



## **Dental Hygiene and Epidemiology**

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### **Message from the Guest Editors**

Oral hygiene is very crucial for all disciplines of dentistry; good oral hygiene is important for prosthodontic patients, surgical patients, pediatric patients, restorative patients, and orthodontic patients.

Oral Epidemiology allows the analysis of the causes and effects of oral disease conditions by identifying risk factors for disease and targets for preventive healthcare. Epidemiology research could help clinicians in the understanding of disease causation, investigation and surveillance.

Potential topics include, but are not limited to, the following research areas:

- Periodontal disease
- Plaque composition
- Plaque removal
- Prevention
- Teaching
- Diet supplementation
- Brushing techniques
- Laser-assisted treatments
- Fluoride
- Sealants
- Oral hygiene control in prosthodontic patients
- Oral hygiene control in surgical patients
- Oral hygiene control in pediatric patients
- Oral hygiene control in restorative patients
- Oral hygiene control in orthodontic patients
- Whitening systems

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