Varios Perio Tips are thin and designed for root planing and maintenance (breaking up biofilm), to provide the best access to furcation and curved roots.

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THE PHILOSOPHY OF ULTRASONIC TREATMENTS IN PERIODONTICS

Since the beginning of time, man has continually sought to push his boundaries. The desire for progress and the use of new technologies is particularly challenging for dentists who must now be able to integrate periodontics into their general practice.

While conventional, non-surgical treatment is considered as the "Gold Standard", the fact remains that if access to a certain site is difficult, disinfection is not comprehensive and the quality of the curettage is still sometimes insufficient. These manual treatments are often tedious for the dentist and uncomfortable for the patient.

Knowledge and understanding of ultrasonics and advances in the design of micro-tips are just some of the elements which mark the superiority of the ultrasonics treatment (Kocher, 1997 Gagnot et al in 1999 Gagnot, JPIO 2002) and push the boundaries of periodontal surgery. (Brent Scott et al 1999, Himeno 1994)(Ishikawa and Baehni, 2004; Heitz-Mayfield 2005) We understand that the chances of reattachment and regeneration are related to the biocompatibility of tissues (cementum, gingival wall, periodontal ligament). Therefore the clinical

challenge lines of resource (contention), gingval wan, periodontai ngamenis, meetoen the clinicat challenge lines of the source of the biofilm and plaque retention elements (mineralised debris), while protecting tissues vital to healing (Goncalves and coll, 2008) (Fuzaka and Nishimura 1994. Smart et al 1990).

Unlike other systems, the piezoelectric system provides a tip movement in the spindle of the handpiece. This movement controls the tip and allows the status of the surfaces to be respected by limiting iatrogenic effects. (Joki Kasthira et al 92) The preserved tissues will allow the formation of a new attachment.

This control of ultrasonics and the movement of the tip allows us to tackle the idea of "tissue ecology", preserving the periodontal environment in order to permit long-term healing.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE USE OF MICRO-TIPS IN PERIODONTICS

These usage recommendations aim to increase the effectiveness of the vibrating action and develop tactile sensitivity. These concepts are fundamental in optimising the effectiveness of the debridement.

ERGONOMICS

Adjustment in perio mode at low speed Micro-irrigation adjustment. Brush socket of the handpiece with three fingers: thumb on the NSK handpiece of the handpiece



Easing the weight of the cord Perioral pressure points

USING the tips

Light lateral pressure against the cemental surface Work on the last two mm Put in the salient line on the root surface (Viguier photos: file position 2mm from the tip) Always remain in contact with the surface Remember the concept of methodical, slow, limited scanning Coronary access and lateral access of hard deposits.

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PRESENTATION OF THE RANGE OF **MICRO-TIPS IN PERIODONTICS**

The micro-tips used in the treatment of periodontitis (reference P) are different from the non-specialised tips (reference G) used on enamel for scaling. The P micro-tips are used at low speeds in order to reduce iatrogenic effects on the cementum and to develop the dentist's tactile sensitivity. ■ Scaling Tips ⇒P.8-11

The profile of the tip's active area, located in the last 2mm, allows us to differentiate between them. A suitable profile makes it possible to work effectively at low speeds in deep pockets without injected anaesthetic.

There are three main families of micro-tip: Curette micro-tips, round micro-tips and diamond micro-tips (ref Gilles Gagnot book). These tips are used carefully and methodically. (ref tables) Curette micro-tips (P10, P26R, P26L) are used in the initial stages of treatment. Round (P1, P20, P21R, P21L, P25R, P25L) and composite (V-P10) micro-tips are appropriate for the maintenance stage and diamond micro-tips (P1D, P2D, P3D) are kept for the treatment of abscesses, persistent inflammatory and furcation areas. ■Perio Tips ⇒ P.18-27

The table presents the different indications for each of the tips and their usage speed.

This guide gives details of the tips in combination with clinical videos in order to improve the learning curve.

The equipment offered by NSK is suited to the implementation of current cleaning techniques by fully meeting the specifications.

| | Scaling tip | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| TIP No. | G1 | G2 | G3 | G4 | G5 | G6 | G8 | G11 | G12 | G13 |
| Mode selection | G | G | G | G | G | G | G | G | G | G |
| Single rooted | | | • | • | | | | | | 0 |
| Multirooted | | | | | | | | | | |
| Removal supra gingival tartar | | | | | | | | | | |
| Removal tartar interdental narrow space | | | | | | | | | | |
| Removal marginal gingival calculus | | | | | | | | | | |
| Removal tartar in deep gingival | | | | | | | | | | |
| Removal gingival biofilm | | | | | | | | | | |
| Removal on Biofilm furcation area | | | | | | | | | | |
| Removal of Implant Biofilm | | | | | | | | | | |
| Removal on junction biofilm prosthetic tooth | | | | | | | | | | |
| Removal on biofilm dental erosion | | | | | | | | | | |
| Incising of furcations | | | | | | | | | | |
| Incising of abscess | | | | | | | | | | |
| Peeling internal wall of pocket | | | | | | | | | | |

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| | Micro tip round | | | | Mic | ro tip Cu | Micro tip diamonded | | | |
|--|-----------------|-----|--------|--------|-------|-----------|---------------------|--------|-----|--------|
| TIP No. | P1 | P20 | P21R/L | P25R/L | V-P10 | P10 | P11R/L | P26R/L | P1D | P2D/3D |
| Mode selection | Р | Р | Р | Р | Р | Р | Р | Р | Р | Р |
| Single rooted | | 0 | | 0 | | | | | | 0 |
| Multirooted | | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | • | | | 0 |
| Removal supra gingival tartar | | | | | | | | | | |
| Removal tartar interdental narrow space | | | | | | | | | | |
| Removal marginal gingival calculus | | | | | | | | | | |
| Removal tartar in deep gingival | | | | | | | | | | |
| Removal gingival biofilm | | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | • | | | |
| Removal on Biofilm furcation area | | | | 0 | | | | | | |
| Removal of Implant Biofilm | | | | | | | | | | |
| Removal on junction biofilm prosthetic tooth | | | | | | | | | | |
| Removal on biofilm dental erosion | | | | | | | | | | |
| Incising of furcations | | | | | | | | | | |
| Incising of abscess | | | | | | | | | | |
| Peeling internal wall of pocket | | | | | | | | | | 0 |

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Single rooted / Multi rooted

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Single

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Cross Section Diagram



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* Cross section diagram is the image of a point 1 mm from the end. The illustrated tip diagram is four times bigger than the actual size. P26R *Removal of tartar narrow interdental space. *Removal of tartar in deep gingival. *Removal of gingival biofilm. *Removal of Biofilm furcation area. *Debridement of furcations





P26L •Removal of tartar narrow interdental space. •Removal of tartar in deep gingival. •Removal of gingival biofilm. •Removal of Biofilm furcation area. •Debridement of furcations.



P25R / P25L / P26R / P26L (From above)



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