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My journey to digital: One-day Cerec Smile-makeover

Our clinic specializes in esthetic dentistry in Seoul, and served numerous K-Pop stars and celebrities since 2001. Our in-house-lab was well known for hand-made, pressed lithium-disilicate prosthesis. Recently, from 2 years ago, I adopted Dentsply Sirona Cerec® Primescan® and Prime mill® system for our smile-makeover cases, also for the day to day dentistry. From simple veneer fracture replacement to full-mouth rehabilitation, I use both conventional way of prosthetic protocol such as PVS impression, stone model, ceramic pressing technique, as well as digital way, which is scan, design, mill and crystallization in our in-house-lab. There are both positive sides and also limitations of utilizing Cerec system on the smile makeover cases. Prep design and approach is slightly different, and there are couple tools and clinical tips I'd like to provide toward the clinicians who are interested in new wave of digital dentistry. Materials of CAD/CAM blocks currently on the market will be reviewed, case selection tips, indication and contraindications will be covered. Through several cases series, I can share my own clinical protocol and tips of esthetic dentistry will be shared, also as a clinic owner, I'd like to open and honestly discuss about the ROI of those expensive investment. I hope it can be helpful for the dentists who are tapping on the door of Cerec system implementation.

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Biography:

Dr. Hosan Park, DDS is a cosmetic dentist who treated lots of celebrities in Seoul. Currently his clinic is mainly focusing on smile makeover treatment with digital approach. Also he is a board-certified periodontist and implant surgeon (American Board of Periodontology) who graduated prestigious Columbia University College of Dental Medicine in New York, Postdoctoral Periodontics with achieving Kenneth L. Siegel Scholarship award. He has strong familial dental background having prosthodontist father and orthodontist mother. Previously, Dr. Park also served as an Affiliate Faculty of University of Washington School of Dentistry.