

Basic periodontal examination essay



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Therefore, in the same way that there is a definitive list of items for the spotter, the notations below will become a definitive list.

There are different charting systems available, this document will cover: a. United Kingdom (I-J) b. International Dental Federation (FED) Basic Periodontal Examination (BEE) As the chart is probably the most important dental record of a patient's condition, it is vital that dental nurses know how to chart. UNBEND acknowledges that there are a number of systems and software used to record charting. It also recognizes that there are local and regional differences in registering patient details. The following notations are to be used when completing a written chart for the National Certificate Examination, and interpreting a charting in the Independent Assessment.

A chart is a diagrammatic representation of the teeth showing all the surfaces of the teeth. The charts in the examination will be used to show: Teeth present Teeth missing Work to be carried out Work completed Surfaces with cavities and restorations etc. When charting, the mouth is looked on as being a flat line. The diagram is viewed, as you would examine the patient's mouth. 876543 2 2 345 5678 678 abaca b Cd Most charts have an inner and outer grid. UNBEND has introduced a new grid, which will make clear the work that has been completed in the mouth and the work which needs to be done. An example of the grid is given below. Present Dental Status and work completed The inner grid is for present dental status and work already present in the mouth.

The outer grid is for work to be carried out.