

Knowing Your Options for Regaining Lost Gum Tissue

Regenerating soft tissue to replace lost or thin gum tissue can restore a healthy smile. Advancements in biomaterials now provide an alternative to traditional treatment options.

Traditional grafting techniques require cutting tissue from the roof of your mouth and transferring that tissue to the affected area. *This results in:*

- › **Unnecessary Pain^{1,2,3} and bleeding**
- › **Limited tissue available**
- › **Unfavorable esthetics³**



Alternative grafting techniques do not require removal of tissue from the roof of your mouth. *The benefits of these techniques are:*

- › **Less Pain^{1,2,3} and Surgical Chair Time^{4,5,6}**
- › **Easier Recovery⁷**
- › **Excellent Healing^{2,8}**
- › **Superior Esthetics^{3,9}**



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tissue regenerative options, visit:
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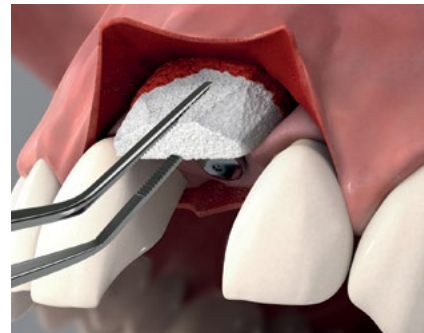
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Palate Free Geistlich Biomaterials Can Be Used to Increase the Volume of Soft Tissue Around Teeth or Implants



Geistlich Mucograft®

Geistlich Matrices



Geistlich Fibro-Gide®

Regenerative procedures with Geistlich Matrices are safe, proven and effective.^{10,11}

Treatment for Receding Gums



Initial situation showing moderately exposed tooth root.



Preparation of the surgical site to uncover the affected area.



Insertion of the Geistlich matrix to cover the exposed tooth root.



Final outcome of a completely covered tooth root (results may vary).

Treatment for Gum Tissue That Is Loose or Too Thin



Initial situation showing a concavity due to missing gum tissue.



Preparation of the surgical site.



Insertion of the Geistlich matrix.



Final outcome of a restored gum with sufficient thickness (results may vary).

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