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# OP Welcomes Cosse and Silmon Orthodontics



We are delighted to announce that Cosse & Silmon Orthodontics has joined the Orthodontic Partners family! Our newest partners are transforming smiles in Shreveport, Bossier City, Stonewall, and Minden, Louisiana, and is OP's first partner in the state.

Says Dr. Chris Cosse: "It is an honor to be partnering with the top orthodontists in the world and more importantly some of our best friends. We can't wait to learn and share best practices."

In 2000, Dr. Christopher Cosse went into practice with his father and mentor, Dr. Spiro Cosse. Not long after, in 2005, the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina spurred Dr. Jeff Silmon to relocate to Shreveport, where he soon began working with the Cosse father-son team. Dr. Silmon would eventually become partners with Dr. Christopher Cosse, and this duo and their fantastic team are the force behind Cosse & Silmon Orthodontics.

Both Dr. Cosse & Dr. Silmon graduated from the dental program at the Louisiana State School of Dentistry (LSUSD) in New Orleans, with Dr. Silmon completing his orthodontic training and certification at LSUSD and Dr. Cosse receiving his certification in orthodontics and dentofacial orthopedics from Oregon Health & Science University in Portland, Oregon.

Dr. Cosse and Dr. Silmon are both Damon Premier Providers and Educators; in fact, they are the only two orthodontists in Louisiana with this distinction. Together, they also developed and created OrthoScreening and Braces Academy, online software programs designed to assist with patient consultations, education, and communication.

Dr. Jeff Silmon also looks forward to the future with OP: "Helping to grow the profession we all love through collaboration with industry thought leaders is especially appealing to us."

We feel very fortunate to have such a strong team join our network. Let's celebrate them together with a warm welcome!