

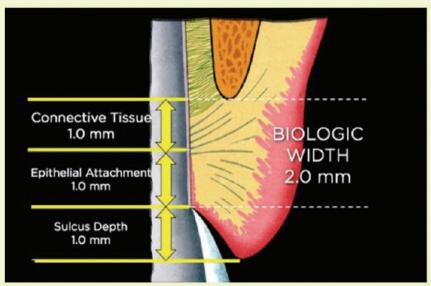






BIOLOGIC WIDTH

Defintion:-The biologic width is defined as the dimension of space that the healthy gingival tissue occupy between the base of sulcus and underlying alveolar bone and is comprised of junctional epithelial attachment and connective tissue attachment.



Biologic Width

- Normal value =2.04mm
- It may vary from 0.75-4.02 mm

EVALUATION:

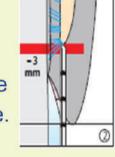
1.SOUNDING TO BONE:

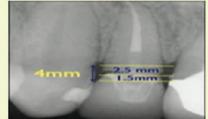
Probe is pushed through the anesthetized attachment tissue from sulcus to underlying bone.

If distance - <2mm at one or

more locations the violation if biologic width is confirmed.







Violation

- 1. Unpredictable bone loss
- 2. Gingival recession
- 3. Persistance of gingivitis
- -BODY ATTEMPTS TO RECREATE THE BIOLOGIC WIDTH

Correction

- 1. Surgical crown lengthening
 - a) external bevel gingivectomy
 - b) internal bevel gingivectomy
- 2. Apical repostioned flap surgery and bone contouring
- 3. Orthodontic extrusion of teeth







Calculus consists of mineralised bacterial plaque that forms on surface of natural teeth & dental prosthesis.

COMPOSITION

Inorganic

- 76% Calcium phosphate
- 3% Calcium carbonate

Traces:

Magnesium phosphate

Organic

- Protein-poly saccharide Complex
- Desquamated Epithelial Cells
- Micro Organisms.

FORMATION

Plaque Formation

Between 1 -14 days

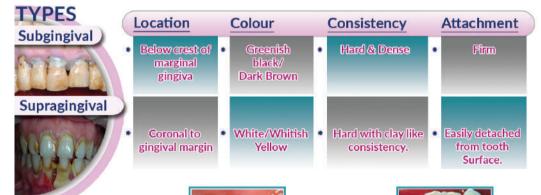
Calcification of plaque

Between 4 -8 hr

Mineralisation

50% - 2 Days
60% - 90% - 12 Days

Calculus



Predisposing Factors

- 1. Poor oral hygiene
- 2. Sugar diet
- 3. Old age
- 4. Gingival recession
- 5. Plaque
- Systemic diseases like diabetes
- 7. Use of tetracycline medications

Common sites:

Complications

- 1. Dental caries
- 2. Gingivitis
- 3. Periodontitis
- 4. Periodontal attachment loss
- 5. Bad breath
- 6. Pus & abscess if untreated

Management

Scaling & Root planing using ultrasonic & hand scalers.



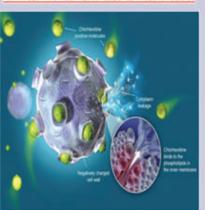
Chlorhexidine In Periodontics

High risk

caries patients



MECHANISM OF ACTION



- The positively charged chlorhexidine molecule is attracted to the negatively charged phospholipids in the cell wall.
- This causes rupture of cell wall resulting in lysis and cell death.



Patients receiving fixed orthodontic appliances



USAGE

10 ml of 0.2%CHX

used in 1:1 dilution

0.12% as oral rinse solution
4% as disinfectant

Rinsing should be done daily twice (morning & evening) for 30sec

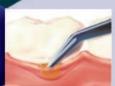
Improving oral hygiene of PHC



Oral malodor management



Professionally used in local drug delivery



INSTRUCTIONS

Interval between tooth brushing & rinsing with chlorhexidine should be more than 30 min

Should not take any food for the next 30 min after rinsing

ADVERSE EFFECTS

- Brownish staining of teeth
- Loss of taste sensation
- Parotid duct stenosis
- Oral mucosal erosions



Patients predisposed to oral candidiasis Preoperative rinsing decreases bacterial load Should be used for a period of time after oral surgery



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In patients with

intermaxillary

fixation

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