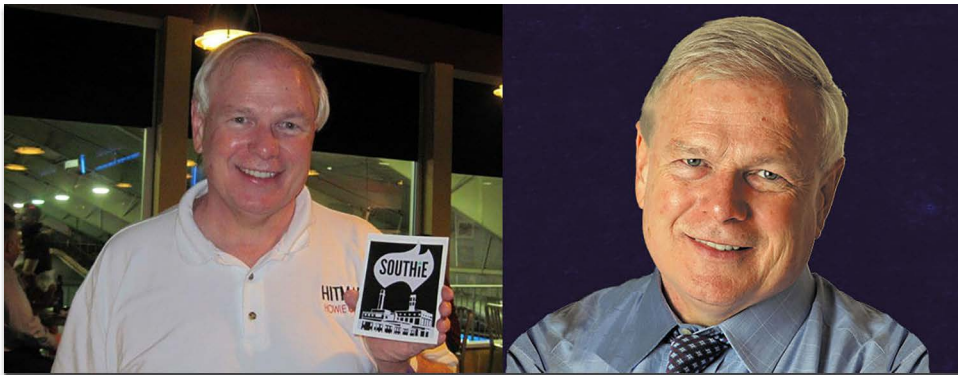
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Gerry Callahan
WEEI Radio Host

"I had a great experience with Dr. DiStefano and his staff!"



Howie Carr
Howie Carr Show

"I couldn't be happier. DiStefano did it!"



Sean Grande
Voice of the Celtics

"I am thrilled with my results from Dr. DiStefano!"

FUT vs IGT™ Transplant

At DiStefano Hair Restoration Center we offer patients two different options for hair transplants, the Follicular Unit Transplant (FUT) and the Individual Graft Technique (IGT™). While both methods of hair restoration produce great results, there are some key differences in the two. The key difference is that the IGT™, which was developed at DiStefano Hair Restoration Center, uses a method of extracting individual grafts one at a time from the donor area. The below chart outlines the key differences between the two procedures.

CATEGORY	FUT	IGT	COMMENTS
Pain Management		✓	Many patients state that they have limited pain with the IGT™ procedure as there is no linear scar and no stitches
Scarring		✓	As each graft is individually extracted there is no linear scarring with the IGT™ procedure
Recovery		✓	With the IGT™ procedure patients can return to work faster than the traditional FUT
Costs	✓		As each graft must be individually extracted, the IGT™ procedure is much more time consuming for the staff, therefore, it is about 25% more costly than the FUT procedure
Surgery Size	✓		Due to the graft extracting technique of the IGT™ procedure we are often limited in the number of grafts we can transplant in a single surgery compared to the FUT

IGT™ Transplant

Grafts 500-1300: In order to **NOT** shave your head entirely in the donor area to the skin, we will have you grow your hair out for 8-10 weeks in the back. Your hair will look like photos 1 and 2. We will tape the hair up, remove the follicles and the hair will then flop back down to cover the area we removed until it grows back in.

Grafts 1300+: We **MUST** shave the entire back of your head to the skin like you see in photo # 3



Tape Up Method Example 1



Tape Up Method Example 2



Shaved Head Day 1 vs Day 7



The DiStefano Guarantee

At DiStefano Hair Restoration Center, we guarantee patient satisfaction with all of our hair transplants. Approximately 92-95% of all the transplanted hair is expected to grow. If a patient, after completing an in person follow-up visit at 9 and 15 months, is unsatisfied with his or her hair transplant we pledge to replace any graft that did not grow at no charge to the patient. We have less than two percent of patients each year who redeem this guarantee. The vast majority of patients are very pleased with the results. If recommended, you will need to be on a hair maintenance therapy such as Propecia, 82M/F, or Low Level Laser Therapy, in order to qualify for this guarantee.



Post-Surgical Hair Maintenance Solutions

While you will not lose transplanted follicles, unfortunately, hair loss is progressive, which means that other areas of your head may continue to thin after your hair transplant. In order to maintain a great looking full head of hair DiStefano Hair Restoration Center offers a number of other treatment options to our patients to complement your hair transplant. One of the best benefits of all of these treatments is that they are also extremely beneficial to the transplanted follicles as well, helping in the recovery of the follicles and ensuring healthier thicker hair.

Low Level Laser Therapy

Low-level laser therapy or LLLT is one of the most effective ways to treat the progression of hair loss today. LLLT has been found to arrest or stabilize hair loss in about 90% of patients, and with consistent use, has also been found to stimulate hair-regrowth in around 50%.

Propecia (Finasteride)

Finasteride is a tablet that is administered by mouth. It slows hair loss in addition to stimulating hair growth. It works best when it is taken as soon as hair loss is noticed but it is also effective for later stage hair loss.

82M (Specially Compounded Minoxidil Solution)

Formula 82M is a prescription Minoxidil based topical solution that can only be purchased through a pharmacy. Minoxidil was approved in the late 1980's and has been proven to be effective in stimulating hair growth for both men and women. Formula 82M is specially formulated to increase absorption of the Minoxidil and decrease inflammation in a less greasy solution than an over the counter Minoxidil.



Low Level Laser Therapy (LLLT) FAQ

LLLT is an extremely effective non-surgical treatment for hair loss. LLLT not only thickens existing hairs, but also increases the number of hairs in the growth phase. LLLT is a great way to help rejuvenate transplanted follicles and decrease the change of further hair loss.

How does it work?

LLLT stimulates the hair follicle cells to grow in the scalp and increases cellular activity around the follicle. This also increases circulation, and decreases inflammation so that existing hairs can grow thicker and stronger.

How long has it been around?

LLLT has been used in various medical specialties for over 50 years, however with the advancements in laser technology over the last five years, studies have demonstrated amazing results when used for the treatment of hair loss in women.

Is LLLT a safe treatment?

While the thought of lasers may sound scary, LLLT is extremely safe and is FDA approved for the treatment of hair loss. Unlike most cosmetic lasers, LLLT is a "cold-beam" laser, therefore it is therapeutic and there is no risk of burning the skin.

Is there research on its effectiveness with hair?

There have been numerous studies showing the effectiveness of LLLT as a treatment for hair loss. One of the most recent studies was performed in 2014:

American Journal of Clinical Dermatology 2014

- a) Randomized, double-blind multicenter study (including Harvard, MIT, Cleveland Clinic)
- b) Result: Statistically significant improvement in hair density in the treatment group. Hair shafts were both more numerous as well as thicker in about 95% of the treatment group. No significant negative side effects.

How is it performed?

At DiStefano Hair Restoration Center we offer three LLLT products that you can use in the comfort of your own home, the DHRC 272 Laser Cap, the LCPRO LaserCap® and the HairMax® LaserBand 82.



Low Level Laser Therapy Product Comparison

	DHRC 272	LCPro 224	Flex300
Technical Specs			
Laser Wavelength	650nm	650nm	650nm
Laser Output Per Diode	5mw	5mw	5mw
Number of Laser Diodes	272	224	300
Total Laser Power Output	1,360mw	1,120mw	1,500mw
Power Source	Rechargeable Battery Pack	Rechargeable Battery Pack	Rechargeable Battery Pack
Laser Coverage	Total Scalp	Total Scalp	Total Scalp & Back & Sides
Treatment Protocol			
Treatment Protocol	20-30 min 3x a week	20-30 min 3x a week	20-30 min 3x a week
Hands Free	Yes	Yes	Yes
Ease of Use	High	High	High
Patient's Compliance	High	High	High
Uniform Coverage	Yes	Yes	Yes
Portable	Yes	Yes	Yes
Discreet	Yes	Yes	Yes
Warranty			
Battery Warranty	1 Year	1 Year	1 Year
Cap Warranty	1 Year	Limited Lifetime	Limited Lifetime
Extended Warranty Available	2 Year - \$80.00	No	No
Warranty With	DHRC	LaserCap Company	LaserCap Company
Return Policy	No Returns	Within 12 months and get 75% back	Within 12 months and get 75% back
Pricing			
Patient Price	\$ 1,899.00	\$ 2,499.00	\$ 2,999.00
Cost Per Diode	\$ 6.98	\$ 11.16	\$ 9.99
Physician Only	Yes	Yes	No

FORMULA 82M



Formula 82M combines the latest proven ingredients, such as minoxidil, retinoic acid and vitamin E, along with proprietary ingredients, in a non-irritating and stable base. This uniquely designed formulation stimulates hair growth and decreases hair loss.

Frequently Asked Questions

How often do I use Formula 82M?

It is recommended that 20 drops are to be applied to each needed scalp area twice a day for men and once a day for women. The 120ml droptainer should be sufficient for a 2-3 month supply.

How long will it be before I see results?

For most people, results can be seen in 6-8 weeks, but significant results take 3-6 months. At first you will notice your hair loss will decrease and then you will notice new growth.

Will I lose my hair that I have gained if I stop taking 82M?

In order to maintain the gains you will see, it is important to remain on Formula 82M for as long as directed by your physician.

Are there side effects?

At first, a small percentage of people have a little irritating or itching, but this will gradually stop within in the first couple of weeks.