TRADE NEWS

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Any old iron

Metalor dental scrap service offers a laboratory and practice economic solution to dealing efficiently with dental scrap.

The company guarantees that the recovery of precious metal dental scrap service will accept all precious metal dental scrap at a competitive rate.





Ready to shred

Alkapharm is offering a free Rexel Home /Office Shredder to dentists who buy three of its products during September and October. The products featured in the offer are the Alkaspray-Plus, Alkacide, Peralkn, ImpressiV, and System 2 Aspirator Cleaner, all in the five litre size plus Alkazyme Water soluble sachets. The products can be bought in any combination.

The document shredder has the capacity to shred up to five sheets of A4 paper at once and paper is shredded into six millimetre unreadable strips, preventing unauthorised access to private and confidential information.

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Oral health additions



Mirage Dental has added to its range of oral health products with the dual faceted Professional Tongue Cleaner and Tung-Gel.

The Professional Tongue Cleaner has two soft and flexible rubber surfaces: one side has 16 lines to softly and deeply clean the tongue and the spaces between the papillae, while the ten lines on the reverse are arranged in a herringbone design to collect debris. The central axis is raised for

mint aroma to encourage better patient compliance. Tung-Gel, formulated with zinc and

water-based to avoid sticky residue buildup, has been developed especially for use with the Tung-Brush. Users report a fresh feeling in the mouth which lasts well into the day.

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Let there be light



BDSI has introduced the Pinlight, a Japanese manufactured illuminated dental mirror which can be used for examinations and situations where there is no dental light available. The light source is Laser Electric Diode (LED) which has a long life and generates no heat. The strong white light permeates through molars. The unit is waterproof thus enabling cold sterilisation and can be used with most dental mirrors. **Reader response number 53**

For the sensitive

Sensodyne has extended its range with the new Sensodyne Total Care toothbrush, developed for those with sensitive teeth. It is one size and has a dome shaped head. Features include end rounded filaments which are gentle on teeth and gums, an ergonomic handle design for comfortable grip to aid cleaning, domed head designed to adapt to the gingival margin and a small head for easy access to posterior regions. **Reader response number 54**

