

Why a veneer?

Veneers are a great choice in many situations. They provide a much more conservative approach to changing a tooth's color, size or shape. Veneers can mask undesirable tooth defects, such as staining from antibiotic use as a child or wear from brushing too hard. Veneers are great for covering discolored fillings or restorations in the front teeth. In addition, veneers are good for closing the gap in-between teeth. Generally veneers will last for many years and the technique has shown remarkable longevity when maintained properly.



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What is a Veneer?

Veneers are a ceramic (porcelain) or a composite resin material which is very thin that is bonded to teeth. A good analogy is someone getting their nails done and having fake ones bonded on top of their nails to make them look nicer.

What are realistic expectations?

Veneers are a reasonable mockup of natural teeth, they are not perfect replacements. Even though we try to have a perfect shade match, you can have slight variations in the color of the veneers just like your natural teeth. With all that said, you have the option of lightening the color as well.

How about maintenance?

You will go through a transition of getting use to the new shape or position of your teeth. This usually will last about 1 to 2 weeks. Usually after 2 weeks, I will want to see you back for a follow up.

You will need to brush and floss these teeth as you would all the rest of your teeth. This will help maintain the health of the gums by reducing the amount of plaque that will cause irritation to the gums and keep the amount of tooth decay causing bacteria down.

I wish everyone a Happy New Year.

Fun Fact:

The average woman smiles about 62 times a day! A man? Only 8

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