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## Space Management

The goal of Space Management is to address crowded conditions, facilitate the normal eruption of permanent teeth, maintain the site of a missing permanent tooth for future implant replacement, or “create” appropriate space for the eventual implant replacement.

Space Management is often needed in a variety of situations:

- Premature loss of primary teeth from decay/trauma
- Crowding in the mixed dentition
- Congenitally missing permanent tooth/teeth
- Traumatic loss of permanent tooth/teeth
- Loss of permanent tooth secondary to severe decay

