

retainer *(re-tain-er)*

Definition

n. 1 a dental appliance that holds teeth or a prosthesis in position after orthodontic treatment; 2 a fee charged in advance to retain the services of someone

Example Sentence

I wore my **retainer** to school today. OR I paid the lawyer a **retainer** fee.

Synonyms

dental appliance; partial payment; deposit

Antonyms

foot cast

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