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### Caught in a trap

Bone Trap from Astra Tech has been specifically designed to be simple and efficient in the yielding of small bone particles during implant surgery whilst causing minimal amount of trauma to the patient. Clogging is eradicated due to the unique filter design which allows proficient gathering of small bone particles while maintaining constant flow during suction until full.

The product is packed in a peel-open envelope after being sterilised by radiation. It can be attached to any suction system with a disposable tube, using supplied adapters that fit different tube diameters. It is manufactured in plastic, has a maximum volume of 0.8ml and each box includes a Bone Trap suction tube, adapters and plunger.

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### Soft and strong

PU-riety is a new glove from UnoDent, The Dental Directory's own brand, that offers protection against both type I and type IV allergic reactions. These latex-free gloves use the latest polyurethane technology developed by the pharmaceutical giants Dow.

The result is a glove that exhibits a high level of quality and performance without any of the problems typified by latex gloves and those containing other irritant chemicals.

PU-riety gloves offer the same outstanding strength and protection as conventional gloves, combined with softness and flexibility.

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### Four eyes are better than two



Googles protective eye wear offers protection against cross contamination, according to Professional Dental Supplies. The range is lightweight and has been designed to fit over glasses and loops, and the frames are recyclable. Tinted amber lenses are

available which eliminate glare from overhead lights.

Frames can be autoclaved up to 240 degrees Fahrenheit and the materials used do not contain latex.

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### Extra fresh



Sensodyne has introduced a brand new toothpaste called Sensodyne Total Care Extra Fresh. It has been specially formulated for patients with sensitive teeth who want a very fresh mouth feel. It has an anti-bacterial formulation, with potassium nitrate and fluoride featuring a gel strip.

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### Plunge away

Dentsply Pharmaceutical's self-aspiration system was developed specifically to address this issue of aspirating during every injection. This system uses a specific syringe and an adapted cartridge bung with a cavity open at the plunger end.

The bungs rely on the elastic nature of a thin membrane at the end of the bung which distorts when pressure is applied. By releasing the pressure, the bung returns to its normal shape, which is sufficient to cause aspiration. The company claims that

as no physical effort is required to cause aspiration, the needle tip is less likely to move

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