

## LOOSE CROWN OR CROWN OFF INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS

OCCASIONALLY A CROWN MAY COME LOOSE OR A CROWN MAY COME OFF. IF A CROWN DOES COME OFF, IT NEEDS TO BE ADDRESSED ASAP.

## 1) Call our office immediately 630.963.7766

IF THE OFFICE IS CLOSED, CALL OR TEXT THE EMERGENCY NUMBER THAT IS ON OUR VOICEMAIL (THIS NUMBER MAY BE DIFFERENT BASED ON WHO IS COVERING THE OFFICE)

- 2) ATTEMPT TO PLACE CROWN BACK IN YOUR MOUTH BY LOOKING IN THE MIRROR AND ROTATING CROWN UNTIL IT SEATS ALL THE WAY DOWN. IT WILL ONLY FIT ONE WAY.
- 3) IF ON VACATION OR UNABLE TO COME IN TO THE OFFICE WITHIN 24-48 HOURS, TRY TO PURCHASE TEMPORARY MATERIAL AT THE STORE. WE RECOMMEND DENTEMP MAXIMUM STRENGTH (REPAIR LOST FILLINGS AND LOOSE CAPS).







- A) CLEAN CROWN OUT THE BEST YOU CAN SO THAT YOU SEE THAT THERE IS NO REMAINING WHITE CEMENT IF POSSIBLE.
- B) STAND IN FRONT OF MIRROR AND TRY IN CROWN OVER THE TOOTH (SEE PHOTO ABOVE). MAKE SURE YOU KNOW HOW IT FITS IN YOUR MOUTH.
- C) APPLY A <u>VERY THIN LAYER</u> OF MATERIAL—ONLY LINING THE WALLS OF THE INSIDE OF THE CROWN.
- D) PLACE CROWN ON TOOTH AND SLOWLY BITE DOWN- YOU MAY SEE SOME EXCESS MATERIAL COME OUT AT THE GUMLINE.
- E) ALLOW MATERIAL TO SET FOR A FEW MINUTES WHILE BITING DOWN.
- F) Remove any excess material that you can.
- 4) EAT ON OTHER SIDE AND TRY TO HAVE SOFTER FOODS. NOTHING STICKY OR HARD.
- 5) IF YOUR CROWN LOOKS LIKE THE PICTURE BELOW WITH TOOTH MATERIAL INSIDE- MOST LIKELY AN EXTRACTION WILL BE NEEDED.



## CALL/TEXT/EMAIL OUR OFFICE AS NEEDED FOR MORE INFORMATION

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