

Dr. Dennis Orgill



Dr. Dennis Orgill is a Plastic Reconstructive Surgeon at Brigham and Women's Hospital (BWH). In 1978, he attended MIT as a graduate student and worked with Drs. Yannas and Burke in developing an artificial skin for burn victims. He was involved in the pre-clinical and early clinical studies performed at Massachusetts General Hospital and the Shiners Burn Institute. He completed Medical School at Harvard as well as residencies in Surgery and Plastic Surgery at BWH and Harvard. He then started on staff in the Plastic

Surgery Division at BWH in 1992 where he also started the Tissue Engineering and Wound Healing Laboratory that has published over 100 papers and received numerous grants. He became the Medical Director of the newly formed BWH Wound Center in 2009. This Center has cared for thousands of patients, been involved in several clinical trials and has sponsored a bi-annual regional Wound Care Conference. In 2013 he was appointed as the only surgeon on the Board of Directors of the Hidradenitis Foundation, which advocates for better treatments of patients with this difficult disease. He looks forward to advocating for improved wound care for the many patients with acute and chronic wounds throughout the world.