Why have Orthodontic Treatment?
To correct improperly positioned teeth, because you deserve to have the smile you’ve always wanted.

How Long does Treatment Last?
Treatment time typically lasts between 12 – 36 months. Once started, you must continue all the way until your treatment ends to obtain the desired results.

Achieving Results
When using products from GC Orthodontics, your orthodontist is confident that he is offering treatments of superior quality that help achieve the best treatment results possible, while still providing the highest level of comfort for each patient.

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Self-Ligating Lingual Appliances

How Does a Self-Ligating Appliance Work?

Three key elements are needed, which when used together create a high performance self-ligating appliance:

- **Bracket** - Bonded to the teeth, it acts as a guide to achieve ideal teeth alignment at the end of treatment.
- **Archwire** - Is the appliance’s motor, the archwire is inserted into the bracket, gently moving the teeth until they reach their predicted position. To facilitate movement, the archwire is replaced several times over the course of treatment.
- **Clip** – Exclusively used in self-ligating brackets, the clip holds the archwire into place in the bracket’s slot.

Lingual Orthodontics, an Invisible Treatment Solution

Lingual orthodontics consists of correcting the position of the teeth by bonding the appliance to the back of the teeth, so it is completely hidden. No one will know you are wearing an appliance. Results from lingual treatment are the same as with traditional treatment, but these results are achieved with a highly aesthetic, invisible appliance.

A lingual solution is available to anyone with healthy teeth and gums. With lingual orthodontics, regardless of whether you are an adult or teen an adapted treatment solution can be created, no matter what the issue.

Aesthetic: The bracket is placed on the internal side of the tooth (lingual side) making the appliance completely invisible.

Comfort: New technology allows your orthodontist to use a more comfortable lighter force when moving your teeth, while achieving the same results.

Time Saving: Look forward to more time in between appointments, without extending the length of your treatment.

Hygiene: With no elastic ties that potentially attract bacteria, the bracket makes dental hygiene during treatment easy. When wearing an orthodontic appliance it is important to practice good oral hygiene and to brush teeth after every meal.

The information contained in this brochure is intended for informational purposes only. Only your orthodontist is competent to establish a diagnosis and prescribe an appropriate treatment. Treatment times may vary depending on the individual patient. Ask your orthodontist which appliance is best suited for your specific treatment.