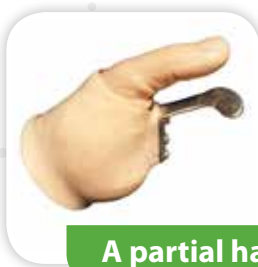




Partial Hand Options

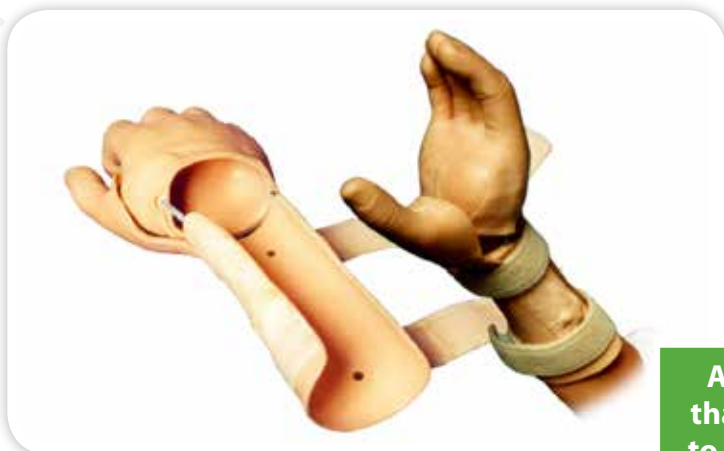
Opinions vary on whether a partial hand amputee needs a prosthetic device. Amputees who have their wrist (and sometimes part of the palm) remaining usually have good wrist function that provides a sense of touch. Many amputees do not like to limit those natural functions by enclosing the residual limb inside a prosthetic socket. A spatula device allows the amputee to use wrist function to hold items between the residual limb and the flat surface of the device. This type of device allows the amputee to maintain the sensation of touch and can also free up the sound hand for other things.

Some amputees choose to have a full fitting. Custom passive partial hands can be made that incorporate a protective glove for a cosmetic appearance. Electric hands and fingers are also available.



A partial hand

Should you require information on prosthetic centres that fit partial hand amputees with prosthetic devices, please do not hesitate to contact us.



A functional partial hand that has a moveable thumb to allow grasping of objects when the hand is closed

A spatula device and a partial hand attachment for riding a bicycle



A colourful spatula device





An amputee demonstrates her zippered glove which was custom-fabricated specifically for her partial hand amputation



A spatula device used to hold a bow to play a stringed instrument such as a violin



A partial hand glove



A spatula device used for playing squash