Acrylic Partials, Stayplates, Flippers

The Stayplate is also known as a “Flipper”, and is the least expensive of all the removable partial dentures. The Stayplate is made from high impact acrylic (the same acrylic as in full dentures) and with either two ball clasps or two wrought wire clasps. The advantage of the stayplate is that it is very easy to remove or add teeth to the partial with small professional treatment. Despite the fact that it is considered a temporary solution, many keep this partial for many years with proper maintenance, and it works and looks very pleasant.

(Dental Stayplates / Flippers should only be considered as a temporary option of tooth replacement. Usage of dental flipper for extended periods of time is not recommended as dental flippers press against your gums, which may affect the health of gums permanently. They are also fragile and may break off easily while eating. The wire clasps which are used to secure flippers in place may not be entirely invisible. The acrylic sensation in your mouth may need some getting used to. Hence, people may experience some discomfort during the initial days. Thus, dental flippers should only be considered as a temporary option until you get permanent dental flipper alternatives).