



Category	Area of concern	Dr. Parker	Dr. B	Dr. C
1. Verifying Your Surgeons Credentials & Experience				
Board Certification	Surgeon certified by American Board of Plastic Surgery	✓		
Medical Specialization	Hospital privileges for procedure planned	✓		
Training	Accredited U.S. medical school	✓		
	Accredited plastic surgery residency	✓		
Professional Societies	Fellow American College of Surgeons (FACS)	✓		
	Member American Society for Aesthetic Plastic Surgeons (ASAPS)	✓		
Expertise	Demonstrated skill—review before & after photos			
	Proven experience—speak with former patients			
	More experience—review patient testimonials			
2. Finding Your Team				
Staff	Helpful and informative initial phone call			
	Appointment made at a convenient time			
	Staff: friendly, knowledgeable, personable			
	Follow up phone call after consultation			
	Pre surgical patient education visit with nurse			
	Staff includes Registered Nurse (RN) or Physician's Assistant (PA)			
Doctor	Reasonable waiting time			
	Comprehensive consultation with surgeon			
	Good rapport developed with surgeon			
	Meet staff who had surgery from doctor			
	Recommended by friend or family			
Practice	Informative and helpful website			
	Facility: attractive, neat, & clean			
	Offered breast implant sizing, if appropriate			
	Offered computerized imaging, if appropriate			
	Written fee estimate			
	Fees discussed in a private setting			
3. Making Sure You're Safe and Heal Quickly - Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC)				
Office Based Surgery Suite or ASC	Hospital or Accredited Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC)	✓		
	Uncertified Office Based Suite	Just Say No		
Anesthesia or Sedation	Board certified MD anesthesiologist in attendance	✓		
Clearances	Medical clearance and labwork, as appropriate	✓		
Monitoring	Monitoring in operating room: EKG, pulse oximetry, blood pressure, temperature probe	✓		
	Monitoring in recovery room: EKG, pulse oximetry, blood pressure, temperature probe	✓		
Emergency	Registered Nurse in recovery with no other duties: BLS (Basic Life Support), CPR	✓		
	Transfer privileges to hospital in emergency	✓		
Recovery: Post Operative Care	24/7 post operative RN and MD availability	✓		
	Given detailed written post-op instructions	✓		
	Post operative Manual Lymphatic Drainage massages	✓		
	Peri operative healing supplements given	✓		
	Follow up care for 1 year after the surgery	✓		
Total Check Marks:				