

Stainless Steel Crowns

When decay has destroyed a tooth to the extent that there is little support for a filling, or a nerve treatment had to be performed, it is best to surround the tooth with a crown. Otherwise, the remaining portion of the severely weakened tooth may fracture, necessitating extraction. Stainless steel is used to fix back teeth where plastic is not easily retained.

To avoid the cost and time of replacement, please avoid sticky foods such as hard candy, caramel and taffy.

The crowned tooth will usually fall out normally when the permanent successor is ready to come in.