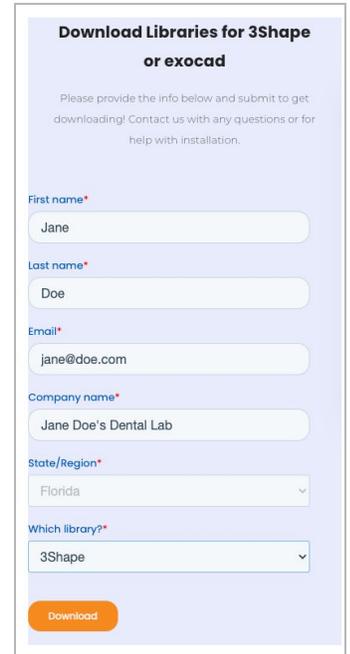# Open Implants 3Shape Library Installation Guide

If you are running 3Shape on multiple, networked machines, download and install the library on your 3Shape server computer.

DOWNLOAD

1. To download the OI library, go to openimplants.com/downloads. We recommend using a Chrome browser.

2. Complete the form on the webpage (shown to the right) and you will be taken to another page to download the library.

3. Click DOWNLOAD.DME to download the library.
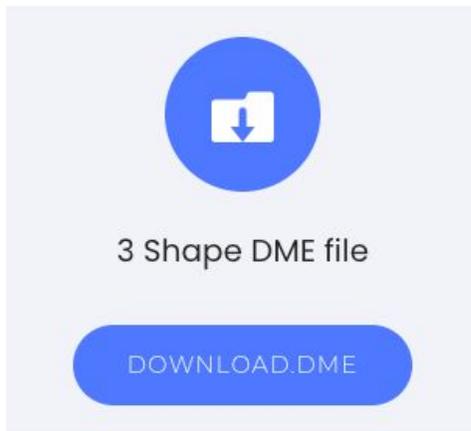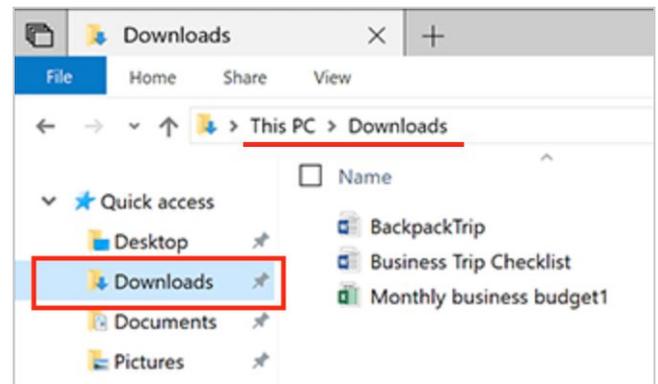
If prompted to select a location where the file will be saved, choose a location that works for you, such as your **desktop** or a folder where you keep all libraries.

Often, the default destination will be set to your PC's **Downloads** folder. Check in the Downloads folder first, if you are not sure where the file was saved.

INSTALL

Before you begin installation, save and close any items that are open in 3Shape.

1. **Open the '3Shape Dental System Control Panel**, which has a dedicated desktop icon, with a hex nut icon picture, or click on the hex icon within the 3Shape program window.
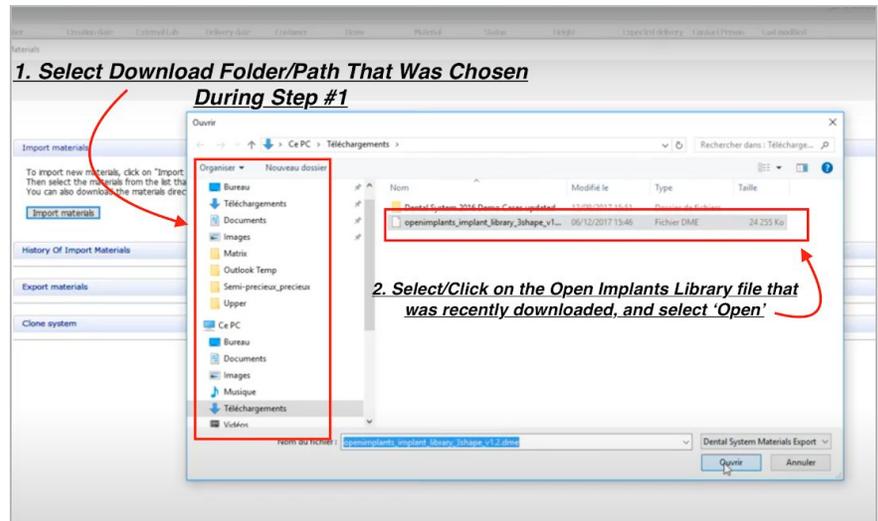

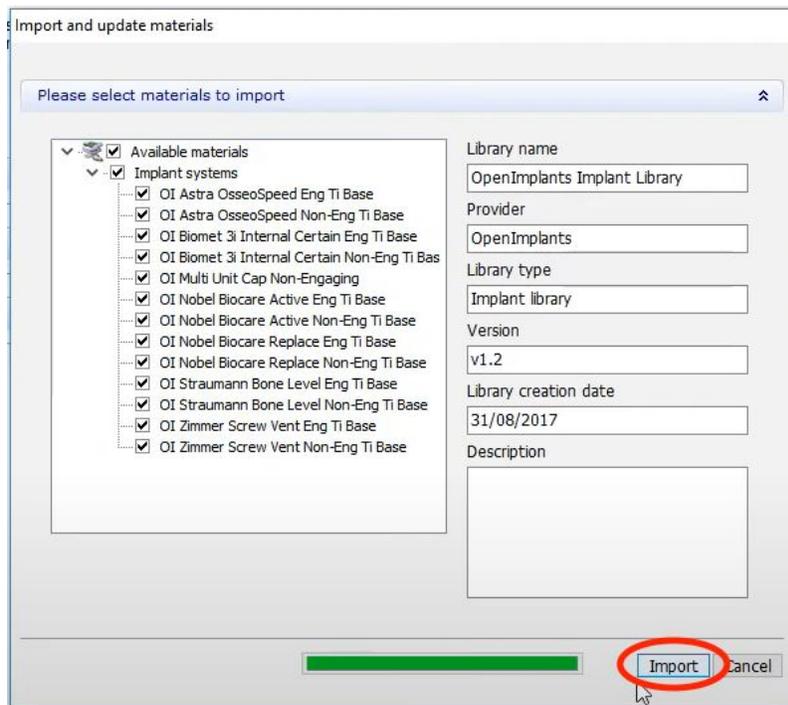2. In the bottom, left side of the Control Panel, under Tools, **Click Import/Export**.

3. Then, **click Import materials**.

4. **Select the file to import** from the pop-up window. Navigate through your computer's local folders to where the file is located. Click on the folder. Then click on the file, which will be named something like '*OpenImplants Implant library v2.0.dme*'
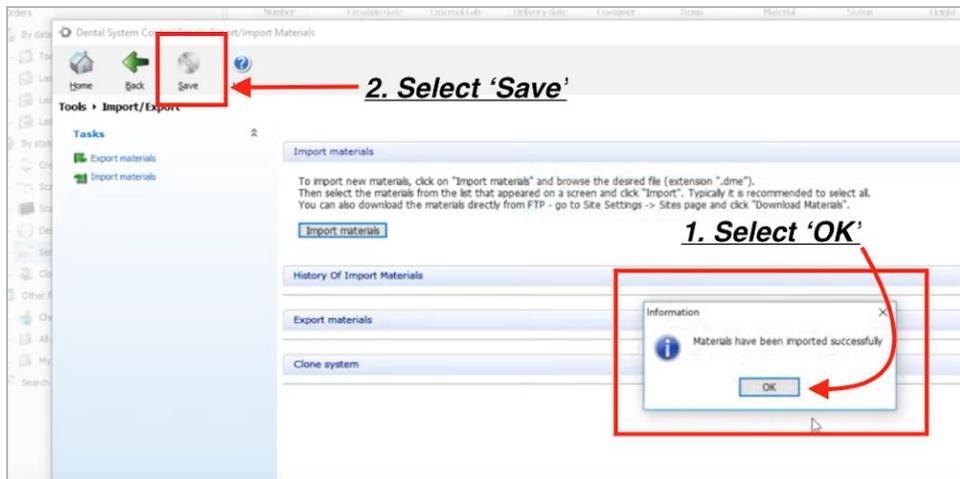

Click Import

If you are updating a previously installed version of the Open Implants 3Shape Library, a dialogue box may appear asking if you would like to update duplicate files between the two libraries.

        Select Update and select **Apply to all file types**, then **click Confirm**.

5. **Complete the installation.** Click **OK** and then select **Save.**

Congratulations!

You have successfully installed the latest version of the Open Implants 3Shape Library. Please note that it may take a few minutes to see the new/updated files within 3Shape.

Need support?

We are happy to help answer any questions or for a remote library installation via TeamViewer, please reach out.

Call us with any questions
1-781-587-3242
1-888-587-3242 (Toll free)

Chat with us from any page on our website
openimplants.com

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Open Implants 3Shape Library Installation FAQ

Can I use the new library with a case I already started designing?

To leverage the new library, 3Shape requires that you restart the case with a new design.

I am seeing a new window asking me to Confirm Save.

When saving and closing the Control Panel, a second dialogue box may appear (see image below) asking if you would like to save your changes. **Select Yes**, and continue closing all 3Shape programs, before fully restarting your computer. Make sure to save any open/unfinished cases.
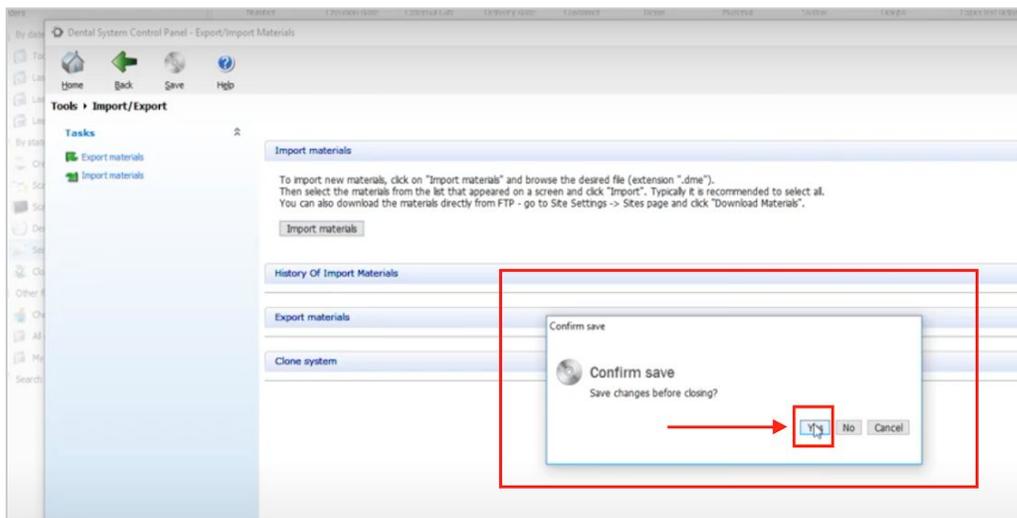
How can I confirm that my library was installed or updated?

To confirm that you have the latest library installed, open a new design case in 3Shape, and make sure both Gingival Height (GH) and Chimney Height (H) Options, are now available when selecting Open Implants Engaging Titanium Bases. The GH and H options can be found on the right hand side of the 3Shape order form | Category (Component Type) > System (Platform Type/Brand) > Kit (Exact GH and H selections, for previously confirmed Platform). Please note that it can take a few minutes for the files to appear within 3Shape after the installation.