STUDY RESTORATION

Shock absorption testing using COLTENE BRILLIANT Crios sample crowns

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STUDY AIM

Shock absorbing capacity of BRILLIANT Crios compared to zirconia, silicate ceramic and metal.

EXPERIMENTAL SETUP

Four BRILLIANT Crios crowns were produced by COLTENE according to the specifications of M. Menini. The experimental setup for testing the crowns was according "Int J Prosthodont 26, 549, Menini et al., Shock Absorption Capacity of Restorative Materials for Dental Implant Protheses: An In Vitro Study. The maximum force transmitted onto a simulated peri-implant bone was determined with following materials:

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<th>Material Class</th>
<th>BRILLIANT Crios</th>
<th>Ney-Oro CB ³</th>
<th>Empress 2 ³</th>
<th>Procera Zirconia ³</th>
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<tr>
<td>Manufacturer</td>
<td>COLTENE</td>
<td>Dentsply Sirona</td>
<td>Ivoclar Vivadent</td>
<td>Nobel Biocare</td>
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<td>E-Modulus /GPa</td>
<td>10.3 ²</td>
<td>77 ¹</td>
<td>96 ¹</td>
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1 Int J Prosthodont 26, 549, Menini et al., Shock Absorption Capacity of Restorative Materials for Dental Implant Protheses: An In Vitro Study
2 Menini, report to COLTENE
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RESULT

No fractures of the samples occurred during the test. All BRILLIANT Crios crowns showed a shock-absorbing behavior similar to composite resin materials tested in previously published studies. BRILLIANT Crios showed up to 57% lower stress transmission compared to zirconia, around 43% less transmission than silicate ceramic and 19% less compared to metal alloys.