

What happens if you lose a tooth through sport injury?

Age 8- Age 20:

If tooth is lost through sport injury, options include:

- Retainer with composite or acrylic material used to fill in where the tooth is missing (Temporary measure only)



- Maryland bridge, bonded to teeth either side of gap



- Partial denture

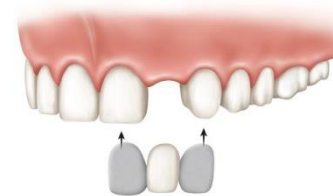


Age 21+- Female

- Implant
 - Need to wait 3months after loss of tooth
 - Implant placed and left to integrate to bone for 3-4 months
 - Once implant integrates to bone, crown is placed
 - In meantime, a retainer is used to replace missing teeth

Age 25+- Male

- Maryland Bridge



- Partial Denture



Mouthguard wear can prevent sport injuries