Homecare of the Protection Cap for your Implant Retained Bar



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PURPOSE

- The protection cap is worn during sleep to prevent the bar from rubbing or catching on the pillowcase which may disrupt sleep. Wearing the protection cap at night is optional.
- The protection cap can also be worn during contact sports, water sports etc. to protect the bar; you will not want to wear your prosthesis during these activities.
- Patients who have had the bar connected but have not yet received their prosthesis may wish to wear the protection cap to protect the bar until the prosthesis is delivered.

CARE AND MAINTENANCE OF YOUR PROTECTION CAP

- Once a day, use the children's toothbrush (provided) and a mild soap (either liquid hand or dish soap) to clean the protection cap.
- Scrub the gold clips using the brush and soap. Use your fingers and soap to rub and wash the soft side of the cap.
- Rinse the cap under cool or luke warm water and dry with a cloth. Never use hot water on the protection cap.
- Store in a safe, dry place free of dust and debris.
- If the protection cap is lost or broken, contact iRSM so that we can arrange for another to be made for you before your next appointment.

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