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Ed's letter

I am thrilled to be able to welcome you to the very first issue of *BDJ Team*! *BDJ Team* is the successor to *Vital* (published from 2003-2013) and we have been working flat out since last autumn to launch *BDJ Team* on target in March 2014!

So what can readers expect from BDJ Team?



Your new magazine

- A new issue every month starting in March (*Vital* was only published four times a year)
- One hour of verifiable CPD every month
- **Instant access** to *BDJ Team* articles on your computer, tablet or smartphone
- A reader forum on our Facebook group
- **Regular announcements** and important DCP **news** on the *BDJ Team* website
- Access to our dedicated jobs site
- **Ealerts** so that you **never miss an issue** of *BDJ Team*
- All of the articles that you loved in *Vital* people stories, research, advice, news and views, products and CPD but **published more often!**

Just click through the pages of this digital edition, and visit www.bdjteam. co.uk, to see what's in store this spring. Our first feature is about Sharon Grant, a dental therapist who says she *loves radiography*. How fitting then that our first **core** CPD article is on that very same topic! We also meet the BADN's new President and find out what people used to swill around their mouths in 1893

I'd love to hear your feedback on *BDJ Team*, so please drop me an email or join our Facebook group!

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