

Endodontic Microbiology: A Bibliometric Analysis of the Top 50 Classics

Abstract (600 word limit)

Importance of Research(200 words)

Endodontic microbiology is a vast, interesting, and widely explored area of dentistry . The pulpal and peri-radicular infections are mediated by the formation of biofilm. This biofilm is located in areas that are inaccessible to mechanical cleansing of the root canal system. If these pathogenic microbes persist and are not appropriately removed there is a high chance of postendodontic treatment failure. It has been suggested that every endodontic infection is polymicrobial, i.e., it is a collective outcome of multiple microbes which leads to pathogenesis . Hence, understanding the nature of this polymicrobial infection is very important to ensure its removal and success of endodontic treatment. In this advancing era of digital libraries and the availability of diverse research materials in the fields of dentistry from different parts of the world, citation analysis has emerged to play a significant role in recognition of the most useful areas of research. Endodontic microbiology has been a topic of interest not only for endodontists but also for periodontists and oral surgeons.



Biography (200 words)

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University of Tunis El Manar (UTM), founded in 2000, offers a wide range of degrees in law, literature, environmental sciences, health sciences, medicine, economics, engineering and technology, sciences, humanities, IT, social sciences. It is one of the best universities in Tunisia .The University of Tunis El Manar is a multidisciplinary university in which most of the scientific fields are represented: fundamental sciences, engineering sciences and technology, economics, legal sciences, human sciences, computer sciences, medical and paramedical sciences. In order to adjust to the new social and economic realities and respond to the new daily

requirements, the University of Tunis El Manar, in accordance with the trends of the National Higher Education in Tunisia and the Barcelona process, adopted the education system of the LMD (Bachelor, Master and Doctorate “phd”) since 2006..

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