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REFERRAL TO PERIODONTIST

What, Why & How ?

PERIODONTAL REFERRAL



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WHAT

KEY TO REFERRAL

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Key to referral

Severity &
Complexity

Patient's
willingness
for further tx

Knowledge,
experience

Presence of
other
complicating
factors

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Referral to Periodontist

*Severe Chronic Periodontitis
(Generalised/localised)

- Pocket depths $\geq 5\text{mm}$
- Vertical bone defect
- Furcation involvement
- Progressive tooth mobility
- Progressive attachment loss

*Aggressive Periodontitis
(Localised/Generalised)



Referral to Periodontist

Muco-gingival deformities/ Aesthetic /Perio Plastic Surgery

- Gingival hyperplasia
- Exposed root surface



Referral to Periodontist

Perio-restorative

- Violation of biological width
- To assist in crown/veneers construction
- endo tx



Referral to Periodontist

- **Planning for dental implant construction (Multi-disciplinary)** esp soft tissue management & Guided tissue/bone regeneration
- **Peri-implant complication/s:**
Peri-implant mucositis & Peri-implantitis



CO-MANAGEMENT BY THE REFERRING DENTIST AND THE PERIODONTIST

Any patient with periodontal inflammation/infection and the following systemic conditions:

Diabetes

Pregnancy

Cardiovascular disease

Chronic respiratory disease



CO-MANAGEMENT BY THE REFERRING DENTIST AND THE PERIODONTIST

Medical or Behavioral Risk Factors/Indicators

Smoking/tobacco use

Diabetes

Osteoporosis/osteopenia

Drug-induced gingival conditions (e.g., phenytoins, calcium channel blockers, immunosuppressants, and long-term systemic steroids)

Compromised immune system, either acquired or drug induced

A deteriorating risk profile



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PERIODONTAL REFERRAL IS IMPORTANT?

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- **NO shortcuts to the delivery of effective periodontal care**

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Periodontal Referral Guideline

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PERIODONTOLOGY



Periodontal Referral Guideline

- British Society of Periodontology
- American Academy of Periodontology

WHY

You are referring this case ?

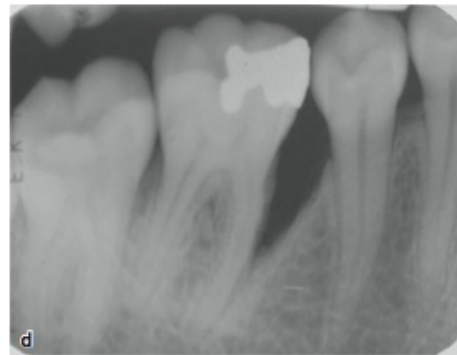
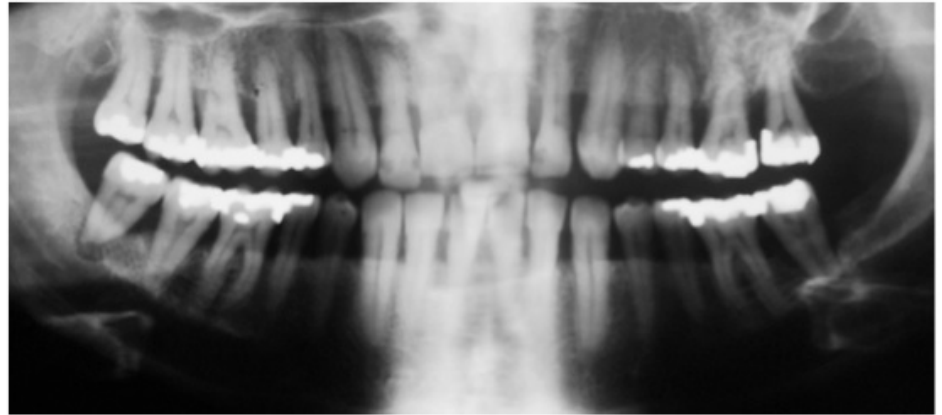
WHAT

Treatment carried out

HOW

to screen?
BPE-code 4/4*

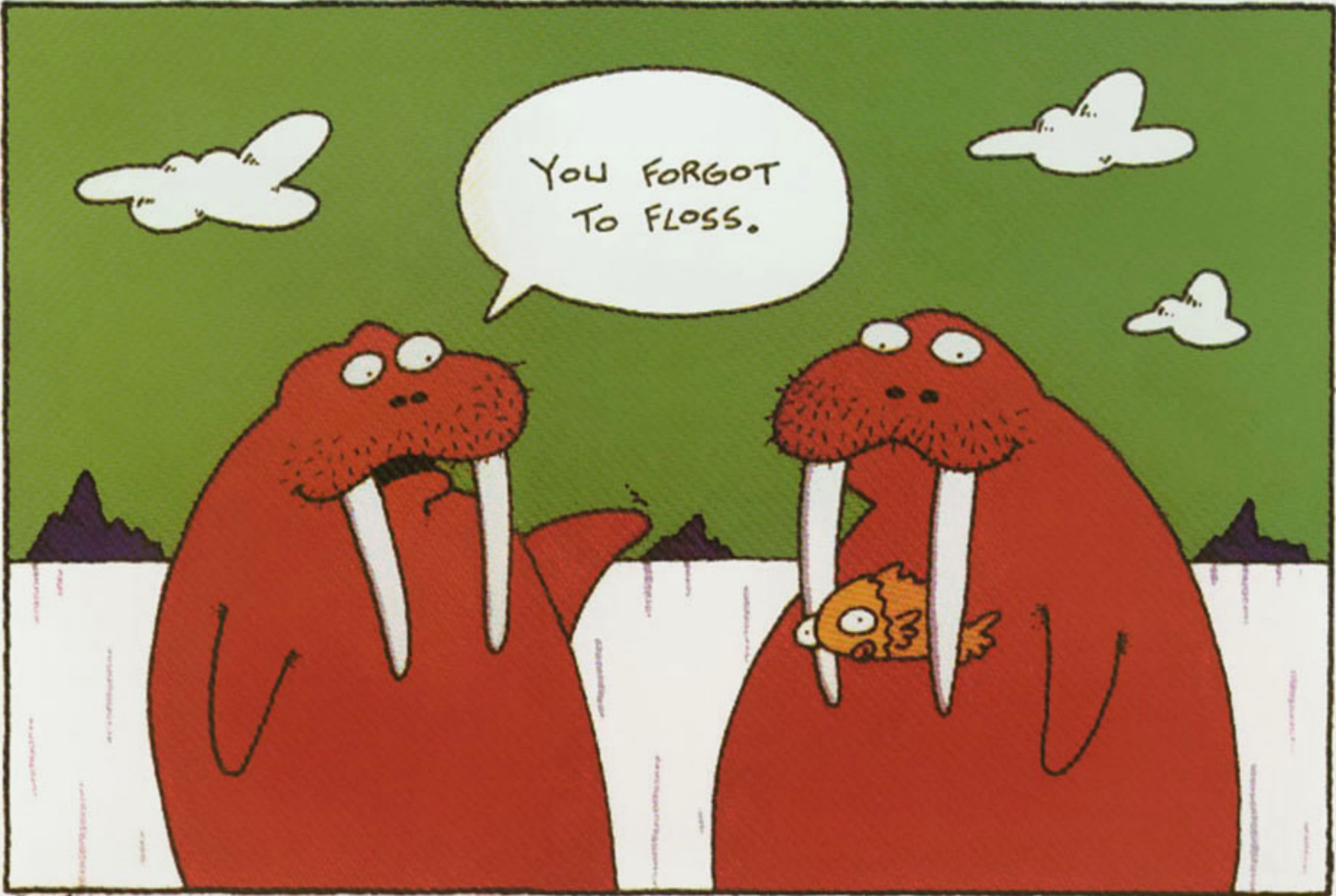
Treatment Plan



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YOU FORGOT
TO FLOSS.