#### PRODUCT FOCUS

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#### CREATE A BRIGHT AND PROFESSIONAL APPEARANCE

To create a bright and professional appearance for reception staff this spring, take a look at the new range of blouses and suiting from Meltemi, staff uniform specialists in officewear and healthcare. The new blouse collection offers

a choice of styles for wearer

preference in the same prints and colourways for a uniform look. New Chloe and Ella prints are proving popular additions to the range. In a wide range of colourways and a choice of up to three styles, these blouses are in CoolWeave, an ideal fabric to keep staff cooler in a

warm environment with a crease-free appearance for a smart look. Both styles are perfect with the new Essentia suiting range in a smart herringbone weave fabric in navy or charcoal.

> Alternatively, why not request a healthcare range brochure, full of tunics, dresses, trousers and scrubs in a wide spectrum of colours and choice of fabric. Meltemi supply healthcare organisations across the UK and can offer preferential pricing for dental surgeries.

For more information, to receive brochures or request samples, contact Meltemi on: 01603 731332, email: marketing@meltemi.co.uk or visit www.meltemi.co.uk.

## ACHIEVE GREATER POCKET REDUCTION

When you choose PerioChip as an adjunct to scaling and root planing in periodontal treatment, you can achieve greater pocket depth reduction..

PerioChip, indicated for pockets of 5

mm or more, contains 36% chlorhexidine digluconate, and eliminates 99% of subgingival periopathogenic bacteria. To find out more email team@periochip.

co.uk or call 0800 013 2333.

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### BPE GUIDANCE AT YOUR FINGERTIPS



GlaxoSmithKline Consumer Healthcare, manufacturer of Corsodyl mouthwash, has launched a new mobile app to help support dental professionals with the use of the Basic Periodontal Examination (BPE).

- The app provides information on:
- Background to the BPE codes
- Description and clinical image of each BPE code
- Summary of recommended treatment.

Developed by the British Society of Periodontology, the BPE allows dental professionals to consistently and accurately assess their patients' gum health.<sup>1</sup> The assessment of gum health, together with the provision of support for patients to help prevent periodontal disease, will be of even greater importance once the Dental Quality & Outcomes Framework comes into force in the revised dental contract.<sup>2</sup>

The Corsodyl brand is committed to supporting dental professionals when educating patients on the importance of gum health and the early signs of gum disease. This app forms part of a range of materials that also includes the Corsodyl Gum Care Guidance Pack which can be requested for dental practices.

Compatible with iPhones and iPads, the app can be downloaded from the app store by searching 'bpe app' and further information can be accessed from www. gsk-dentalprofessionals.co.uk.

- British Society of Periodontology. Basic Periodontal Examination (BPE) guidance. 2011. Available at www.bsperio.org.uk/ publications/downloads/39\_143748\_ bpe2011.pdf.
- 2. Department of Health. Dental Quality and Outcomes Framework, 04/05/11. Available at: www.gov.uk/government/publications/ dental-quality-and-outcomes-framework.