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ADVANCES IN ORTHODONTIC RETENTION DURING COVID - 19: WHATS ON THE HORIZON?

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Abstract

Abstract: On routine dental practice on of the greatest challenge an orthodontist faces during post-orthodontic treatment in relapse. Orthodontic retention is one of the crucial part of orthodontic treatment. Over the past two decades' various techniques, methods, biomedical agents have been introduced that help in orthodontic retention. This article gives a brief idea focuses on the underlying mechanics and mechanism of these biological agents and techniques to reduce the rate of relapse on treated patients without the need of retainers and the effects of COVID 19 pandemic on orthodontic retention.

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