Scenes from Friday

The gang from Planmeca (booth No. 1631) with one of the company’s newest machines.

Did you floss today? This fella from Crest Oral B (booth No. 1006) is here to help you remember.

Helen Dicicco, left, and Paul Dicicco of Sunset Dental Lab (booth No. 721)

Dr. Carmen Brambila of Boston tests ear protection equipment offered by Dental Innovations (booth No. 2402).

Dr. Bob Clark of DrQuickLook (booth No. 1439) with his company’s portable intraoral camera. Clark is the inventor of the device.

Yangwook Jung, left, and David Che of Hiossen (booth No. 321).

Rose Clark, left, and Yvonne Thomas of Rose Micro Solutions (booth No. 325).

Amber Burton, left, and Steve Hehl of B&D Dental Technologies (booth No. 1735).

From left: Stephan Swanick, Debbie Sabatini, Dr. Jack Martin and Mike Ventriello of PeriRX (booth No. 1746). The company offers lab testing for oral cancer.

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Maximize Clinical Performance with BruxZir® Solid Zirconia

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TRAC Conclusions: BruxZir and e.max CAD full-contour crowns on molars have demonstrated clinical service superior to all other tooth-colored materials studied clinically by TRAC over 39 years.

MARGINS

When a PFM is fabricated for this prep, there is a bulky 1 mm margin that catches on the explorer. Even if the margin is sealed, the emergence profile is unacceptable.

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Because BruxZir is a monolithic crown and can be milled to a feather edge, your explorer will not detect where the tooth ends and the BruxZir crown begins.

STRENGTH

BruxZir Solid Zirconia has become the new high-strength, biocompatible option for fixed restorations, from single-unit crowns to full-arch implant-supported protheses.

VITALITY

Full-arch case from dentist Sung-Kim, Republic of Korea, shows the natural-looking esthetics of BruxZir Solid Zirconia compared to PFM, PFZ and monolithic glass ceramic restorations.

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The clinical challenge: Instruments (tips) intended and used for implant maintenance are too bulky, especially in cases when patients have healthy, tight tissue around the implants.

Proposed solution: ErgoMix Mini Implant Instruments from LM-Dental.

Reasoning supporting the solution: According to LM-Dental, dental practitioners were frustrated with the tip sizes of implant hand instruments. In response, LM, a market-leading instrument manufacturer in Europe, designed a series of titanium implant instruments with mini-sized tips. These LM ErgoMix implant instruments are made of softer-than-standard titanium alloy that is gentle on implants yet effective for calculus removal. ErgoMix implant instruments also feature replaceable tips and large-diameter (12 mm), silicone-surfaced handles.

The ErgoMix replaceable tip mechanism is engineered so no tools are needed to change the tips. The series includes four instrument patterns: Mini Gracey 1/2 — anterior (gray); Mini Gracey 11/12 — mesial (orange); Mini Gracey 13/14 — distal (blue); and Mini Universal — universal, all surfaces (red). They are available as a kit, containing one of each instrument and a cassette, or they may be purchased individually.

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To check out the ErgoMix Mini Implant Instruments, stop by the LM Dental booth, No. 1631.

Thomas Comerota of Dental Stores, left, and Peter Cargill of DentReps at booth No. 1738.

Katie Evenson, left, and Chrissy Audette of Orascoptic (booth No. 2203).

Sam Nakles, left, and Morgan Kersee of Garfield Refining Co. (booth No. 2006). The company has received numerous awards.
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