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Implant placement with simultaneous bone regeneration

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Introduction

“The only constant in life is change”- Heraclitus

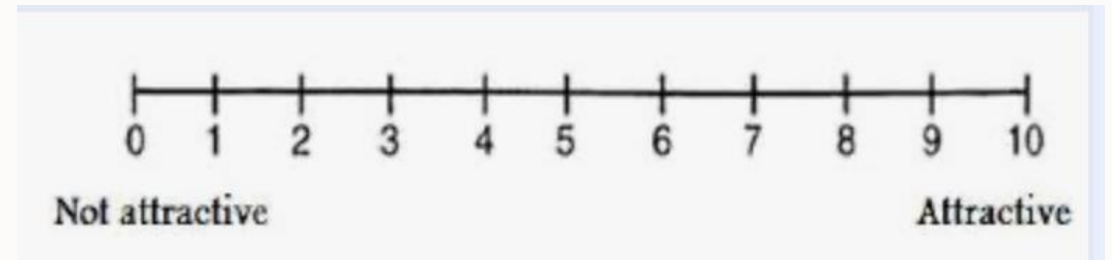
Dental implantology – constantly changing part of dentistry

10 year ago – survival rate – no mobility, no pain, no radiographic radiolucency

Today – **objective rating** (pink and white esthetic score), **subjective rating** (patient-reported outcome measures, visual analog scale)

| PES | | WES | |
|---|-------|--|-------|
|  | |  | |
| | SCORE | | SCORE |
| 1 mesial papilla | 0 1 2 | 1 tooth form | 0 1 2 |
| 2 distal papilla | 0 1 2 | 2 outline/volume | 0 1 2 |
| 3 curvature of facial mucosa | 0 1 2 | 3 color (hue/value) | 0 1 2 |
| 4 level of facial mucosa | 0 1 2 | 4 surface texture | 0 1 2 |
| 5 root convexity/ soft tissue color and texture | 0 1 2 | 5 translucency/ characterization | 0 1 2 |
| Total score (maximum 20): PES (maximum 10) + WES (maximum 10) | | | |

Minimum 6 points = acceptable



Visual analog scale (subjective rating on scale 0-10)

What will happen 10 years from now?

Grafts vs. graft substitutes

Graft

“Any tissue or organ used for implantation or transplantation”

“A piece of living tissue placed in contact with injured tissue to repair a defect or supply a deficiency”

Graft substitute

Exogenous material of biologic origin that do not contain native cells (allografts, xenografts) and alloplastic material of synthetic origin.

Magnesium = graft substitute

Guided bone regeneration – Regeneration, creation of bone using the method of “compartmentalization” – division using barrier membrane

Properties of magnesium membrane

Advantages

- Strong, but flexible
 - biomechanical features
- Absorbable (biodegradable) without side effects
- Can be trimmed to fit defect
- Easy to handle with special instruments

Disadvantage

- Must be fixated with pins/screws - not with sutures to the periosteum



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Case presentation

Extraction and provisional

- A 42 years old healthy female patient presented to the office for solution to her problem – fracture of tooth 15
- The clinical examination and radiographic CBCT examination revealed deep cervical fracture and inability to restore tooth
- A clinical decision to extract tooth and go for delayed implant placement was made
- Tooth was carefully extracted and provisional PMMA appendix bridge was cemented to the tooth 16, which was already an abutment to an old metalceramic crown



Tooth pre-op and provisional bridge images



PMMA provisional

Follow up visit

- Five months later, a CBCT examination was done in order to evaluate the implant site condition
- The healing was not good: combined (vertical plus horizontal) defect was detected and decision to place implant with simultaneous guided bone regeneration was made
- Intraoral examination revealed horizontal defect with a vertical component of 5 mm
- Slightly inflamed gingiva due to inadequate hygiene



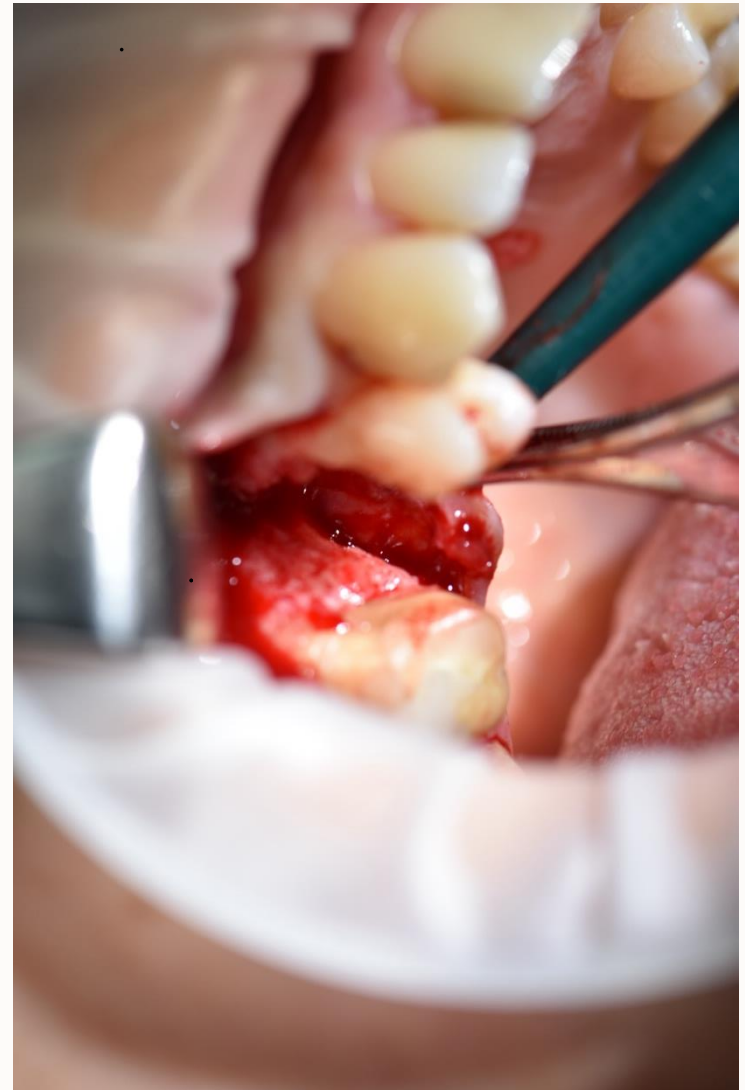
Intraoral clinical images

Surgical procedure

After administration of local anesthesia (Septanest, Saint-Maur-des-Fosses, France), full-thickness flap was raised and defect was exposed



Intra-operative occlusal view



Intra-operative lateral view

Surgical procedure

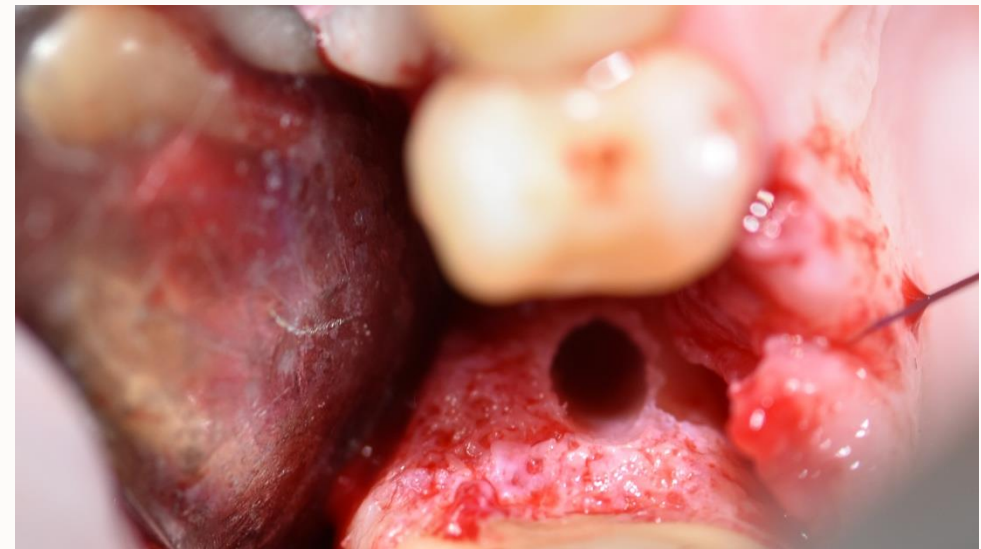
- Osteotomy started with Lindemann drill and continued with Densah burs (Versah, Jackson, MI, USA) for osseodensification



Drilling sequence



Initial osteotomy



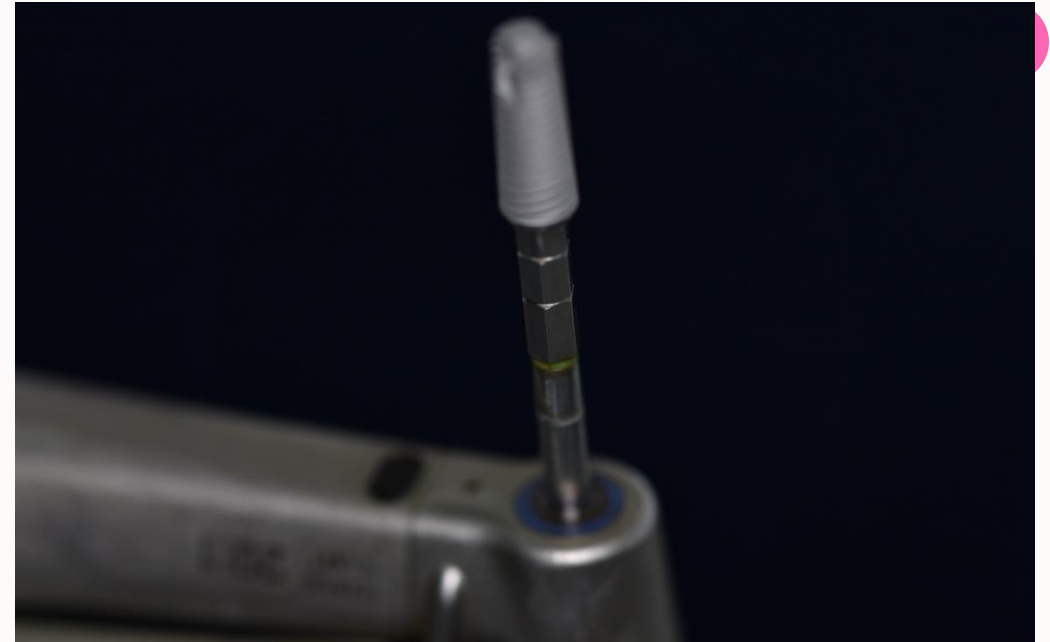
Final osteotomy

Surgical procedure

TRI Vent implant (Hünenberg, Swiss) was placed with torque >40 Ncm but submerged healing was chosen due to planned guided bone regeneration



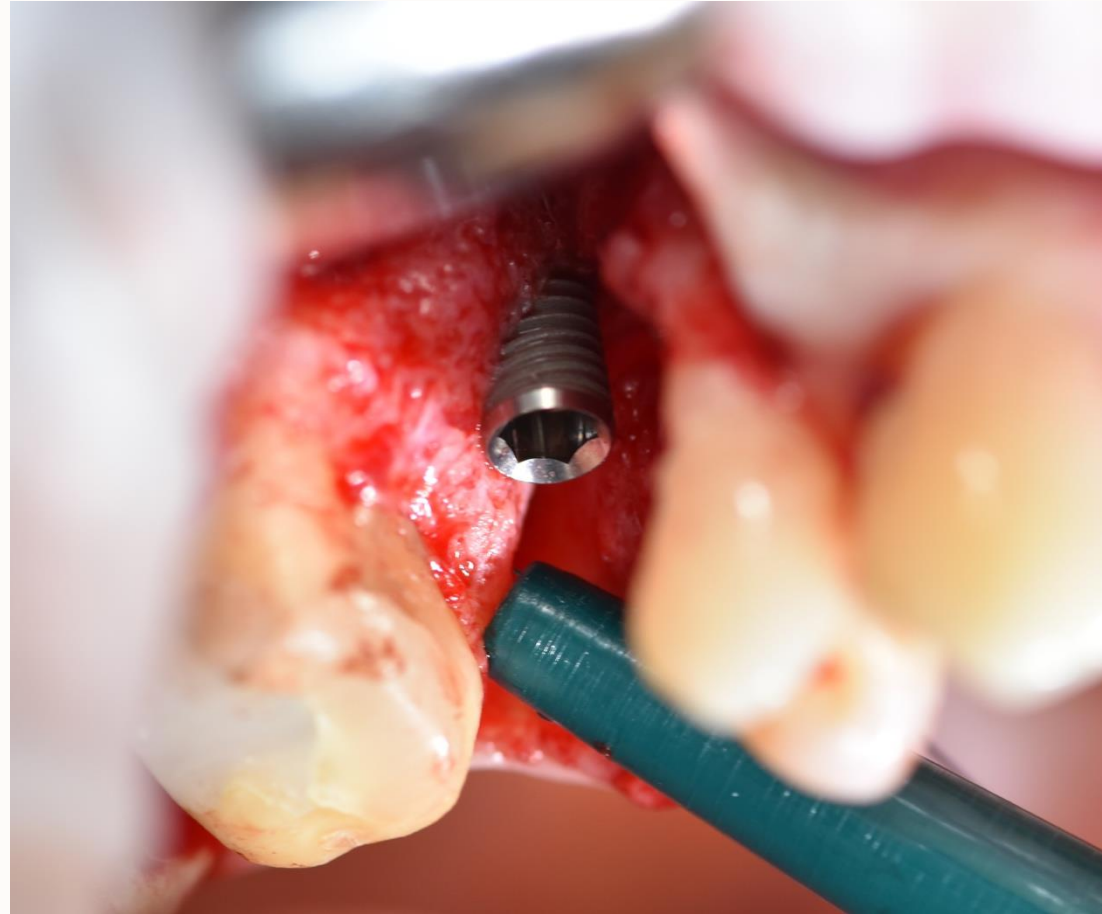
Implant placement



Surgical procedure

Implant placement

4 mm below the gingival margin with exposed threads bucco-mesially



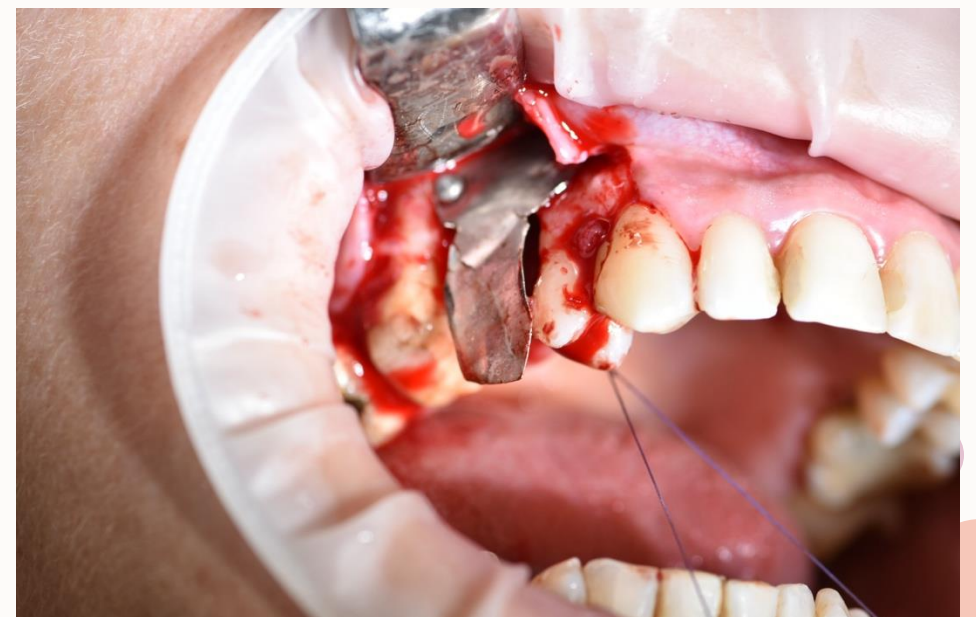
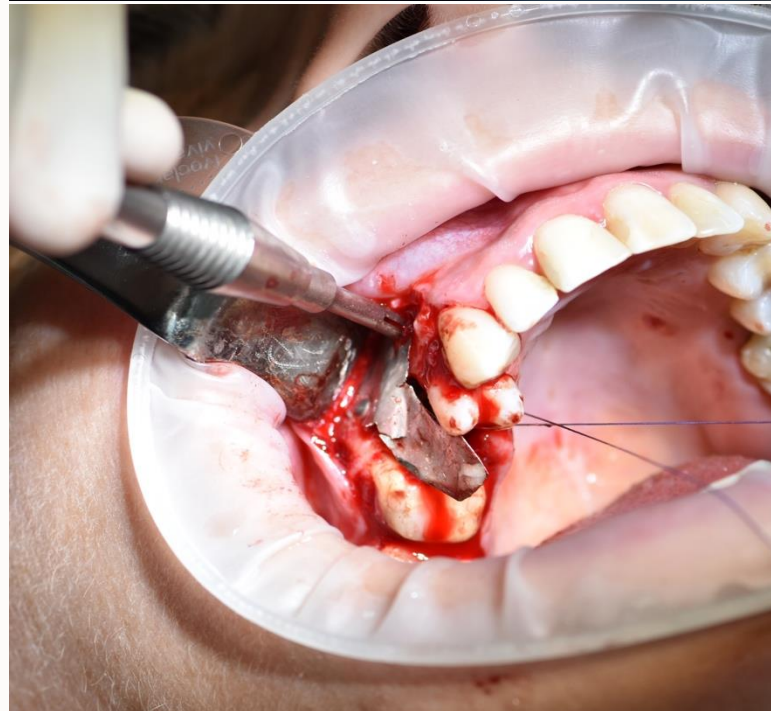
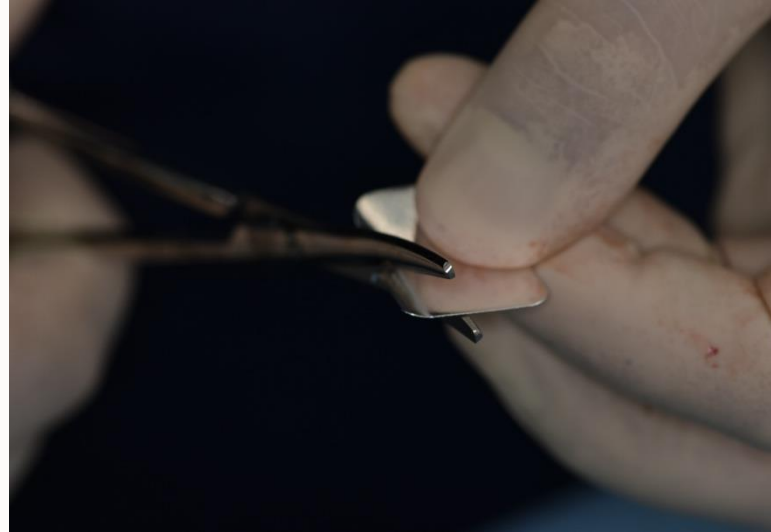
Final implant position- lateral view



Occlusal view

Surgical procedure

- The absorbable magnesium membrane (Novamag, Botiss, Zossen Germany) was trimmed to fit the defect morphology and fixed to the bony walls utilizing biodegradable titanium pins (Botiss, Zossen, Germany)
- No need to remove the membrane or pins postoperatively



Surgical workflow images

Surgical procedure

Cerabone plus
(Botiss, Zossen,
Germany - xenograft
with hyaluronic acid
material was used to
fill the space but
only within the bony
envelope – no
overfilling



Surgical workflow images

Surgical procedure

Defect was primarily closed with utilizing horizontal mattress and interrupted absorbable sutures
Same provisional was modified at the gingival aspect to release contact with grafted site



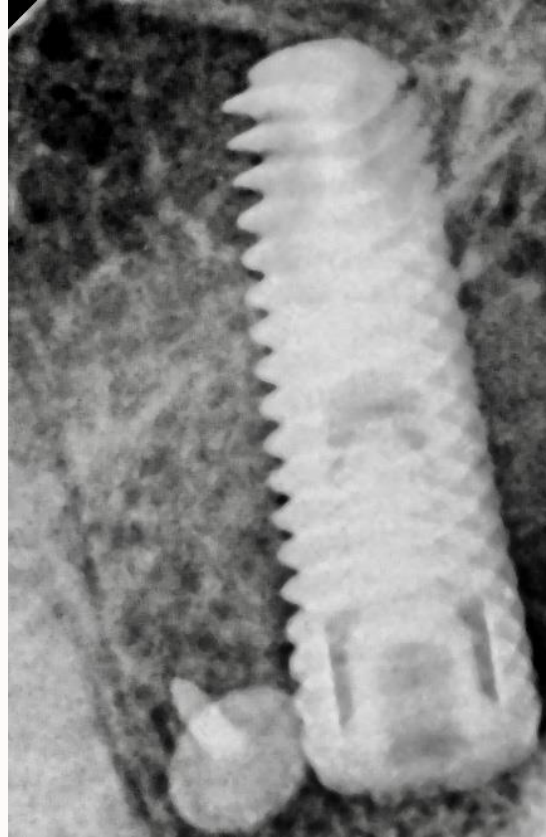
Occlusal view



Lateral view

Prosthodontics

- Five months later, CBCT was done for explorative reasons only – to check the result of GBR therapy
- Radiographically stable bone volume with gain of quantity
- Soft tissue surgery was needed, but no patient consent, therefore
- Implant was incovered with apically positioned flap and three weeks later tissue was ready for impression



Five months post-op images



Prosthodontics

The impression was taken digitally –with intraoral scanner and two single zirconia crowns were made by the dental laboratory



3D printed models with final restorations

by: Dentlab studio

The implant was loaded with screw retained full contour zirconia crown was fabricated respecting the correct emergence profile (concave below gingiva-convex paragingivally to support gingival margin)
Polished subgingivally, glazed paragingivally and supragingivally



Prosthodontist : Dr. Bojana Stefanovikj

Prosthodontics



Occlusal view



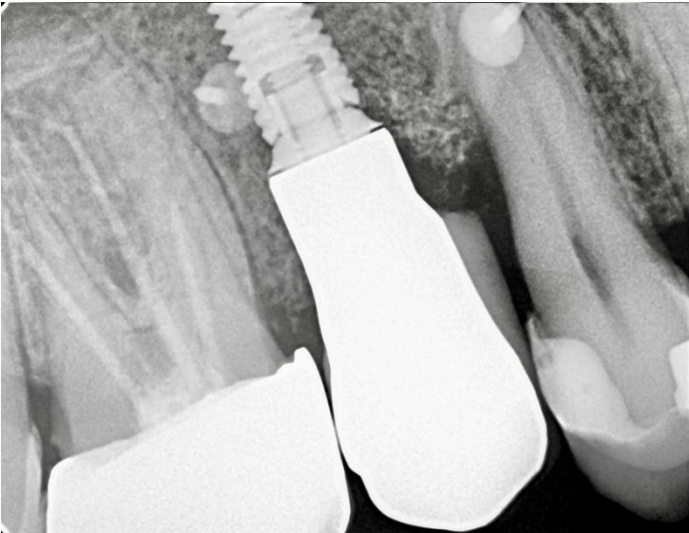
Lateral view

Immediate postoperative images

Prosthodontics

Clinical compromise:

- 👉 Longer clinical crown than neighbouring teeth?
- 👉 keratinized gingiva enough for oral hygiene maintenance?
- 👉 Expecting to improve in time due to zirconia's biocompatibility to soft tissue



Post final restoration delivery image



Immediate post final restoration delivery



Immediate post-op frontal smile view

Conclusion

1. GBR with absorbable magnesium membrane may be a viable treatment solution, because of:

- Avoiding risk of exposure problems
- Avoiding discomfort of membrane – removal surgery
- The process of bio-degradation is pain-free
- It has same quality as non-resorbable membranes even with vertical bony components

2. GBR is never enough - always think of soft tissue surgery first to achieve function and esthetics, because **bone does not replace soft tissue!**

Thank you for
your attention