Prosthodontists are dental specialists with additional training after dental school in the prevention and treatment of tooth loss. Prosthodontists have a highly skilled understanding of the dynamics of a smile, the preservation of a healthy mouth and the creation of tooth replacements. Prosthodontists are trained to recognize the changes caused by tooth loss and the landmarks utilized to determine natural tooth position, color and form.

The American College of Prosthodontists offers the No. 1 referral directory for locating a prosthodontist in your area. Search by your ZIP code or a specific procedure to find your specialist today at www.gotoapro.org.

The ACP’s mission is to provide the highest quality of patient care, work closely with other dental professionals to provide the most comprehensive and effective treatments, and improve the quality of patients’ lives through the advancement of prosthodontics.

If you are missing teeth or if your dentures are old, worn or uncomfortable, then seek the expertise of a prosthodontist today to help you smile again.
Denture Alternatives

Scientific research shows that some individuals do not adapt well to removable dentures. They may experience movement of the dentures, looseness, limited chewing, impaired speaking or changes in self-confidence. Sometimes improved removable and complete dentures provided by a prosthodontist can help in overcoming these problems. In more difficult cases, your prosthodontist may recommend the use of dental implants to stabilize the denture. An implant-retained denture will have much less movement, result in fewer sore spots, improve chewing and enhance self-image and self-confidence. Prosthodontists have been the leading force in the 30-year development of successful dental implant treatment.

To learn more about complete dentures, removable partial dentures or dental implants, ask your prosthodontist or visit www.prosthodontics.org.