

Bridges require extensive Drilling



Healthy Teeth

These teeth are perfectly healthy teeth. There is no decay and no old fillings in need of replacement.



Significant Drilling of Teeth

Each one of these otherwise healthy teeth must be drilled up to accept the crowns that will act as the anchors for the bridge.



No Drilling

An implant is placed directly into the jawbone. It creates a firm anchor for a replacement tooth without the need to drill on the adjacent teeth.

Bridges are hard to Clean and Maintain



Food Trap

Food gets caught under a bridge very easily. It is very difficult to properly clean a bridge. Dental floss can be guided between the teeth, but it is difficult.



Decay is Possible

If the bridge is not properly cleaned, decay under the crowns is highly likely. This will cause the bridge to fail and require that it be redone.

Significant decay might necessitate the extraction of one, or possibly both, of the supporting teeth.



Benefits of a Dental Implant

- Cleans easily
- No drilling on teeth
- Maintains bone shape
- Lasts longer
- Feels like natural tooth

Implants duplicate Natural Teeth

