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	Dental Implants	Fixed Bridges	Removable Dentures	No Treatment
Overall Considerations				
Comfort (More comfortable than removable dentures?) ¹	(***) Yes	(***) Yes	N/A	N/A
Costs (Average Price Range) ²	(***) High	(**) Medium	(*) Moderate	N/A

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Function (Can restore chewing ability?) ³	(***) Yes	(***) Yes	(**) Partially Impacted Function	(*) Decreased Function
Feeling (Sensation in the mouth) ⁴	(***) Provides a more natural sensation	(**) It feels less natural	(*) Removable, feels less natural	(*) Decreased sensation

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