Management and Treatment of Dental Trauma



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THE UNFORTUNATE LIVES OF BABY TEETH



IT WAS SO GRUESOME, THERE WAS SOME FLOSS AND THEN A DOOR KNOB, AND NOW HE'S GONE

want to make a statement that i will be keeping this presentation to the permanent dentition as most major issues with primary teeth will simply result in extraction to prevent issues with the permanent tooth bud beneath

History

- Timing
- Mechanism of injury
- Location
- Bleeding



Examination

- Account for all teeth
- Extent of injury
- Lacerations
- Teeth position
- Appearance of tissue
- Pulp testing (Percussion, EPT, Thermal)
- Palpation of soft tissue



Radiographs

- Panorex
- Periapical
- Occlusal
- CBCT



Why Guidelines Are Important

- Compared to cases treated without compliance to guidelines, cases that adhered to guidelines produced more favorable outcomes, including significantly lower complication rates
- Early follow up visits were essential to ensure prompt treatment of complications when they arose

Bucher K. Complications and survival rates of teeth after dental trauma over a 5-year period. Clin Oral Invest 2013; 17:1311-1318

Examination

Access for risk of concussion or hemorrhage

- symptoms can be delayed for minutes to hours
 - loss of consciousness
 - difficulty of speech &/or slurred speech
 - naseau/vomiting
 - fluid from ear/nose
 - situational confusion
 - blurred vision or uneven pupils



Examination







good slide reminding Ilp testing and use of



Levin L, Pulp and Periradicular Testing. JOE 2013;39:S13-S19

Pulp Testing

Andreasen and Diangeles 2012

False negative cold testing response may occur up to 3 months following horizontal root fractures.

A diagnosis of pulpal necrosis will typically be associated with swelling/apical tenderness and at times discoloration of the tooth.



Radiographs

AAE recommended guidelines:

- 1 Occlusal
- 2 Periapicals at different lateral angulations
- CBCT if more serious of an injury

Periapical







Radiographs CBCT - 3D Imaging





Radiographs

Occlusal



Team Approach

restorative dentist (general / pedo)



ORTHODONTIST

periodontal tissue

supporting bone

gingival or oral mucosa

periodontal tissue

supporting bone

gingival or oral mucosa

- enamel infraction
- enamel-fracture
- enamel-dentin fracture
- enamel-dentin-pulp fracture
- or crown-root fracture w/o pulp involvement

or crown-root fracture with pulp involvement

enamel infraction





ENAMEL INFRACTION

An incomplete fracture (crack) of the enamel without loss of tooth structure.

- impact to enamel only
- transilluminate for dx
- vitality check & f/u
- common max incisors

no treatment

• If non vital at time of exam, observe



Follow up

 none needed unless associated with luxation injury or other injury to same tooth



enamel-fracture





ENAMEL FRACTURE

A fracture confined to the enamel with loss of tooth structure.

- enamelplasty
- if tooth fragment available, it can be bonded to the tooth
- composite restoration







Follow up

 clinical and radiographic control at 6-8 weeks and 1 year

hard tissue and pulp enamel-dentin fracture







ENAMEL-DENTIN FRACTURE

A fracture confined to enamel and dentin with loss of tooth structure, but not involving the pulp.

- if tooth fragment available, it can be bonded to the tooth
- clean area with peridex/NaOCI
- promote secondary dentin, CaOH
- glass ionomer liner can be placed temporarily to monitor symptoms
- composite restoration



Follow up

 clinical and radiographic control at 6-8 weeks and 1 year

crown fracture

treatment with existing tooth fragment

- With modern bonding technology it is possible to rebond the fragment to the tooth
- If the fragment was left dry, rehydrate for 30 min in distilled water or saline. This process increases the bond strength



Fig. 1. (A) Clinical case of two uncomplicated crown fractures in which the two broken pieces were located and reattached. (B) After the two pieces had been attached, a chamfer was cut along the fracture line and additional composite cured in place. This will both increase the strength of the attachment and better hide the fracture line (C).

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enamel-dentin-pulp fracture











Follow up

 clinical and radiographic control at 6-8 weeks and 1 year

ENAMEL-DENTIN-PULP FRACTURE (COMPLICATED CROWN FRACTURE)

A fracture involving enamel and dentin with loss of tooth structure and exposure of the pulp.

OPEN APEX & CLOSED APEX:

- clean area with peridex/NaOCI
- RD isolation
- Direct pulp cap or
 - amputate coronal 2mm of pulp tissue
 - Pressure with moist cotton pellet until bleeding stop
 - MTA (white) or Bioceramic
- glass ionomer liner
- composite restoration

enamel-dentin-pulp fracture





ENAMEL-DENTIN-PULP FRACTURE (COMPLICATED CROWN FRACTURE)

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CLOSED APEX:

 In older patients with closed apices and an associated *luxation injury with displacement*, **root canal treatment** is typically the therapy of choice



crown fracture

complicated (pulp involvement)

In an effort to maintain vitality perform an MTA/Bioceramic pulp cap procedure

- Create a 1-2mm reservoir into the pulp with a high-speed diamond and copious water cooling
- Place capping material & GI liner followed by tooth fragment or restore with a crown with a composite resin material



Fig. 2. (A) Schematic diagram of minimal pulpotomy, where an approximately 2-mm reservoir is cut with a high-speed diamond bur and copious water cooling and calcium hydroxide mixed with sterile water placed. (B) Glass ionomer or a protective liner is placed over the pulp capping agent to ensure it stays in place during etching and bonding. (C) Clinical pictures of the minimal pulpotomy. *Schematic drawings courtesy of Dr. Sigurdsson.*

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pulpotomy & capping



MTA

MTA (mineral trioxide aggregate)

- High biocompatibility
- based off Portland Cement: grey and white
- white version has a fluxing agent that removes the ferrite phase - prevents prior grey hue
- place GI cement over MTA prior to final composite restoration



MTA Pulp cap



7 months post op



Clinical Applications of ProRoot MTA Pulp capping Furcal Repair Root resorption Repair of root perforation Apexification Root-end fillino
EndoSequence

- High biocompatibility
- Osteogenic
- Non-Staining
- Extremely resistant to washout
- Moldable/Condensable Putty

- tricalcium silicate, dicalcium silicate, zirconium oxide, tantalum pentoxide, calcium phosphate monobasic and filler agents

Hirschman, Theater, Bringas, Horn. Cytotoxicity of three current direct pulpcapping agents with a new bioceramic repair putty. *J Endo.* 2012 38(3):385-8

• Dycal shown to have statistically significant cytotoxic effect on dermal fibroblasts





biodentine

bioactive dentin substitute

sets in 10 - 12 minutes

Inatural micro mechanical anchorage for excellent sealing properties without surface preparation.

Similar mechanical properties and mechanical behavior as human dentin.

3.5mm aluminum radiopacity for easy short and long term follow-up.



crown-root fracture uncomplicated (no pulp involvement)







Follow up

clinical and radiographic control at 6-8 weeks and 1 year

CROWN-ROOT FRACTURE WITHOUT PULP INVOLVEMENT

A fracture involving enamel, dentin and cementum with loss of tooth structure, but not exposing the pulp.

- treatment depends on amount of root remaining
- primary teeth ---> extract
- permanent teeth
 - fragment removal only
 - extract if fracture is deep
 - surgical / ortho extrusion
 - RCT and submerge root
 - EXT socket preservation
 - EXT immediate implant

crown-root fracture complicated (pulp involvement)





A fracture involving enamel, dentin, and cementum with loss of tooth structure, and exposure of the pulp.

Perform pulpotomy or RCT

- fragment removal
- surgical/orthodontic extrusion
- coronectomy
 Extraction



Follow up

 clinical and radiographic control at 6-8 weeks and 1 year

root fractures





ROOT FRACTURE

A fracture confined to the root of the tooth involving cementum, dentin, and the pulp. Root fractures can be further classified by whether the coronal fragment is displaced

The more apical the fracture the better the prognosis Michanowicz 1971

- rinse & reposition as soon as possible
- check position with x-ray
- stabilize with flexible splint for 4 weeks (for root fractures near cervical area stabilization may be 4 months)
- monitor healing >1 year



For root fractures where the coronal segment has been avulsed from socket follow avulsion guidelines

root fractures



Permanent Teeth apical third level

- no mobility prognosis good with minimal treatment
- coronal aspect may remain vital and typically no endo treatment is needed

root fractures



Permanent Teeth mid-root level

- may have fair prognosis
- splinting 4 weeks to 4 months
- check vitality continually
- resorption occurs in 60% within the first year

root fractures



Permanent Teeth high-root level

- poor prognosis due to insufficient crown:root
- coronectomy and bury the root
- atraumatic extraction
 - immediate implant / graft
 - socket preservation / delayed implant placement

healing by 'calcific callus'



Andreasen 2004 - Dislocation of the coronal fragment <1mm favors healing with hard tissue

Jacobson 1980 - Pulp necrosis is nearly aways confined to the coronal segment following horizontal root fractures



Ok now lets switch gears and talk about the periodontal tissues



hard dental tissue & pulp

periodontal tissue

supporting bone

gingiva or oral mucosa

- concussion
- subluxation
- extrusion
- lateral luxation
- intrusion
- avulsion

Increasing severity

concussion





CONCUSSION

An injury to the tooth-supporting structures without increased mobility or displacement of the tooth, but with pain to percussion.

- tooth is tender to touch
- no mobility
- percussion tenderness
- check vitality for at least 1 year
- necrosis can develop in several weeks to months



Follow up

clinical and radiographic control at 4 weeks,
 6-8 weeks and 1 year

subluxation







SUBLUXATION

An injury to the tooth supporting structures resulting in increased mobility, but without displacement of the tooth. Bleeding from the gingival sulcus confirms the diagnosis.

- bleeding is common
- percussion sensitive
- positive mobility
- treatment: non rigid splint for 7-14 days if necessary for comfort
- monitor for pulpal complication



Follow up

- splint removal and radiographic control after 2 weeks
- clinical and radiographic control at 2 weeks, 4 weeks, 6-8 weeks and 1 year.

extrusion





EXTRUSION

Partial displacement of the tooth out of its socket

An injury to the tooth characterized by partial or total separation of the periodontal ligament resulting in loosening and displacement of the tooth. The alveolar socket bone is intact in an extrusion injury as opposed to a lateral luxation injury. In addition to axial displacement, the tooth will usually have an element of protrusion or retrusion. In severe extrusion injuries the retrusion/protrusion element can be very pronounced. In some cases it can be more pronounced than the extrusive element.



- Reposition tooth into its original location with finger pressure
- stabilize tooth for 2 weeks with flexible splint.

extrusion





- monitoring the pulpal condition is essential to prevent infection/related root resorption
- immature teeth:

revascularization confirmed with radiographs and continued root formation

fully formed teeth: a diagnosis of necrosis exceeding 3 months warrants need for RCT or evidence of PARL or swelling or discoloration

extrusion





splint removal: after 2 weeks.

Follow up

- clinical and radiographic control and splint removal after 2 weeks
- clinical and radiographic control at 4 weeks, 6-8 weeks,1 year and yearly for 5 years

lateral luxation





LATERAL LUXATION

Displacement of the tooth other than axially. Displacement is accompanied by comminution or fracture of either the labial or the palatal/lingual alveolar bone.

Lateral luxation injuries, similar to extrusion injuries, are characterized by partial or total separation of the periodontal ligament. However, lateral luxations are complicated by fracture of either the labial or the palatal/lingual alveolar bone and a compression zone in the cervical and sometimes the apical area. If both sides of the alveolar socket have been fractured, the injury should be classified as an alveolar fracture (alveolar fractures rarely affect only a single tooth). In most cases of lateral luxation the apex of the tooth has been forced into the bone by the displacement, and the tooth is frequently non-mobile.



lateral luxation



The apex is frequently pushed through the cortical place facially. To reposition the tooth it has to be released prior to moving the crown forward (B) and (C). AAE Endodontics: Colleagues for Excellence The Treatment of Traumatic Dental InjuriesSummer 2014

- Reposition tooth from its bony lock into its original location with finger pressure / forcep
- stabilize tooth for 4 weeks with flexible splint.
 (4 weeks bc of bone fracture)

lateral luxation





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lateral luxation







splint removal: after 4 weeks.

Follow up

- clinical and radiographic control after 2 weeks
- splint removal 4 weeks
- clinical and radiographic control at 6-8 weeks,1 year and yearly for 5 years

intrusion





INTRUSION - INTRUSIVE LUXATION

Displacement of the tooth *into* the alveolar bone. This injury is accompanied by comminution or fracture of the alveolar socket.

Spontaneous Repositioning

- clean area
- suture any gingival lacerations
- allow spontaneous repositioning to take place
- Follow progress for 2-4 weeks. If eruption has not begun reposition surgically or orthodontically before ankylosis develops



intrusion

Treatment choice

Factors determining treatment choice are stages of root development and intrusion level

	degree of intrusion	Repositioning		
		spontaneous	orthodontic	surgical
Open Apex	Up to 7mm	Х		
Open	More than 7mm		Х	Х
	Up to 3mm	X		
Closed Apex	3-7mm		Х	Х
Closed	More than 7mm			Х

intrusion





INTRUSION - INTRUSIVE LUXATION

Displacement of the tooth *into* the alveolar bone. This injury is accompanied by comminution or fracture of the alveolar socket.

Orthodontic Repositioning

- clean area
- suture any gingival lacerations
- Adapt arch wire to anterior region
- Acid Etch/Bond and Fixate with resin
- Fixate bracket with resin and apply elastic retraction

Surgical Repositioning

Intrusion with major dislocation of tooth (>7mm)

- clean area
- reposition with forceps following local anesthetic
- apply flexible splint for 4 weeks

intrusion







- Mature tooth: bc of the injury to the PDL endodontic treatment is likely needed. Rapid inflammatory root resorption can occur (within days or a few weeks) if the necrotic pulpal tissue becomes infected.
- Endodontic therapy should be initiated within 3-4 weeks post trauma with calcium hydroxide therapy for 2-4 weeks prior to completing the RCT; shown to decrease incidence of resorption

intrusion





Follow up

- clinical and radiographic control after 2 weeks
- splint removal 4 weeks
- clinical and radiographic control at 6-8 weeks,1 year and yearly for 5 years



avulsion





AVULSION

The tooth is completely displaced *out* of its socket. Clinically the socket is found empty or filled with a coagulum.

Treatment guideline for permanent teeth

- Closed apex: tooth replanted prior to patient's arrival at the dental office
- Closed apex: extra oral dry time < 60min
- Closed apex: extra oral dry time >60min or longer storage in non physiologic media
- Open apex: tooth replanted prior to patient's arrive at the dental office
- Open apex: extraoral dry time < 60min
- Open apex: extra oral dry time >60min or longer storage in non physiologic media

avulsion

Closed apex: extra oral time <60 min

- time is of the essence to get tooth back in place <30min
- if not replanted prior to visit examine alveolar socket
- verify position of tooth clinically and radiographically
- apply flexible splint for up to 2 weeks
- administer system antibiotics: tetracycline (Doxycycline 2x per day for 7 days based on age and weight) those less than 12yrs old use Penn VK or amoxicillin
- Confirm tetanus coverage
- Initiate root canal treatment 7-10 days after replantation and before splint removal. Place calcium hydroxide within tooth for 1 month

avulsion

Closed apex: extra oral time >60 min

- remove non-viable soft tissue with gauze
- examine alveolar socket, reposition with minimal pressure
- verify position of tooth clinically and radiographically
- apply flexible splint for 4 weeks
- administer system antibiotics: tetracycline (Doxycycline 2x per day for 7 days based on age and weight) those less than 12yrs old use Penn VK or amoxycillin
- Confirm tetanus coverage
- Initiate root canal treatment immediately or can be done 7-10 days after replantation and before splint removal. Place calcium hydroxide within tooth for 1 month
- to slow osseous replacement soak with 2% sodium fluoride for 20 min
- ankylosis & resorption unavoidable after delayed replantation

avulsion

Open apex: extra oral time <60 min

- time is of the essence to get tooth back in place
- if not replanted prior to visit examine alveolar socket
- verify position of tooth clinically and radiographically
- apply flexible splint for up to 2 weeks
- administer system antibiotics: tetracycline (Doxycycline 2x per day for 7 days based on age and weight) those less than 12yrs old use Penn VK or amoxycillin
- Confirm tetanus coverage
- Goal is to allow possible revascularization

avulsion

Open apex: extra oral time >60 min

- remove non-viable soft tissue with gauze
- Root canal treatment can be carried out prior to replantation or later (dependant on root length)
- For immature teeth, root canal treatment should be avoided unless there is clinical or radiographic evidence of pulp necrosis
- examine alveolar socket, reposition with minimal pressure
- verify position of tooth clinically and radiographically
- apply flexible splint for 4 weeks
- administer system antibiotics: tetracycline (Doxycycline 2x per day for 7 days based on age and weight) those less than 12yrs old use Penn VK or amoxycillin
- Confirm tetanus coverage
- ankylosis and resorption unavoidable after delayed replantation

avulsion (exarticulation) **re-implantation**

follow-up procedures

time	closed apex	open apex	
1-2 weeks	initiate endo treatment	endo or monitor for vascularity	
2-3 weeks	clinical & x-ray eval	clinical & x-ray eval	
3-4 weeks	clinical & x-ray eval	clinical & x-ray eval	
6-8 weeks	clinical & x-ray eval	clinical & x-ray eval	
6 months	clinical & x-ray eval	clinical & x-ray eval	
1 year	clinical & x-ray eval	clinical & x-ray eval	
yearly for 5 years	clinical & x-ray eval	clinical & x-ray eval	













avulsion

Transport medium

- Hanks balanced salt solution
- Saliva
- Saline
- Milk
 - If nothing available can place within the buccal vestibule



Avoid the following:

- placement of the tooth in tap water (osmolality issue)
- wiping off the tooth surface
hard dental tissue & pulp

periodontal tissue

supporting bone

gingiva or oral mucosa

comminution of the alveolar socket
fracture of the alveolar socket wall
fracture of the alveolar process
fractures of the mandible or maxilla

supporting bone Comminution

comminution- alveolar bone

 reduce with digital manipulation
 if tooth can not be preserved, extract and graft site to preserve tissue

supporting fracture of socket wall

reduce
 rigid splint for 4 weeks
 primary teeth- may not need any treatment

supporting bone

fracture- alveolar process



closed reduction

- open reduction if segment is notably displaced
- stabilization for 4 weeks
- check teeth vitality and monitor

Follow Up Procedures for Fractured Permanent Teeth and Alveolar Fractures

	Crown Fracture		Crown-Root Fracture		Root Fracture	Alveolar Fracture
TIME	Uncomplicated	Complicated	Uncomplicated	Complicated	noot Hacture	Alveolar Hacture
4 Weeks					Splint removal*, clinical and radiographic control	Splint removal and clinical and radiographic controls
6-8 Weeks	Clinical and radiographic control	Clinical and radiographic control	Clinical and radiographic control	Clinical and radiographic control	Clinical and radiographic control	Clinical and radiographic control
4 Months					Splint removal**, clinical and radiographic control	Clinical and radiographic control
6 Months					Clinical and radiographic control	Clinical and radiographic control
1 Year	Clinical and radiographic control	Clinical and radiographic control	Clinical and radiographic control	Clinical and radiographic control	Clinical and radiographic control	Clinical and radiographic control
Yearly for 5 Years					Clinical and radiographic control	Clinical and radiographic control

*Splint removal in apical third and mid-root fractures; **Splint removal with a root fracture near the cervical area

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Follow Up Procedures for Luxated Permanent Teeth

TIME	Concussion/Subluxation	Extrusion	Lateral Luxation	Intrusion
2 Weeks	Splint removal (if applied for subluxation) Clinical and radiographic examination	Splint removal Clinical and radiographic examination	Clinical and radiographic examination	Clinical and radiographic examination
4 Weeks	Clinical and radiographic examination	Clinical and radiographic examination	Splint removal Clinical and radiographic examination	Splint removal Clinical and radiographic examination
6-8 Weeks	Clinical and radiographic examination	Clinical and radiographic examination	Clinical and radiographic examination	Clinical and radiographic control
6 Months	Clinical and radiographic examination	Clinical and radiographic examination	Clinical and radiographic examination	Clinical and radiographic examination
1 Year	Clinical and radiographic examination	Clinical and radiographic examination	Clinical and radiographic examination	Clinical and radiographic examination
2-5 Years	Yearly up to 5 years	Yearly up to 5 years	Yearly up to 5 years	Yearly up to 5 years

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hard dental tissue & pulp

periodontal tissue

supporting bone

gingiva or oral mucosa

laceration of gingiva or oral mucosa contusion of gingiva or oral mucosa abrasion of gingiva or oral mucosa

splinting techniques

splinting- acid etch resin splint

light cured preferred to allow time bridge: resin or wire (28g)



splinting- semirigid splint

- resin with waxed dental floss, suture, flexible braided ortho wire or monofilament nylon line
- kevlar
- fiber splints (fiber force)- use with protemp material for more movement
- Iteration flexible wire composite splints
- titanium splints

splinting- semirigid splint

Once tooth has been repositioned, the patient bites into a softened pink wax plate that has been previously rolled one or two times. This will ensure that the luxated (or avulsed) tooth stays in place while being splinted. In this case fishing line was used as the splint.



splinting- semirigid splint

fishing line splints





Splint Time for Various Types of Injuries

Type of Injury	Splinting Time	
Subluxation	2 weeks	
Extrusive luxation	2 weeks	
Avulsion	2 weeks	
Lateral luxation	2 weeks	
Intrusion	4 weeks	
Root fracture (middle 1/3)	4 weeks	
Alveolar fracture	4 weeks	
Root fracture (cervical 1/3)	4 months	

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Andreasen - Denmark

AAE Trauma Guidelines

http://www.nxtbook.com/nxtbooks/aae/traumaguidelines/#/16

Prior trauma 4 months ago Presents following pulpectomy procures performed by his restorative dentist

- Tooth #8: horizontal root fx in the cervical area with +2 mobility
- Tooth #9: Tooth fragment rebonded. ++percussion, 0 mobility, - apical palpation



First appointment

- placed Ca(OH)2 tooth #8, 9
- stabilized teeth with non rigid splint
- Second appointment (2 weeks later)
- Tooth #8: +2 mobility,
 + tenderness palpation no swelling.
- Tooth #9: Asymptomatic. RCT #9 completed







Third Visit (emergency visit)

- Traumatized tooth #8 debonded coronal segment #8
- Atraumatic extraction and immediate implant placement
- Bonded coronal segment to existing arch wire for esthetics



- Number one placed implant in the world (#2 in the US)
- SLA surface full integration within 6-8 weeks
- SLActive surface has full integration within 6-8 weeks
- Roxolid surface -
 - first Titanium-Zirconium alloy material
 - High tensile strength
 - improved osseointegration over other titanium implants



- Faster osseointegration due to hydrophilic properties
- Reduced healing times from 6-8 weeks to 3-4 weeks
- Increased predictability in stability-critical protocols
 - smokers
 - diabetics



Prior trauma as a child recalls getting hit in the mouth by a swing a the playground. **CC: My tooth is yellow**

- IOE: WNL no swelling or erythema present
- Tooth #8: Non vital to pulp test (Cold NR, 80 EPT)



Pulp Canal Obliteration

- Andreasen reported an increased incidence of PCO after orthodontic band fixation of traumatized teeth.
 - Assumed that band application might have caused displacement of root with compression of the apical vessels.
 - Orthodontic intrusive movements are considered to have the greatest impact on the apical region and plural blood supply.
 - PCO was found in all luxation categories with 69% of the teeth demonstrating yellow crown discoloration

Andreasen FM, Yu Z, Thomsen BI, Andersen PK. Occurrence of pulp canal obliteration after luxation injuries in the permanent dentition. Endod Dent Traumatol 1987;3:103-5.

















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Prior trauma playing football CC: My tooth is discolored

- IOE: WNL no swelling or erythema present
- Tooth #8: Non vital to pulp test (Cold NR, 80 EPT)







Internal Bleaching "Walking Bleach Technique

Opalescence Endo - Ultradent

- 35% hydrogen peroxide
- 3-5 day treatment

Before starting procedure be certain to place a GI on the floor of the chamber and seal the obturation from penetration of the hydrogen peroxide















CC: "It hurts when I chew."

Referred for possible retreatment of tooth #14.



Clinical examination:

- Tooth #12: WNL
- Tooth #13: +percussion, Cold WNL.
- Tooth #14: +percussion,
 apical palpation
- Tooth #15: percussion
 Cold WNL





Radiographic examination:

CBCT findings:







Prior trauma 3 months ago fell off swing resulting in extrusion of both teeth. Pediatric dentist splinted teeth for 2 weeks however they were not able to reposition the teeth.

CC: Swelling

- IOE: buccal swelling in area of both #8 and 9 with sulcular drainage
- Tooth #8 & 9: Cold NR, 80 EPT ++percussion, + apical palpation



Revascularization / Pulpal Regeneration

Case selection:

- Necrotic with immature apex
- Pulp space not needed for post space
- compliant patient/parent

Alternative: MTA apexification or extraction at later date

Goals:

- 1. eliminate symptoms
- 2. increased root wall thickness and/or increased root length
- 3. + Response to vitality testing



Revascularization / Pulpal Regeneration First visit:

- Local anesthetic, Isolation
- Diluted NaOCI irrigation
- Dry canals
- CaOH2
- Temporization

Rx: Penn VK Children <12 years: 25-50 mg/ kg/day in divided doses every 6-8 (maximum 3 g/day) - warm compresses





Revascularization / Pulpal Regeneration

Second visit: 4 weeks

- Local anesthetic: NO EPI
- EDTA irrigation
- NaOCI
- Dry canals
- Stimulate bleeding up canal
 - very challenging
- MTA over clot (Collagen matrix first over the blood clot) now using L-PRF membrane
- Temporization





Revascularization / Pulpal Regeneration

12 month recall

- Patient was seen monthly to monitor healing and change temporary filling
- Tooth #8: vital to pulp testing. thickening of root noted with incomplete apical formation
- Tooth #9: vital to pulp testing with complete root formation




Revascularization / Pulpal Regeneration









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