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# The Goal of Esthetic Dentistry

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## Several options

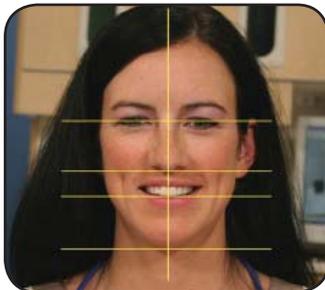
The goal of cosmetic dentistry is to turn a dull smile into a dazzling one. We have several options to restore teeth that—

- ❖ are crooked.
- ❖ are chipped.
- ❖ are stained or discolored.
- ❖ have a gap.
- ❖ have uneven gums.

We also have several ways to replace missing teeth.



*Crooked teeth*



*Using a face grid*



*Applying whitening agent*



*The result is a dazzling smile*

## Determining your goals

Before we begin any treatment, we talk with you about your personal goals for your smile and perform a thorough exam to check your oral health. It is important that we maintain good function in addition to enhancing beauty.

In planning treatment, there are specific measurements we take to achieve the best facial harmony.

We take a number of things into account including the—

- ❖ individual teeth.
- ❖ width of your smile.
- ❖ shape of your face.

Improving your smile may be as simple as a whitening process, or it might require more involved treatments such as placing veneers, crowns or orthodontics.

We will discuss what is best for your particular case and answer all your questions.

Every smile should also include fresh breath. If you have a concern about this, we can determine the cause and discuss solutions.

Cosmetic dentistry can help enhance your confidence, improve the health of your teeth, and often, give you a more youthful smile.

If you have unattractive teeth, we can design a plan to help you get the smile you have always wanted.