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## Excel Dental & Implant Center Excel Orthodontics

### Veneers

Veneer preparation involves the removal of a small amount of tooth structure. An impression is taken & sent to the lab to fabricate the custom veneers. During this time your Dentist may place temporary veneers on your teeth, Temporary Veneers are made of either acrylic or composite material. They are very fragile and are attached to the underlying tooth structure with temporary cement and can be easily dislodged. The custom, permanent porcelain veneers are bonded to your teeth using the finest materials.

- ❖ If a veneer comes off, contact us and we will replace it immediately. If you are unable to come in, place the temporary back in place with some Fixodent™ (denture adhesive) until you can come in. The size, shape, and color of the temporary does not resemble the final veneer.
- ❖ Temporary veneers may leak saliva or food onto the tooth
- ❖ Sensitivity to hot, cold, pressure or sweets are common
- ❖ Temporary veneers stain very easily
- ❖ Avoid heavy brushing of the temporaries
- ❖ Do not floss between them because the veneers may pull them off
- ❖ Your permanent porcelain veneers will be as close to the natural teeth as possible. Your Dentist may even send you for custom shading to closely duplicate your adjoining natural-teeth.
- ❖ Avoid chewing excessively hard foods on the veneered teeth (Hard candy, ice, raw carrots, etc.) because the porcelain material can break under extreme forces.
- ❖ Proper brushing, flossing, and regular 6-month (Minimal) cleanings are essential to the long-term stability and appearance of your veneers. If not, gums may recede, and reveal the underlying discolored tooth structure requiring replacement of veneers.

Please contact our office for further questions. We value your comfort and health!