

Our Mission:

Is to enhance the quality of patient care by providing safe, high quality allograft tissues to health care professionals for both transplant and research.

The History of Bone Bank Allografts

Bone Bank Allografts was founded in 1993 in response to a growing need for allograft tissue in South Texas. Hospitals and surgeons needed a reliable, consistent source of quality allografts for use in neurologic, orthopedic, oral-maxillofacial, and urologic surgeries. Bone Bank Allografts became that source for bone, soft tissues and cartilage. Since 1993, Bone Bank Allografts' distribution network has grown to cover Texas, the country and the globe, fulfilling surgical needs for allograft tissue in more than 175,000 successful transplantations.

Located in San Antonio, Texas, Bone Bank Allografts is dedicated to a just, equitable and fair distribution of cadaveric tissue to surgeons, hospitals, surgicenters and dental offices. Over the years, our customers have come to rely on the superior quality of our tissue products as well as the unmatched service of our well trained, certified Tissue Bank Specialists (CTBS) and our knowledgeable distribution staff.

With accreditation from the American Association of Tissue Banks (AATB), registration with the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and compliance with the FDA's Good Tissue Practices, Bone Bank Allografts continues to pursue our mission: *To enhance the quality of patient care by providing safe, high quality allograft tissues to health care professionals for transplant and research.* Most recently, Bone Bank Allografts has taken the next important step in tissue banking by developing a powerful partnership with Texas Human Biologics (THB) in order to process donated human tissue.

Our Partnership with Texas Human Biologics

In 2006, Bone Bank Allografts recognized a significant need for a higher allograft processing standard. In accordance with its mission, BBA constructed a state of the art facility for processing donated human tissue.

Located in the Texas Research Park, currently dedicated to the pursuit of biotechnology research and development, Texas Human Biologics emerged in February 2007. THB was designed and built in full compliance with environmental conditions and standards required for the processing of human tissue as set forth by the AATB and FDA. The result of this groundbreaking partnership is the SteriGraftTM line of allograft products. SteriGraftTM products are manufactured using the fully validated, trademarked GraftShieldTM method resulting in precision crafted tissues for application in a vast array of surgical procedures.



Licenses and Certifications

Bone Bank Allografts is accredited by the American Association of Tissue Banks (AATB) and follows procedures for tissue banking based on strict standards. Additionally, Bone Bank Allografts is licensed by and follows regulations set forth by the States of New York, California, Maryland, Oregon, and Florida. Bone Bank Allografts adheres to the federal laws and guidelines of the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA), Centers for Disease Control (CDC) and United States Public Health Service (USPHS).

Copies of related licenses and certifications are available for download from our website at www.bonebank.com.