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Dental implant

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Dental caries and periodontal disease have historically been considered the most important global oral health burdens. More recent epidemiological data seem to show an increasing trend of tooth loss due to periodontal reasons rather than caries; the presence of initial attachment loss, bone height and the habit of smoking significantly increase the risk of tooth mortality. A dental implant is a titanium screw which is placed into bone to replace missing teeth. The implant mimics the root of a tooth in function. A key advance in dentistry has been the flourishing replacement of lost natural teeth by osseointegrated implants and the current and future application of implants to support intra- and extra-oral prostheses is a great implication in restoring dental health.

Biography

Rohit Agrawal completed his Bachelor of Dental surgery (BDS) from MS Ramaiah Dental College, Bangalore, and Karnataka. His Post Graduation (MDS) in Oral Medicine and Radiology from People's College of Dental Sciences and Research Center, Bhopal and he is a Reader in the Dept. of Oral Medicine and Radiology at the Maharana Pratap College of Dentistry and Research Centre, Gwalior. He is a Permanent member in Indian Academy of Oral Medicine & Radiology, Indian Dental Association, international congress of Dento-maxillofacial radiology and also an Affiliate member in "American Dental Association.

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