

YOUR SMILE. OUR SPECIALTY.

By matching your unique smile and bite, dentures can improve facial appearance and self-confidence.

Dentures can also help solve problems with speech and chewing.

Prosthodontists are recognized by the American Dental Association as specialists in the replacement of missing teeth. They have advanced training in the planning and fabrication of dentures that fit well and feel comfortable in your mouth.

Specialty care is an investment in your quality of life. A prosthodontist's expertise will help ensure that your new dentures are made correctly the first time and continue to feel good for years to come.

Prosthodontists are dentists who have completed three additional years of postgraduate training beyond dental school. In addition to helping patients with dentures, they use the latest techniques, including advanced digital technology, to create personalized treatment plans and deliver efficient, long-lasting dental care.

Prosthodontists specialize in restoring beautiful smiles with dentures, dental implants, cosmetic dentistry, crowns, bridges, and more. They are dedicated to improving the oral health of their patients, from appearance to function.

Everything starts with a smile. Doesn't your smile deserve the best care possible?

Visit a prosthodontist today.



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dentures



Do problems with your teeth keep you from looking your best and enjoying your favorite food? Are you wearing dentures that are old, worn, or uncomfortable?

A prosthodontist can help restore your healthy smile.



A PARTNERSHIP WITH YOUR PROSTHODONTIST

How long will it take before I get my new dentures?

Dentures are custom made prostheses that are designed to fit only one person: you. Several appointments are typically needed to make accurate recordings of your tissues and bite for a personalized result. One exception is an immediate denture, where teeth are removed and new dentures are placed on the same day.

It is important for you to preview your new smile before the denture is completed. You are the most important part of the process and your feedback is vital to the success of the procedure.

What should I expect after I get my new dentures?

When you're fitted for new dentures, it's normal to experience minor irritation, which should fade. Pain and swelling after tooth extraction are common but will subside with the healing process. Your prosthodontist will adjust the dentures, which may include a soft reline or a bite modification to even out the pressure.

How long will it take to get used to dentures?

Every person responds differently and it takes time to get comfortable. Wearing a new denture is like wearing a new pair of shoes. Over time you will get used to the feeling of the denture in your mouth. You may experience excessive saliva at first. Read books aloud to practice your speech. Your cheeks and tongue will adapt to the new dentures.

What about eating?

At first, focus on eating soft foods like scrambled eggs and pasta, and cut your food into small bites. Then chew on both sides of your mouth using the back teeth only. You may experience differences in taste initially, as well as soreness from areas where the denture may need an adjustment. This is normal and to be expected.

What can I do to improve the stability of my new dentures?

You should return to your prosthodontist for an adjustment as you go through the normal healing process. Over time, your tongue will "learn" to hold your denture in place. A small amount of adhesive may help.

Dental implants are another way to improve retention. As few as two implants can help with stability. Your prosthodontist can advise whether this is a good option for you.



COMPLETE DENTURES



Before



After

PARTIAL DENTURES



Before



After