



TOP DOCTOR  
SPECIALTY  
IN PRACTICE

Dr. Arthur M. Cambeiro  
Plastic Surgery  
6 years

What colleges have you attended and where did you earn your medical degree(s)?

I went to the University of Southern California (USC) and I received my medical degree from the University of Colorado, and my plastic surgery fellowship was at the Mayo Clinic.

Why did you choose this specialty and when did you know this was what you wanted to do?

Plastic surgery was the only specialty that captured my imagination. I always knew I wanted to be a surgeon as I have always been very technically skilled with my hands.

What are some of the things in this field that have captured your attention?

Just how every patient's a little bit different and you need to adjust your techniques and refine operative plans from patient to patient, as well as keeping up with the newest technologies and the newest procedures.

What is the most rewarding part of your job as a medical professional?

It would be seeing the happy patients afterward (post-operatively). There's that immediate gratification of seeing happy patients after the procedure.

What is the biggest problem you see in the health care industry?

The biggest problem in the field of plastic surgery is the lack of regulation of who performs plastic surgery.

— Interviewed by Brian Sodoma  
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