

Edentulous Esthetic Risk Assessment

Esthetic Risk Factors - Edentulous	Level of risk		
	Low	Medium	High
Arch	Mandible		Maxilla
Facial Support (Fixed)	Alveolar process provides adequate facial support	Minimal changes tolerated by the patient	Flange required for adequate facial support
Facial Support (Removable)	Flange provides adequate facial support	Minimal changes tolerated by the patient	Insufficient space for a flange
Labial Support	Desired tooth position provides satisfactory labial support	Minimal changes tolerated by the patient	Desired tooth position causes unsatisfactory labial support
Upper Lip Length	Long upper lip (> 20mm)		Short upper lip (< 20mm)
Buccal Corridor* (Atrophic Ridge)	Removable Prosthesis		Fixed Prosthesis
Smile Line	No display of the ridge(s) at full smile (maxilla or mandible)		Display of the ridge(s) at full smile (maxilla or mandible)
Maxillo-mandibular relationship	Class I	Class II	Class III

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