

New products and focus on digital dentistry and orthodontics

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LONG-TERM FLUORIDE RELEASE

StarFlow from Danville Materials is a solution for permanent wire retention.

Bonding retainer wires can be an intricate procedure, especially on vertical tooth surfaces, but StarFlow makes easy work of it. This super low viscosity flowable composite resists slumping and gravitational forces, staying in place

until you are ready to permanently light-cure your retention.

Available in 5 g and 1 g single patient use syringes, StarFlow also provides long-term fluoride release and has the highest compressive strength of any flowable composite available, so it is unlikely to break or shear once placed.

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PREVENT THE EFFECTS OF WORK STRESS

The Primary Care Support Service is an independent all-Wales NHS service which encourages professionals to look after themselves in ways which not only minimise or prevent the effects of work stresses escalating into crisis, but also promote well-being. It provides a variety of services to dentists working in Wales, including counselling, a dental peer support network, support for those undergoing investigation for performance concerns or a complaint, or for those with alcohol or substance use concerns, coaching, conflict resolution (mediation), managing change, workshops and educational evidence-based programmes aimed at promoting well-being and personal development.

Services are either free to the user or provided at a subsidised rate. All are direct access and self-referral. For more information, please visit website www.primarycaresupport.wales.nhs.uk.

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NEW ALCOHOL-FREE MOUTHWASH LAUNCHED

GlaxoSmithKline Consumer Healthcare (GSK) has launched a new alcohol-free Corsodyl Mouthwash variant. The new mint flavoured variant has comparable performance to Corsodyl Mint Mouthwash in inhibiting plaque regrowth.

It can be used to treat gingivitis and reduce plaque and has been specially formulated for those people who would prefer an alcohol-free product while retaining the same indications as the other Corsodyl treatment mouthwashes.

To support your patient education, Corsodyl have developed a range of



patient materials including a comprehensive patient guide and poster.

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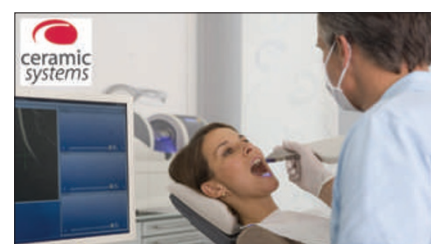
PRECISION FITTING RESTORATIONS

Cerec enables dentists to create high quality and durable chairside all-ceramic restorations in the most cost-effective and efficient way. It is a computer-aided method for creating precision fitting all-ceramic restorations.

Saving laboratory costs it enables dentists to design and create all-ceramic inlays, onlays, partial crowns, veneers and crowns for the anterior, premolar and molar regions in one visit.

Eliminating the need for impressions, Cerec utilises a digital impression taking technique to capture the data used to design the restoration which is then milled in the milling unit.

The milling unit can be situated anywhere that is convenient within the practice, even as a fascinating eye-catcher in the waiting room. Combined with adhesive bonding techniques, it creates biocompatible, non-metallic, natural-looking restorations from



durable high-quality ceramic materials in a single treatment session without the need for provisional restorations.

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