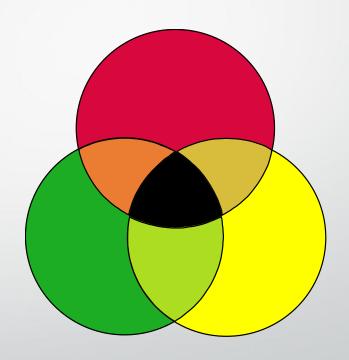


## Principles of tooth preparation

- Biologic
  - Oral tissue health
- Mechanical
  - Integrity and durability of restoration
- Esthetic
  - Appearance of the patient

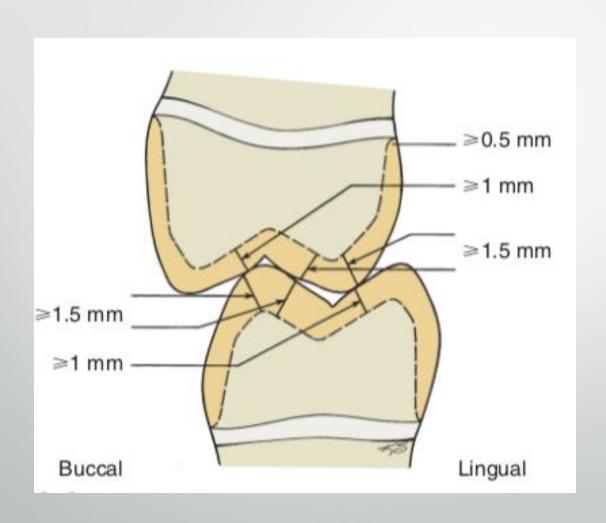


- A balance of:
- unnecessary destruction of tooth structure
- preservation of the remaining tooth structure

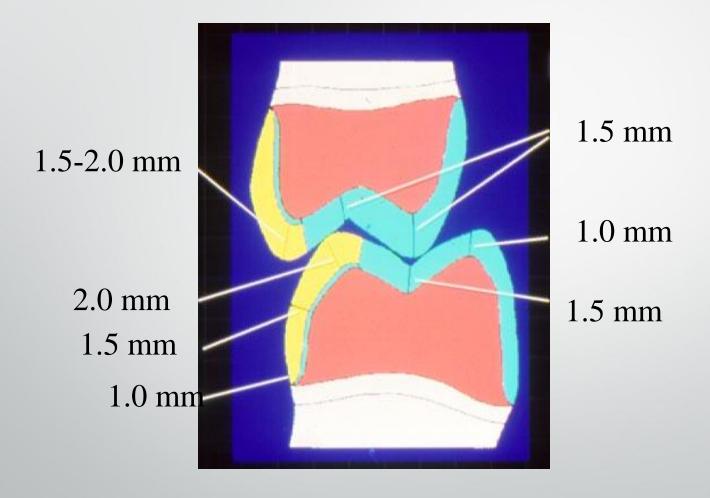
- versus
- mechanical restoration
- esthetic requirements



### **Full Cast Crown Restoration**



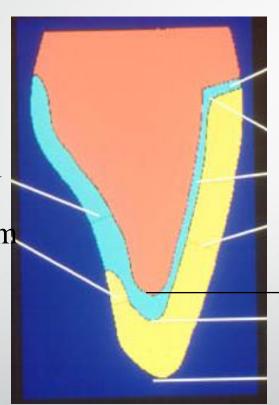
### **Ceramo-metal Restoration**



### Anterior Ceramo-metal Restoration

Determine metal vs. porcelain contact
1.0 mm

1.3-1.5 mm



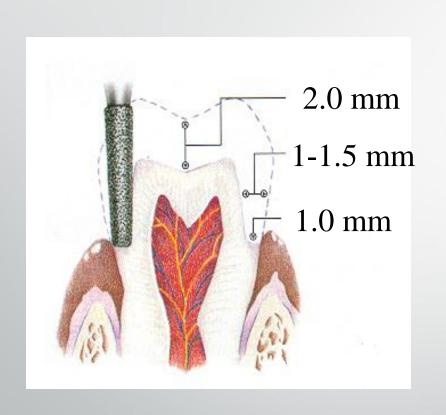
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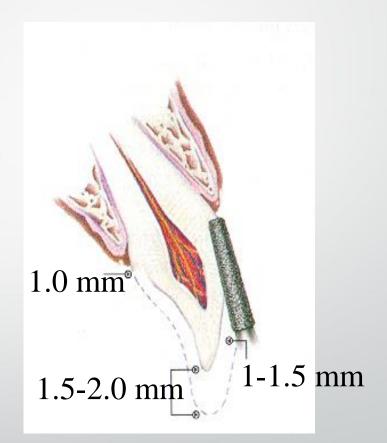
1.5 mm for metal and porcelain

Overall 2.0 mm incisal clearance

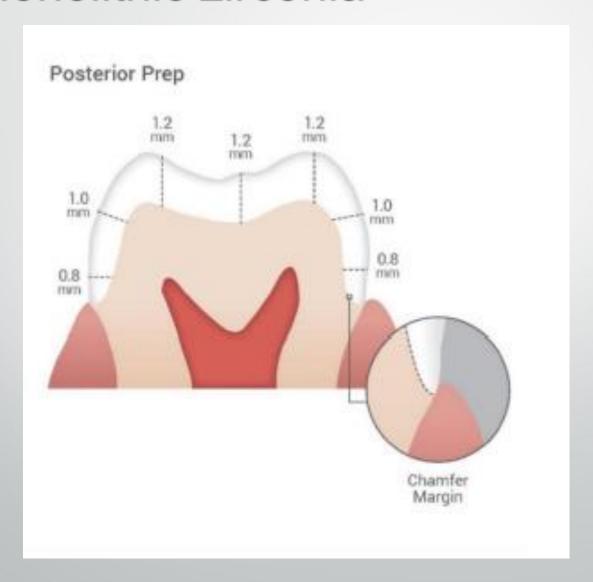
1.5 mm for porcelain

### **All Ceramic Restorations**





### Monolithic zirconia



- Diagnostic information:
  - Diagnostic impressions and diagnostic mounting
  - 2. Diagnostic wax-up
  - 3. Diagnostic prep



## Preparation Sequence

- 1. Occlusal/Incisal reduction
  - functional bevel
- 2. Axial reduction
  - buccal-lingual, mesial-distal
  - second plane reduction
  - smooth transition areas
- 3. Finish line design and placement
- 4. Secondary retention
  - evaluate and do only if necessary

### Occlusal Clearance

- Evaluate the existing occlusal clearance prior to starting the preparation.
- Dependent upon the restorative material used.
- Re-evaluate prior to final impression.

### occlusal reduction





- 1. Initial occlusal table reduction using depth grooves
- 2. Functional bevel placement
- 3. Occlusal clearance evaluation

## Anterior Tooth Preparation Incisal reduction





### Axial reduction



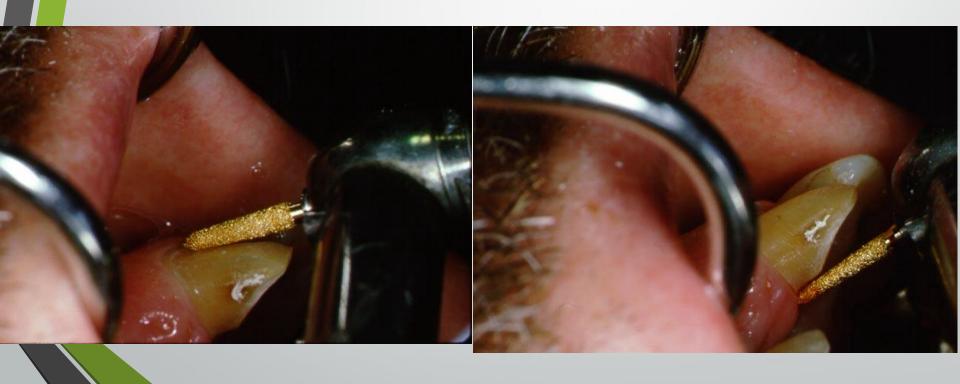


- 1. Buccal and lingual walls prepared
- 2. Establishment of R & R form
- 3. Path of draw
- 4. Proximal walls

## 2-plane facial reduction



## Anterior Tooth Preparation Facial finish line

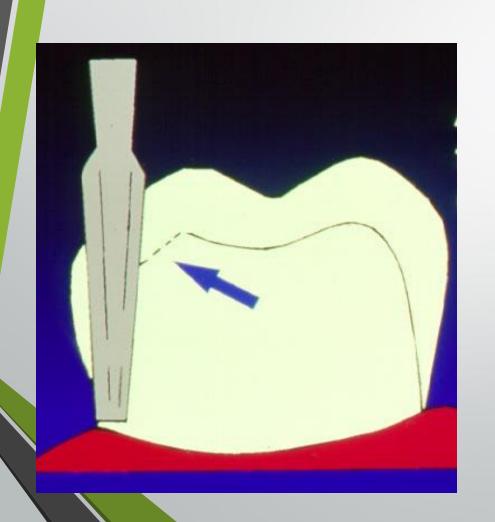


## **Anterior Tooth Preparation**



Metal versus porcelain Occlusal contact location

## Surveyed crowns Removable partial denture abutment



The RPD is designed before the preparation is started.

Prepare abutment for crown.

Modify preparation to accommodate RPD.

## Crown margins and cervical abrasion, what to do?



Crown margins and cervical



### Evaluation of R&R

 When retention and resistance form is insufficient, decide and implement the most appropriate way to improve it.

## Minimum height Based on tooth width

#### Premolars

- with 10-20° convergence
- minimum 3 mm occlusocervical height

#### Molars

- with 10-20° convergence
- minimum 4 mm occlusocervical height

# The Effect of Convergence Angle on Retention and Resistance Form Dodge WW, et al; Quin Inter 1985;16:191-194

- Evaluated the effect of varying the convergence angle on the retention and resistance in complete veneer crown preparations
- Stainless steel dies prepared at 10, 16 and 22° taper
  - 10 mm diameter
  - 3.5 mm occlusal gingival height
- Castings were cemented with zinc phosphate
- 50 KN load cell tensile force until failure

# The Effect of Convergence Angle on Retention and Resistance Form Dodge WW, et al; Quin Inter 1985;16:191-194

#### Conclusions:

- Resistance form is more sensitive to changes in convergence angle
- 16 degrees of occlusal convergence provides adequate resistance and retention form

## Relationship between Taper and Resistance of Cemented Crowns to Dynamic Loading

- This study looked at the relationship of convergence (2.5, 5, 10, 15, 20, 30, and 40 degree taper) and resistance form of cemented crowns with dynamic loading.
- Cements included: resin composite, glass-ionomer, zinc phosphate, and zinc oxide eugenol.
- The specimens were subjected to repeated tension-compression stress cycles.

Wiskott HW, et al; Int J Prosthodont 9:117-130

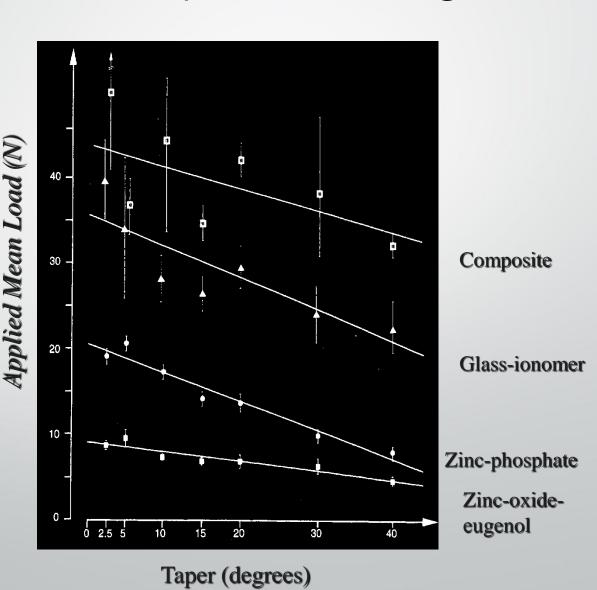
## Relationship between Taper and Resistance of Cemented Crowns to Dynamic Loading

#### Conclusions:

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- The abutment taper and resistance to dynamic loading is approximately linear.
- The most resistant cement was resin composite cement, followed by glass ionomer, zinc phosphate, and zinc oxide eugenol.

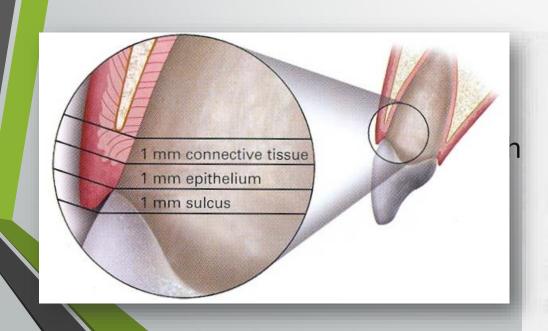
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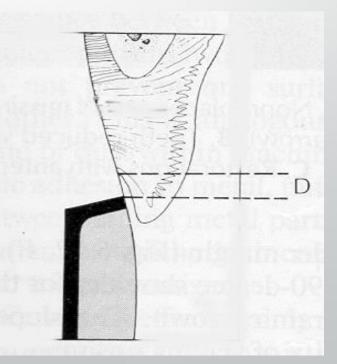


## Options for Increasing Retention & Resistance

- 1. Increase tooth height with restorative material
- 2. Increase tooth height by dropping finish line subgingival

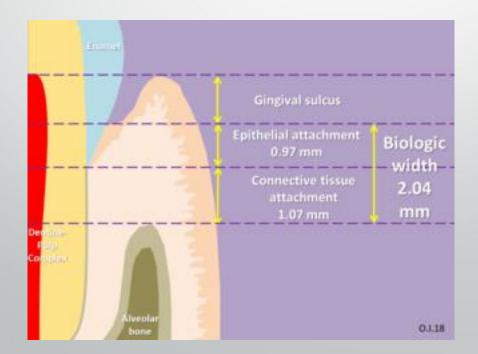
## Limitation of subgingival finish line





## Biologic width

- Restorative margin must respect biologic width
- CT attachment + Junctional Epithelium ~ 2.04 mm
- Variation tooth to tooth / surface to surface

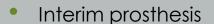




3. Increase tooth height with crown lengthening

## 4. Secondary Retention

- Proximal grooves or boxes placed in healthy tooth structure.
- Used to enhance the overall retention and resistance of the preparation.



- Provisional prosthesis
- Provisional restoration
- Temporary restoration



**Definition** 

**interim prosthesis** \in'ter-i prosthe'sis\: a fixed or removable dental prosthesis, or maxillofacial prosthesis, designed to enhance esthetics, stabilization, and/or function for a limited period of time, after which it is to be replaced by a definitive dental or maxillofacial prosthesis; often such prostheses are used to assist in determination of the therapeutic effectiveness of a specific treatment plan or the form and function of the planned for definitive prosthesis; syn, PROVISIONAL PROSTHESIS, PROVISIONAL RESTORATION

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Same as for definitive restorations, <u>except</u> for longevity and sophistication of color

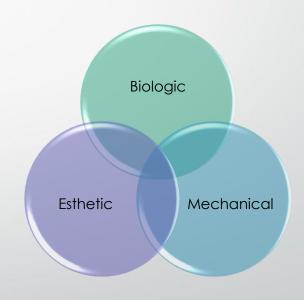
Protect the prepared teeth

Maintain periodontal health

Maintain occlusal stability and tooth position

Restore function

Restore esthetics



## Interim Restorations

#### Require

- Planning
- An understanding of the requirements and objectives of the procedure
- Appropriate time management

## Interim restoration as a diagnostic tool





Measure the thickness of interim to confirm adequate reduction

## Interim restoration as a diagnostic tool



To determine if the planned restoration will satisfy the functional, esthetic and phonetic requirements of the patient

#### Scenario 1

Interim restoration as a diagnostic tool





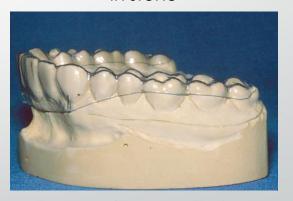
Mounted diagnostic casts



Diagnostic wax-up of proposed restorations



Diagnostic wax-up duplicated in stone



Vacuum formed matrix on duplicated cast



Abutment teeth prepared





Tooth reduction verified



Fabrication of Interim restoration





Right and Left working side of Interim FDPs

# Interim restoration as a diagnostic tool





Before After

#### Scenario 2

Interim restoration as a diagnostic tool



Existing veneers removed; #5-12 prepared for PFM crowns



Interim restorations



Before



After

# Interim restoration

Prefabricated crown forms

Custom molded crown or FDPs form

# Prefabricated crown forms

- Polycarbonate
- Cellulose-acetate
- Aluminum (shell or anatomic)
- Tin-silver (anatomic)
- Nickel-chromium
- Stainless steel





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# Custom molded crown or bridge forms

- Vacuum formed molds
- Silicone molds
- Alginate molds





# Interim restoration

#### Prefabricated crown forms

- First-visit emergency when crown is missing
- Limited to single units
- Must be lined with autopolymerizing resin
- Considerable amount of modification (internal relief, axial recontouring, occlusal adjustment) may be required ®

#### Custom molded crown or FDPs form

- Accurate reseating of external surface from is easier
- Less time consuming
- May be used for multiple units

## Currently Available Materials

#### Acrylics

- Polymethyl Methacrylates
- Poly-R' Methacrylates
  - (R' = ethyl, vinyl, isobutyl)

#### **Bis-Acryl Composites**

- Chemically-Activated
- Visible Light-Activated
- Dual-Activated

## Acrylics

#### Advantages

#### Disadvantages

Low cost
Poor to good wear
resistance
Good esthetics
High polishability
Poor to good color stability
Easy to repair
Short working time

Significant amount of heat given off by exothermic reaction (about 8%) (about 8%) (b) Strong, objectionable odor Must be mixed Radiolucent



# Bis-Acryl Composites

#### **Advantages** Disadvantages Less shrinkage than Greater cost than acrylics acrylics Some do not have a Minimal heat generated rubbery stage (snap set) during setting Viscosity cannot be altered Relatively high strength Sticky surface layer present Minimal odor after polymerization **Excellent esthetics** May be more brittle than Most products use acrylics 🕾 automix delivery Can be repaired or Can be harder to repair in characterized using resin some areas composite Easy to trim Good color stability Radiopaque



# Techniques of Fabrication of Interim Fixed Restoration

Direct

Indirect

Indirect-Direct

Digital

#### Direct technique

- Reduce laboratory time
- Accuracy of marginal fit

- Potential for pulpal and/or gingival irritation
- Risk of allergic reaction or sensitization
- Patient discomfort

# Polymethyl methacrylate allergy

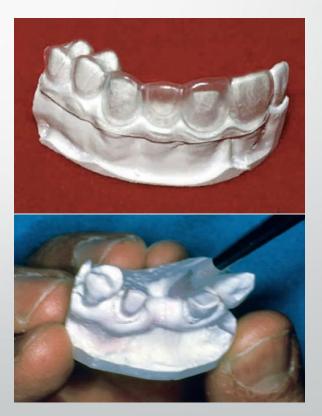




Allergic reactions on pontic area and upper lip from interim FDPs #7-10

## Indirect technique

- Predictable results
- Least risk to patient's health



## Indirect-Direct technique



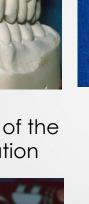


Patient is missing #8 and #9. Tx plan for 4-unit FDPs #7-10

#### **Indirect** component



Diagnostic wax-up of the proposed restoration



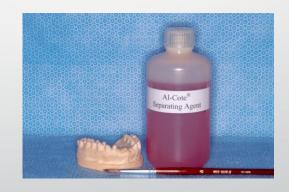
Abutments on original diagnostic casts are prepared conservatively



Duplicated cast of diagnostic wax-up



Vacuum formed matrix made from duplicated ca



Apply Al-Cote/Vaseline on teeth and gingiva of cast



Fill matrix with resin



Seat matrix over prepared teeth when resin loses its gloss



Secure matrix with rubber band



Place assembly in pressure pot at 20 psi



Separate matrix from cast and release cured resin from matrix



Trim gross excess with scissors





Completed shell Interim on cast (end product of indirect component). Note thin shell at #7 and 10, which will be filled by a direct lining procedure

#### **Direct** component



Prepare abutment teeth in usual manner



Try-in the shell Interim on the prepared teeth



Verify adequate tooth reduction with vacuum formed matrix



Fill shell with resin, and after it loses its surface sheen, seat the restoration

#### Finishing the Interim Restoration



Carbide bur, sandpaper disk, mandrels, and polishers



Adjust axial contours and fine trim margins with sandpaper disk



Remove gross resin excess with carbide burs (margins must be avoided)



Smooth surface of restoration with polishers





Finish restoration with wet pumice and dry polishing with polishing compound





Completed Interim restoration

# Cementing the interim restoration



Place petroleum jelly on the external surface



Isolate with cotton rolls, dry prepared teeth

#### Cementing the interim restoration



Line the internal surface of the interim using the tip of the syringe



Firmly seat Interim and allow the cement to set



Remove excess cement with explorer after material has set



Floss through contacts with knotted floss; Give OHI

- When the interim initially doesn't fit
- When the tooth preparation has been refined or changed

#### Scenario 5

























#### Scenario 6





Preoperative view of tooth #8



Polycarbonate crown selected with the appropriate M-D width



Cervical portion of crown adjusted to desired length and gingival curvature



Crown length adjusted to match adjacent tooth #9. Note curvature of cervical portion.



Prefabricated post placed in canal Bead brush acrylic around the coronal portion



Excess resin immediately removed before material sets



Polycarbonate crown filled with resin

When resin loses its shine, seat
Interim over tooth





Relined Interim showing margins



Completed Interim restoration

#### Scenario 7

Digital Interim Fixed Restoration

## Digital Interim Fixed Restorations

Digital workflow



### Digital Interim Fixed Restorations

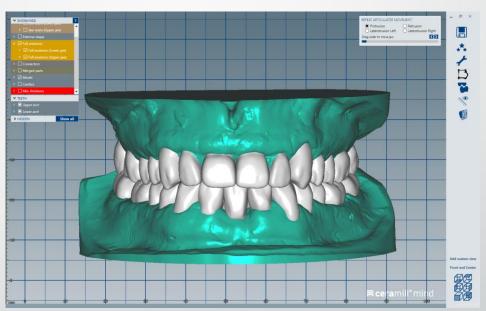
- Reduce the patient's exposure to chemicals
- Multiple units
- One color or layered colors
- Sufficient in mechanical properties, wear resistance, color stability, bonding ability
- Long-term interim restorations
- Data files can be used to mill the definitive restoration

# Digital Interim Fixed Restorations

- Indications
  - Multiple units
- Full mouth rehabilitation
- Long-term interim fixed restorations



Preoperative

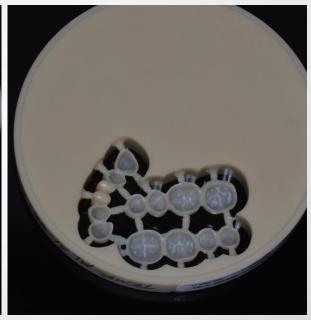


Digital diagnostic waxing

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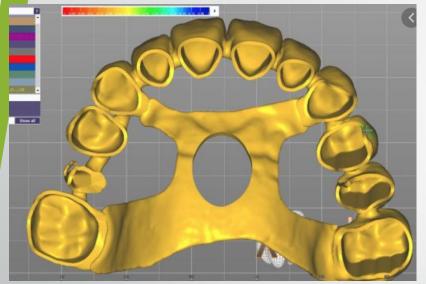


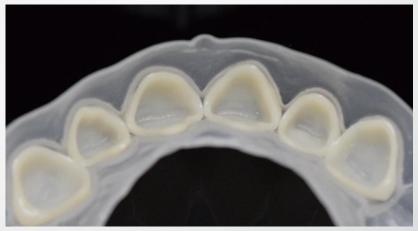




### Milled interim restoration

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