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Minimizing scars in breast lift surgery

Breast lifts have traditionally been performed through an anchor incision, i.e. a scar around the areola, a vertical scar from the areola to the base of the breast, and an incision along the base of the breast. Recent improvements include the vertical scar technique and the circum-areolar technique leaving a scar around the areola only. The author will present a new technique where tightening is done under the areola, and an absorbable mesh (internal bra) is used to support the breast.

Biography

Hilton Becker is a certified Plastic Surgeon by American Board of Plastic Surgery, and is in practice since 1981. He received his medical degree from University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa, and completed his plastic surgery residency at the Virginia Commonwealth University-Medical Center. He specializes in reconstructive and cosmetic surgery of the breasts, facial rejuvenation, and liposuction. He has developed several medical patents, including the Becker Adjustable Breast Implant and the Becker Dissector Liposuction Cannula and a complete line of natural skin care products, always keeping the patient's best interest in mind. He is the recipient of many awards, most notably named one of Good Housekeeping's top Breast Cancer Reconstructive Surgeons in 1989. He remains dedicated to his cancer patients around the world. His philosophy is to exceed his patients' needs and expectations to ensure they always receive the highest standard of care.

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