## BROKEN OR BROKEN DOWN?

\* While many claims of dental trauma are legitimate, such as in the picture below, many are the result of pre-existing conditions.



\* The claimant or treating dentist may omit a description of preexisting conditions in the submitted claim information.



## **ACCIDENT RELATED?**

\* An obvious fracture of the jaw involving the teeth is expected to require long-term and expensive treatment.



\* Further examination reveals many pre-existing problems and missing teeth. Although an appropriate treatment plan was submitted, half of the needed treatment was needed prior to the accident, and was not even indirectly related to the accident.

## PRE-EXISTING CONDITIONS

\* In the photo below, pre-existing conditions fully account for the need for all treatment planned. The incident in question did not contribute to the need for treatment, or make it any more urgent than before. For this reason the incident was not an aggravation of the prior condition.



\* Nadent consultants can accurately determine if prior conditions account for the need for treatment; and/or advise if all or a portion of treatment is accident related.

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# **BENEFIT-TO-COST RATIOS (average):**

\* Our clients will not save on every claim submitted as three or four of every ten are legitimate. However, when averaged over ten submitted claims, the savings on the remaining five or six results in a 5:1 to 10:1 ratio versus the cost for having those ten claims reviewed.

**AUTO- 5:1** 

WORKERS COMP- 4:1

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