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Presentation Title: SINGLE TOOTH IMPLANT RESTORATION: A SUCCESSFUL OUTCOME WHEN REPLACING SINGLE MISSING TEETH VERSUS THREE-UNIT FIXED BRIDGE

In the last four decades, osseo-integration has evolved and has shown remarkable success in the replacement of single missing teeth in the dental arch. The three-unit fixed partial denture has shown long standing rate of success and has been a means to restore single missing tooth to bring back aesthetics and foundation. This lecture will discuss why a single tooth implant restoration has a more conservative result in preserving the arch integrity than a three unit fixed partial denture. Although the indication will still rely on the patients' need, finance and expectation. Predictability is the key to long term treatment option.