

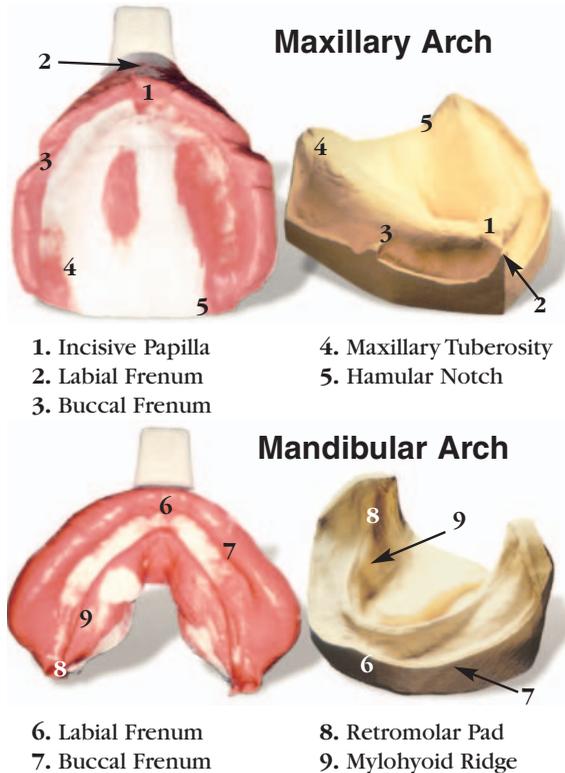
Patient Interview

Communication is an important factor for a successful denture. It is imperative that you obtain all of the patients expectations of the dentures and if they are achievable. If these expectations cannot be met then the patient should be referred to a specialist.

Here are several key questions to ask your patients to help uncover their expectations:

1. How long have you been wearing your present dentures? (If the patient has worn their dentures for longer than 8 years their bite may be collapsed and require opening to normal jaw relationship.)
 2. Do you have any sore spots or difficulties eating? (This may indicate the need for tissue conditioning over a few days before impressions.)
 3. What would you like to change most about your dentures? (The information gathered should be detailed and specific.)
 4. Are you happy with the color and shape of your teeth? (This provides an opportunity to suggest premium teeth for the denture.)
 5. Are you looking for a more natural or a "Hollywood" type tooth arrangement? (You need to find out if they prefer a rotated/characterized or perfect/straight type of tooth arrangement.)
- All of the information gathered from this interview will help guide you to a successful denture. Please list all pertinent information required for fabricating the denture on the prescription form.

Impressions / Model



Recommended Impression Materials:

- Irreversible Hydrocolloid (Accu-Dent)
- Alginate (Jeltrate)
- Vinylpolysiloxane, (Capture, Imprint, Take 1, Aquasil, Splash, etc.) *light, regular or monophasic viscosities recommended*
- Polyether (Impregum, Permadyne)

Occlusal Rim Evaluation

1. Place the maxillary occlusion rim/setup orally and evaluate the midline position, length and lip support of the teeth.



Occlusion Rim

(Please note: The occlusion rim teeth are an arbitrary shade and mold and are used only for placement determination.)

2. If needed, adjust the teeth by heating the wax with a hot spatula and moving them. Check to make sure the midline is correct with proper lip support checked from a side profile.



Lip Support



Midline

3. Also, verify that the length of the central incisors is appropriate both while the upper lip is relaxed, and during smiling (*it may be helpful to moisten the wax or the inside of the lip with vaseline to prevent the lip from sticking.*) After you are satisfied with the position of the teeth, make sure they are well secured in the wax.



Smile Line



Incisal Edge Length

4. Determine the appropriate shade and mold of denture teeth you desire for this case.
(Simply Natural Dentures include Kenson teeth unless you specify a premium brand, which are an additional cost.)
5. Establish the vertical dimension and/or centric relation and return the Occlusion rims to us.

1st Appt.

- A. Oral Examination
- B. Patient Interview
- C. Impressions

2nd Appt.

- A. Occlusion Rim Evaluation
- B. Establish Vertical Dimension
- C. Specific RX Information

3rd Appt.

- A. Setup try in evaluation

4th Appt.

- A. Deliver finished denture

Occlusion Rim	2	Days In-Lab
Set-up Try-in	4	Days In-Lab
Process and Finish	4	Days In-Lab

Insurance Codes:

Comprehensive Oral Exam00150
Consultation (Referred)09310
Panoramic Film00330

Impression, Diagnostic Cast.....00470
(Indicate Maxillary or Mandibular)
Final Upper Denture05110

Final Lower Denture05120
Adjust Full Maxillary Denture05410
Adjust full Mandibular Denture05411

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Patient Reference Guide



Old Denture*



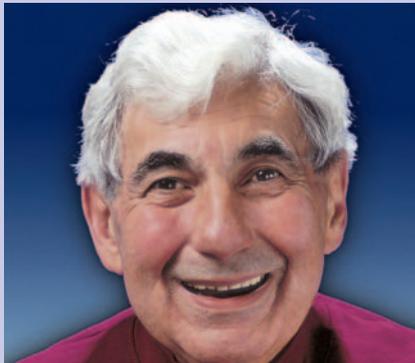
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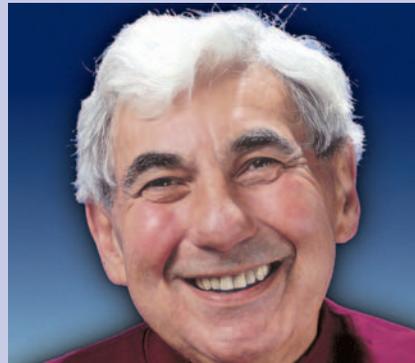
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Bleached Shade Options

- Kenson 51 (shown)
- Portrait IPN PW7, PW4
- Ivoclar/Vivadent 07



Kenson



SR-Vivadent PE



Portrait IPN



Geneva 2000



Myerson Special



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