

## Restorative Crowns or Caps

A crown (or cap) is used to strengthen and protect the tooth structure that cannot be restored with fillings and other types of dental restorations. A crown is a cover that overlays the entire tooth surface that restores it to its original size and shape.

There are several different types of dental crowns, but ceramic porcelain (tooth coloured) are very popular due to their resemblance to natural teeth. They are extremely durable and can last for many years, but like many tooth restorations, they might eventually need to be replaced. Porcelain crowns are made at a dental laboratory to match the size, shape, and color of your teeth giving you a beautiful and lasting natural smile.

Crowns may be used in conjunction to any of these oral health issues such as broken or fractured teeth, fractured fillings, large fillings, cosmetic enhancement, or your tooth has just had a root canal.