

# OPTIONS FOR REPLACING TEETH

## TRADITIONAL DENTURE

The traditional denture has been around since George Washington. It looks nice but its very difficult to eat with, especially the lower denture.



With implants becoming so mainstream in dentistry, traditional dentures have now become BELOW the standard of care when replacing teeth. Traditional denture wearers also see a huge loss of gum and bones support in their mouth which leads to "premature aging" and facial drooping and sagging.



### ADVANTAGES

- Least expensive option
- Can look nice
- Better than nothing

### DISADVANTAGES

- Hard to eat with and moves around a lot
- Can feel very bulky
- Large loss of taste and temperature sensations due to roof of mouth being covered
- Needs to be relined and repaired

### PERFORMANCE

<b>RETENTION</b>	★ ★ ★ ★ ★
<b>STABILITY</b>	★ ★ ★ ★ ★
<b>BITE FORCE</b>	★ ★ ★ ★ ★
<b>AESTHETICS</b>	★ ★ ★ ★ ★
<b>NATURAL "FEEL"</b>	★ ★ ★ ★ ★
<b>MAINTENCE &amp; REPAIR</b>	★ ★ ★ ★ ★

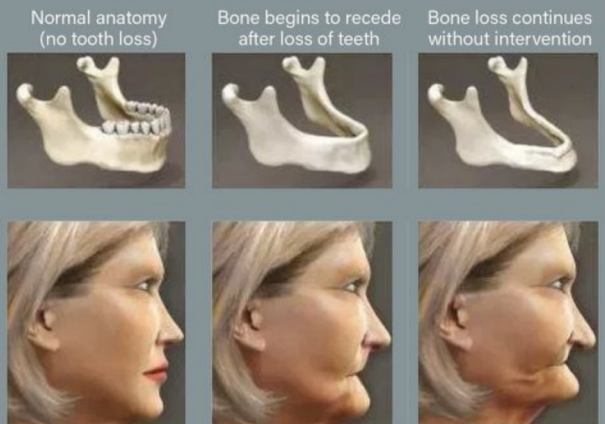
### COST

Total Cost per Denture  
**\$1,850**

Includes all costs except extractions



### Bone Volume after Tooth Loss

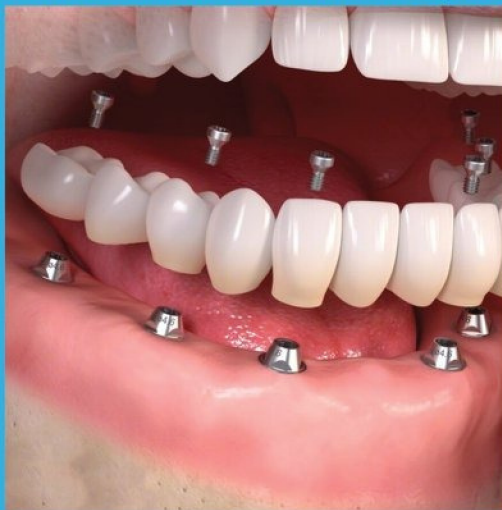




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## IMPLANT SUPPORTED PERMANENT TEETH

A screwed in dental bridge is a full set of upper or lower teeth that is permanently attached to dental implants. The screwed in dental bridge is the closest option we have to the feel and function of the patient's own teeth. The patient



will not be able to remove the bridge. It is designed to only be removed by a dentist once per year. This bridge feels the most natural of all the options available and allows for the best biting and chewing.

### ADVANTAGES

- Made of a very strong material
- Natural feel
- Best biting and chewing function
- Stays in the mouth all the time

### DISADVANTAGES

- Can be difficult to clean
- Will require maintenance over time
- Most expensive option

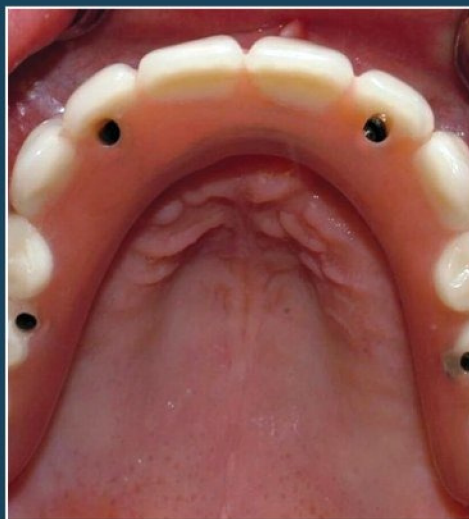
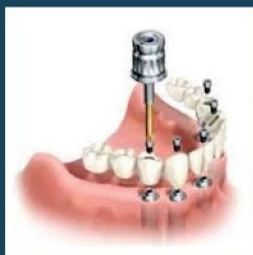
### PERFORMANCE

RETENTION	★★★★★
STABILITY	★★★★★
BITE FORCE	★★★★★
AESTHETICS	★★★★☆
NATURAL "FEEL"	★★★★★
MAINTENANCE & REPAIR	★★★☆☆

### COST

**\$22,500**

PER JAW, ALL COSTS INCLUDED!



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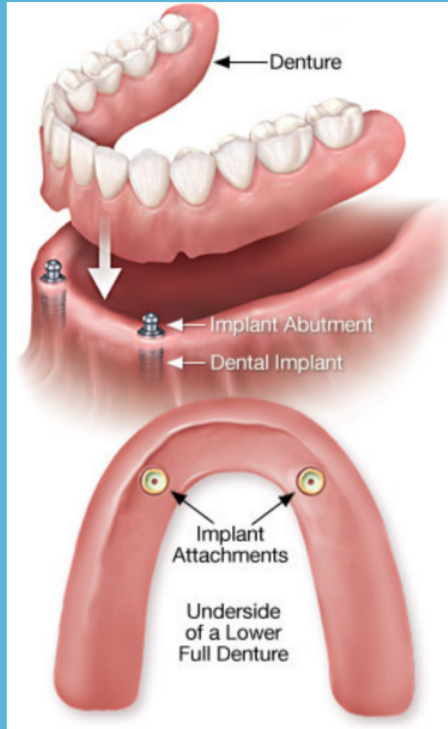
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## IMPLANT SNAP-IN-SMILE

The implant snap on denture has become our most popular option for patients looking to replace missing teeth

This prosthesis snaps into place and is MUCH more secure than a regular denture. The snap in smile is less bulky, covers less of the roof of the mouth

The prosthesis can be removed for easy cleaning. The use of implants also minimizes future bone loss and premature aging and facial sagging



### ADVANTAGES

- Most affordable implant option
- Huge upgrade over regular dentures
- Helps prevent bone loss
- Improves ability to taste food

### DISADVANTAGES

- More expensive than regular dentures
- Comes out at night

### PERFORMANCE

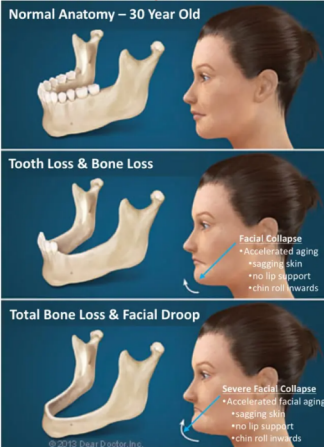
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### COST

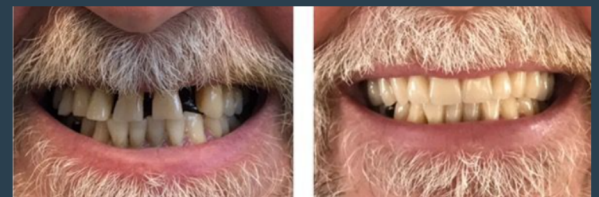
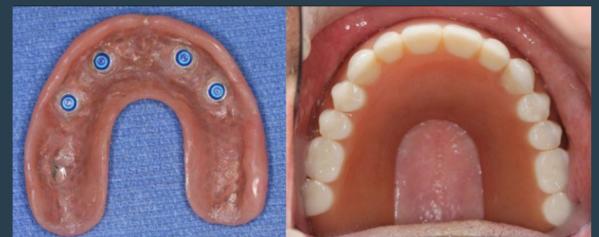
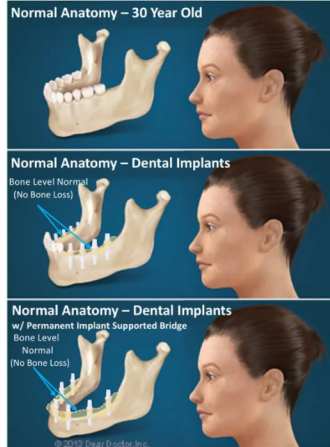
**\$8,500**  
for 4 implants & denture

Includes all costs per jaw except cost of extractions

#### Non-Dental Implant Treatment



#### Dental Implant Treatment



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