6. Bone Level or Tissue Level Implants?

Case study

A **67-year-old** patient in good health. latrogenic removable prostheses in the mouth.

Would like a comfortable, fixed oral rehabilitation.

The proposed treatment plan includes the placement of Axiom® BL (Bone Level implants with Simplant® surgical guide on maxilla (bone increase graft with sinus lift refused) and Axiom® TL (Tissue Level) implant in mandible with immediate loading and functional reconstruction in the two sectors.



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1_ Pre-operative panoramic X-ray.



2_ Implant projection (Simplant®).



6- T0 + 4 months: Healing.



7- Transfers pick up Ø 4.0 mm.



11- Superstructure for fitting with inLink[®] fitting locks.



12_ Fitting the superstructure with inLink® fitting locks.



16- Fitting the superstructure, frontal view in occlusion.

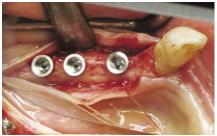


17- Ceramic superstructure (Jérôme Ozenne dental lab).

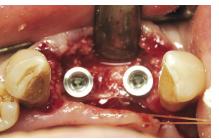


21 - Final smile.

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3_ T0: pre-operative situation of Axiom® TL (Tissue Level) implants.



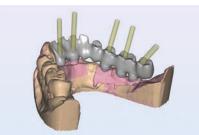
4_ T0: pre-operative situation of Axiom® TL (Tissue Level) implants.



5- T0 + 48h: immediate loading (extraction of 43).



8_ Aesthetic recording (Ditramax®).



9_ Simeda® CAD model.



10_ Co-Cr frame (Simeda®).



13_**14**_**15**_**16**_ Fitting the Simeda® superstructure, molar sector.



14- Palatal view of the Simeda[®] superstructure in the mouth.



15- Fitting the superstructure, vestibular view of the incisive sector.



18- Permanent inLink[®] fixing locks in place.



19- Functional prosthesis.



20_ Panoramic X-ray after functional loading.

Conclusion

The placement of bi-maxillary implants was carried out at the same time the impression was taken for the placement of the bridges in view of immediate loading.

We note a significant difference in the surgical and prosthetic execution time with Axiom[®] TL (Tissue Level) implants (mandible) and the new inLink[®] connection compared to the Axiom[®] BL (Bone Level) implants with Multi-Unit abutments (maxillary):

- better management of the surgical tray by the assistants,
- simplified execution of prosthetic procedure by the prosthetic technician
- improved comfort for the patient and the practitioner, thanks to a faster procedure.