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Treatment of intrabony defects with Ostim® or Emdogain®

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Objectives

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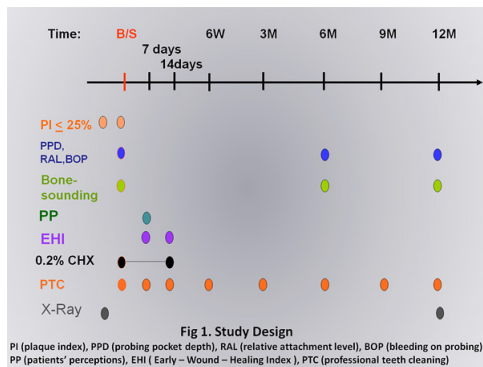


Fig. 1a: Study Design

Material and Methods

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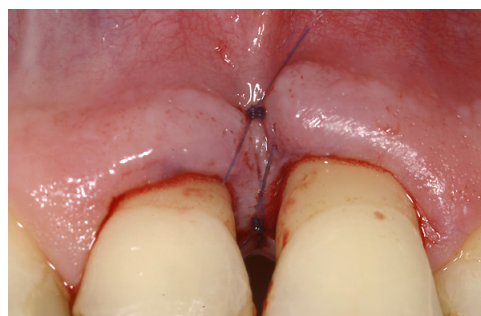
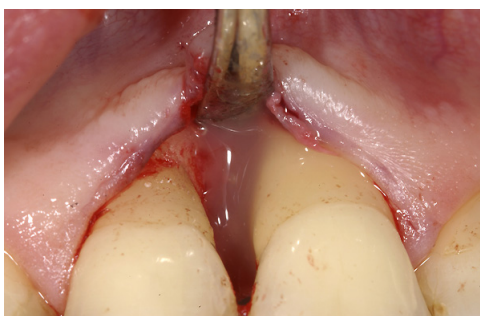


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Fig. 2b: Treatment with Ostim

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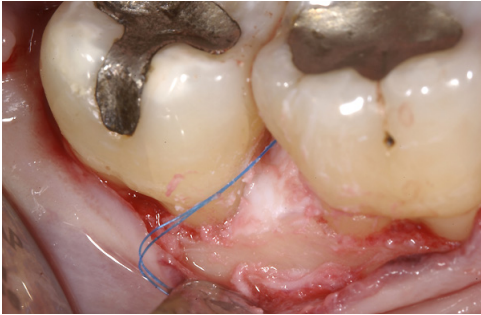


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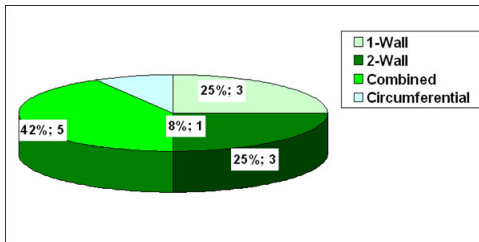
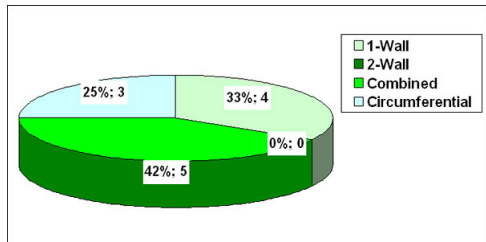


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Results

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EMD

Ostim

	Baseline	6 Months	Baseline	6 Months
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Mean	11.6	10.4	11.1	9.5
Standard deviation	1.6	1.4	1.8	2.3
P-value		0.002		0.009
Relative Attachment Level (CAL)				
Mean	9.5	7.5	9.2	7.5
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Probing Pocket Depth (PPD)				
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Tab. 1: Comparison of Clinical outcomes (mm) after 6 months

	EMD	Ostim	P-value
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Bone Fill	1.5 ± 1.3	1.5 ± 1.7	0.75

Tab. 2: Comparison of Clinical outcomes (mm) after 6 months

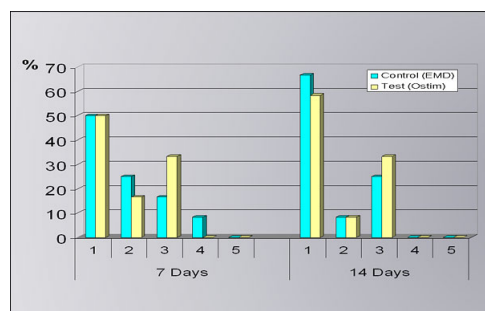


Fig. 3a: Early-Wound-Healing Index (EHI)

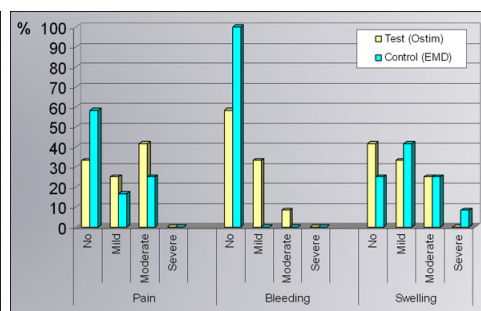


Fig. 3b: Patients' perceptions

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Abbreviations

PI: plaque index
 PPD: probing pocket depth
 RAL: relative attachment level
 BOP: bleeding on probing
 PP: patients' perceptions
 EHI: Early-Wound-Healing Index
 PTC: professional teeth cleaning

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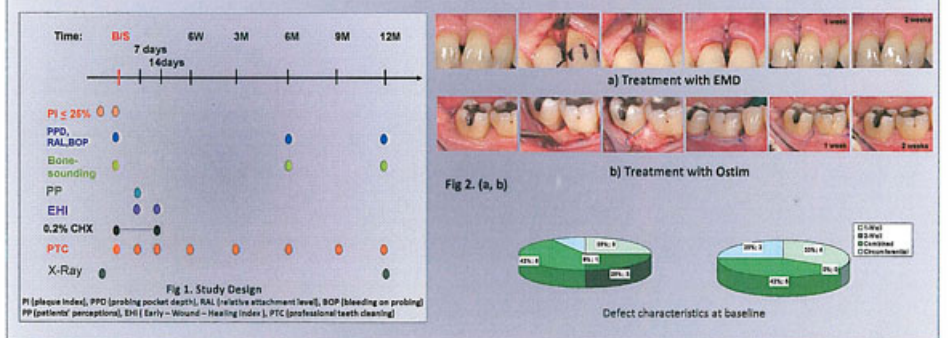
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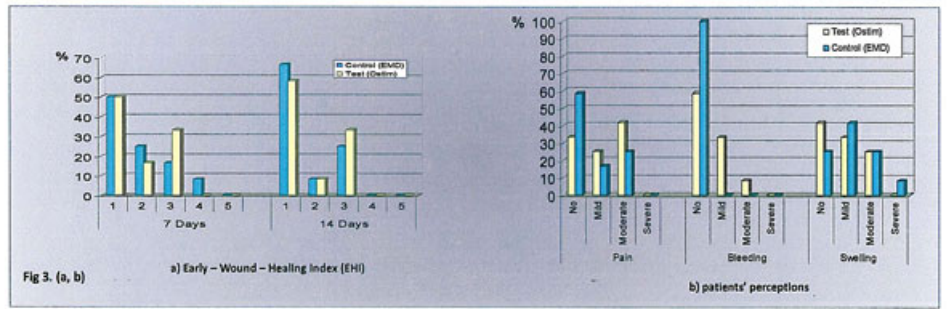
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