

### **Dr. Teresa O, M.D, M.Arch, FACS**

Dr. Teresa O is a pediatric and adult facial plastic surgeon specializing in the diagnosis and treatment (medical and surgical) of vascular anomalies. She is a physician in the Vascular Birthmark Institute of New York at Lenox Hill and Manhattan Eye, Ear, and Throat Hospitals. She is also Co-Director of the Facial Nerve Center, and diagnoses and treats all forms of facial paralysis.

Dr. O commenced her education at Cornell University where she earned a Bachelor's degree in Architecture. She then went on to earn a Master's degree in Architecture also at Cornell University. After working as an architect in New York and Asia, she matriculated at Boston University Medical School(MD). She then completed a residency in Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery at the New York Eye and Ear Infirmary in New York. Her specialization was then completed with a fellowship in vascular anomalies at St. Lukes - Roosevelt Hospital Center and advanced training in facial reanimation at the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary in Boston.

Dr. O has a very active practice in vascular anomalies and facial paralysis in New York and sees patients from all over the world. She also has a practice in Berlin (Germany) where she treats patients with facial paralysis. She is involved in both basic science and clinical research. She has authored and co-authored over 30 peer-reviewed scientific journal articles and 10 textbook chapters. She is currently editing two texts for the North American Clinics series and she is also a reviewer for scientific articles being considered for publication. She has been invited as a lecturer in vascular anomalies and facial reanimation both locally and abroad.

Dr. O teaches residents and fellows and is a member of several specialty medical societies where she serves on various committees.