

Digital Dentistry

What a wonderful start to the year, not only are we busy at the laboratory but we have expanded further with more staff and more digitalisation of our Laboratory. One of the hot topics at the moment is **Digital dentures** which is coming into the UK very soon and Bremadent being in the forefront of technology for decades we will be keeping a close eye on this. We already have our digital impressions centre which produces e.max and zirconia crowns and bridges flawlessly via both of our CAD/CAM machines. Speak to our Ceramics Manager Carlos for more information on how it can save you money instead of paying for alloy charges..... **0208 520 8528**

Colour Run London 2016

Our Managing Director (pictured below) will be participating in the Colour Run in London 12/6/16 to raise money for the NSPCC charity. Feel free to donate using the link below or even better why not join him.

www.justgiving.com/dentallab



Bright future for Bremadent

Bremadent has been in the the Dental Laboratory Magazine for two reasons in 2015. The first was an article based on Kash Qureshi taking over the Laboratory in 2015 and being the youngest Clinical Dental Technician in the country for 2014/15 (Please go to www.bremadent.co.uk/news to view the article). The second was being Finalists in two categories for **Best Dental Laboratory** and **Most Innovating Dental Laboratory**. As our reputation is getting bigger we would like to announce that we will be running CPD seminars on topics of interest such as Prosthetics, Valplast flexible dentures, Emax, Zirconia & Antisnoring devices. To register your interest to get FREE cpd call us today and we will place you on our register.

Bremadent being a part of history from 700 BCE

Bremadent was featured in **Dentistry magazine** January 2016 for The History of Dentures article last month. Bremadent are proud to be a part of history with our Director Kash Qureshi being the youngest CDT in the UK but being a part of history from 700 BCE. As a added bonus would it not be nice to say to your patients that the lab you use is a part of history of how we manufacture dentures today? How many labs can say that..... *To view the article please go to www.swissdent.co.uk/denture-faq to view photos of dentures from the period 700 bce to the present.*

New Twiny hybrid ceramic nano filled composite material

We have recently taken on a new composite system called twiny that is filled with ceramic cluster particles which utilises the latest nano filled technology. This provides an impressive **Flexural strength of 239 MPA** which is light cured and heat cured to provide this strength. It is available in the traditional VITA shades *speak to our Crown & Bridge Manager Ray for further details* **0208 520 8528**, *scientific data and product testing can be found on*

www.yamakin-global.com

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Give your patients and cash flow some flexibility !!!

You may be aware that flexible dentures are becoming a top seller in the partially dentate market as most NHS patients will pay extra to have a flexible denture made over acrylic dentures.

Flexible dentures offer the patient more bang for their buck, they are comfortable, retentive and easy to adapt to whilst being virtually unbreakable and blend in naturally with the gingiva.

What flexible denture system do you recommend?

Valplast, period. They were the first company to create flexible dentures and have been doing research and testing for the last 60 years. They offer lifelong guarantees on all Valplast Dentures and only certified and accredited dental laboratory's can manufacture Valplast Flexible that have received training, unlike other companies that give the laboratory the flexible product and do not monitor the quality.

What do I need to do from a clinical aspect? Should I use impregum?

First thing, is the patient suitable?, if the patient has a tight bite this will not be suitable as the dentures teeth need mechanical retention holes put through each tooth as the nylon material does not bond to the acrylic like traditional dentures.

Never use impregum for Valplast dentures. Impregum is muco-compressive and compresses the tissues whilst alginate is muco-static thus meaning it allows the valplast to sit comfortably with out any pressure on the soft tissues. Zhermack Hydrogum 5 is recommended.

All that is needed now is alginate primary impressions, special trays with perforations for alginate secondary impressions, bite registration, shade, try-in and fit. Simple.

Before fitting, place the Valplast in a cup of warm water, this softens the Valplast to adapt better around the teeth and gingiva. Make sure as with all dentures, that they are always kept moist and not left out on the table to dry.

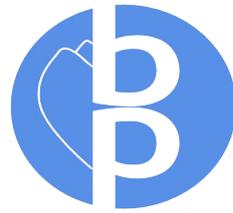
What about adjustments, I have been told they are tricky?

Yes and no, you can adjust clasp easily by placing that area of the clasp in warm water and bending it with your finger inwards or outwards (little pressure). Adjustments are done with a green stone and should always be done at a very slow speed to avoid wrapping of the nylon material.

I have heard they are gum strippers?

Far from it. They are designed to sit on top of the cingulums of the anterior teeth thus creating no pressure on the preiodontum or soft tissues. Speak to our Managing Director Kash for more information on Valplast Flexible Dentures . *Kash deals with over 400+ denture cases weekly from a clinical and technical aspect at Bremadent Dental Laboratory and The Swisedent Denture Clinic and has an advanced accreditation in Valplast Flexible Dentures.*





Shade taking taken seriously

Bremadent have always offered this service but now you can give your patients a truly private service with shade taking done in our in-house clinic to give your patients the ultimate private service. Our technician often gives the patients helpful advice on what is realistically achievable with DSLR quality photos taken and the use of our TrueShade machine which provides natural day light and magnification for perfect shade matches... *book an appointment today for your next case.*



New Website - New Branding

We have had many changes at BPL in the last few years and as you may have noticed. We are Bremadent Premier (Bristol) LTD trading as **Bremadent Premier London Dental Laboratory**. Although we are trading as BPL, we do ask for all clients to make cheques payable to **Bremadent Premier (Bristol) LTD**.

Our new website has become a massive hit in the online world with our simple to navigate website that has many helpful clinical guides, product information to sell to your patients and various ways of contact through facebook, twitter and google.
www.bremadent.co.uk

Screw retained VS Cement retained implants

This is often a big debate amongst my implant clients and here is a simple way of determining:

Screw retained:

Screw type implant restorations are favoured more if you need to remove the crown or bridge in the future due to its easy access of the screw head. With the possibility of removing the restoration and placing it back correctly, it allows for hygienic maintenance periodically and causes less damage to the peri-implant tissues. This system is used with the correct angulation of implant placement with angled abutments available with many systems. It is not recommend where the implants have the screw access holes coming out buccally or incisally due to the angulation, which may interfere with aesthetics. A cement type restoration may be required with stock angled abutments.

Cement retained:

Cement type implant restorations are a more cost effective solution for the patient and are available with many pre fabricated abutments direct from the system used for the implants. Cemented implant restorations are more favoured on bridge type restorations due to a passive fit in the framework. Cement type restorations have the ability to handle off set angulation in the implants with pre fabricated stock angled abutments which is more desirable for aesthetic reasons if the angulation is off set to come out via the labial or incisal region of the crown. *See more at www.bremadent.co.uk/implantology*





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High flexural strength of 239 mpa.
Available in Vita Shades

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