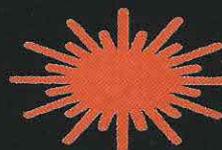




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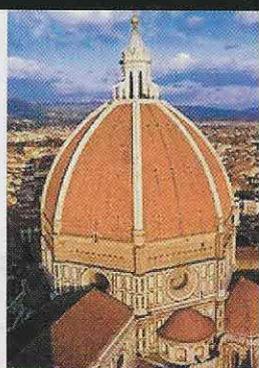
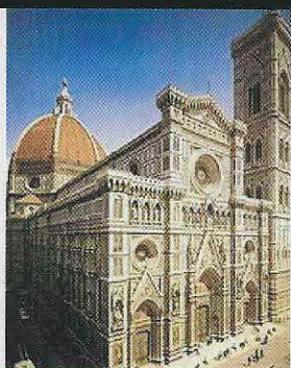
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days after seeding the specimens were prepared for scanning electron microscopy analysis and the cells at the electronmicrographs were counted. The data obtained in triplicate were statistically compared by the Kruskal-Wallis test complemented by the Dunn test ($p < 0,05$). Results: The human gingival fibroblasts adhered and grew on all treated surfaces. The group B presented a significantly higher cell number than the other two groups at days 1 and 2. Three days after seeding the cultures of groups A and B reached total confluence. The cell number of group B were significantly higher than those of group C.

Conclusions: The surfaces treated with Er:YAG laser irradiation (3 J/cm^2) promoted faster adhesion and growth than surfaces treated either with root planing or Er:YAG laser irradiation (5 J/cm^2).

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Three year retrospective study using the Diode laser for soft tissue management

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Objective: To examine the results of diode laser therapy for phase one periodontal care in a Soft Tissue Management program.

Materials and Methods: Fifty-two patients were drawn from a pool of one hundred eleven treated in initial therapy for periodontal disease. Two diode lasers were used by the clinician for the study: a Diolase ST diode laser (emission wavelength 800-830 nm, American Dental Technologies, Corpus Christi, TX) and a Diodent diode laser (emission wavelength 800-830 nm, Continuum Biomedical, Santa Clara, CA.) A Marquis periodontal probe was used by the same clinician to measure pocket depths pre and post therapy. All patients in the study were treated in the following sequence: 1) Anesthesia as necessary, 2) ultrasonic scaling with an antimicrobial irrigant of chlorhexidine, 0.12%, of the hard tissue surfaces, 3) hand instrumentation of those same surfaces with curettes as necessary, 4) laser removal of the diseased sulcular epithelium using a 300 or 320 micron initiated fiber at a power setting of 0.4 W continuous wave for 15-20 seconds per site, 5) laser hemostasis and bacterial reduction using the same initiated fiber at a power setting of 0.6-0.8 W continuous wave for 10 seconds per site, 6) irrigation of the treated areas with ultrasonically delivered antimicrobial irrigant, chlorhexidine 0.12%, and 7) post-operative and home care instructions. The healing assessment was done at three months post-therapy with the periodontal pockets measured and recorded.

Results: The tissue tone was excellent, there was no bleeding on probing and the pocket depths had decreased from 1-5mm overall.

Conclusion: Incorporating the diode laser into phase one non-surgical periodontal therapy is an excellent choice since clinical observations and studies are demonstrating good results. With training and experience, the clinician can successfully offer this therapy and effectively help his or her patients maintain optimum periodontal health.

A clinical case study will be presented.

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Effect of high intensity diode laser irradiation on growth of human gingival fibroblasts

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Purpose: Diode lasers present some advantages over the other surgical lasers. The equipments are more compact and can also be used in low intensity laser therapy. The aim of this study is to analyze a possible biostimulatory effect of the diode laser on human cultured gingival fibroblasts.

Material and Methods: The cell line FMM1 was grown in Dulbecco* modified Eagle medium. Laser irradiation was carried out with a GaAlAs diode laser (wavelength: 808 nm, power output: 3.5 W, Zap Lasers, CA, USA). The irradiation was done in a defocused and continuous wave mode using a fiber of 400 micrometers. The experiments were done in triplicate (Group 1: non-irradiated cells; Group 2: cells irradiated with 3 J/cm^2 ; and Group 3: cells irradiated with 4 J/cm^2). The data of the growth curves were analyzed by statistical means.

Results and Conclusion: The defocused diode laser irradiation used as low intensity laser therapy presents biostimulatory effect on growth of human gingival fibroblasts.