

# History of Tayani Institute



**2000**

Tayani Institute was established on March 27, 2000. Built from the ground up in San Clemente starting with a 937 sf office, the practice had no contracts and no patients.



**2000-2003**

For 3 years Dr. Tayani worked hard establishing contracts with all the various insurance companies and building a presence, as well as a name in the industry. Over this period of time it steadily grew in its volume and reputation in South Orange County.



**2003**

Tayani Institute expanded the office to become 2,000 square feet in San Clemente and opened satellite offices in Irvine and in the Mountain areas.



**2005**

In May of 2005 Dr. Tayani brought on an associate, Peter Joson, M.D. a general ophthalmologist with sub-specialty training in glaucoma.



**2008**

The practice opened its state of the art ASC, The West Coast Center for Surgeries in San Clemente California and further expanded its local practice with a 5,000 square foot office in Mission Viejo.



**2009**

The practice acquired a cosmetic practice for laser hair removal and brought that business into the Mission Viejo complex. This later became DERMABARE at Lifetime Fitness. The med spa provides Botox, Fillers, IPL treatment, IV Infusions, Morpheus 8 microneedling, and many other skin rejuvenation treatments.



**2011**

With the help of Dr. Rebecca Ng, Tayani Institute entered the world of optometry and opened an office in Laguna Hills. The practice contracted with various vision plans. Tayani Institute's optometry division grew to a strong team of 6 optometrists and now provides optical services at multiple locations.



**2016**

At this time, Dr. Hootan Daneshmand, an experienced & board certified Plastic Surgeon joined the team in providing the latest in cosmetic and reconstructive plastic surgery.



**2017**

We acquired a practice in Oceanside, California and expanded into our 6th office location with Dr. Asha Nuthi as our Medical Retina doctor.



**2018**

Dr. Audrey Tai, a fellowship trained cornea specialist joined the team of physicians and surgeons, bringing with her expertise of Cornea and Refractive Surgery.



**2019**

We acquired state of the art technologies for our med-aesthetic division, namely Radio Frequency and Dr. Tayani was asked to become a lead physician and surgeon as a Key Opinion Leader in the field of Cosmetic Procedures with InMode.



**2021**

Super Vision Center in Santa Ana merged with Tayani Institute and added Dr. Bill Berke to the highly accomplished list of Optometrists. Dr. Berke is a leader in the field of Orthokeratology and Myopia Control and holds several US patents on orthokeratological lens designs and methods of fitting.



**2022**

Dr. Jan Lukac's practice in Brea, Brea Eye Care, merged with Tayani Institute in January 2022. Dr. Lukac is a highly accomplished board certified ophthalmologist who brings over 40 years of experience to the practice.

Saddleback Eye Medical Associates located in Mission Viejo merged with Tayani Institute in May 2022. This partnership added two more accomplished ophthalmologists, Dr. Weiss and Dr. Gwynn, to the team.