

Table 3A: Classification of Altered Passive Eruption Based on Gingiva¹⁶

TYPE	DEFINITION
I	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Noticeably wider gingival dimension from FGM to MGJ than generally accepted mean
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gingival margin is incisal or occlusal to the CEJ
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MGJ is usually apical to the alveolar crest
II	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gingival dimension from FGM to MGJ falls within normal mean
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All gingival is located on the anatomic crown
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MGJ is located at the level of the CEJ