

The Hawley Retainer is designed with an acrylic piece that fits perfectly on the roof of your mouth or under the tongue. Teeth are held in their positions by a metal wire that runs along the front of the teeth and the acrylic that contours on the tongue side. These retainers may need to be adjusted in the first few months to ensure proper stabilization.

## Kadar Guides for a Great Result!

- Wear the retainers as directed except when eating or brushing your teeth.
- Store your retainer in a cool place. Heat can warp your retainer and result in a poor fit.
- Store your retainer in its case. That way you won't throw them away and your pets won't eat them!
- Clean them after each wear with your toothbrush and toothpaste. Baking soda and a denture cleaner can be used for treating tough stains.
- Bring them with you to every appointment so we can check to see if they are still fitting you properly.
- Keep your models in a safe place. These models are used to make replacement retainers and may eliminate the need to make new impressions or scans.
- Avoid bending retainer wires as it could ruin or distort the retainer fit.



Call us at 856.582.1400 with any questions you might have about your retainers. Tell a friend about the Kadar Orthodontics Team and enjoy your beautiful new smile!

## Congratulations!