Paediatric dentistry III

Treatment procedures in primary dentition























Skull of a child at about 2 1/2 years

- Frontal view

 Erupted primary dentition relation between primary teeth and buds of permanent teeth. Crowns of second premolars are not mineralised yet at this age.



Lateral view

Skull of a child at about 8 years

 First permanent incisors and molars are erupted, second permanent incisors in different stages of eruption.



Frontal view

Lateral

view

Skull of a child at about 10 years

Frontal view

 Permanent dentition before completion of eruption.
 Primary teeth in different stages of resorption.



Age: 0-1 month,- 1 year1-4 yearsNewborns,Succlings,Toddlers

Caries shortly after eruption

- primarily inferior quality of enamel
- dummy with honey circulary caries
- sweetened drinks in the night

Pre-school age

Complete primary dentition



4-6 years

+ I. permanent molars+ lower permanent incisors

occlusal surfaces approximal surfaces

Early school age



- **Caries in primary molars**
- Caries in primary canines
- Risk of caries transfer to permanent molars immature enamel



Radiolucency confined to enamel (up to ¹/₂- caries incipiens)



Radiolucency in enamel up to enamel-dentine junction



Radiolucency in enamel and outer half of dentine (caries superficialis)



Radiolucency in enamel and reaching to inner half of dentine (caries pulp. prox.)

Diagrammatic representations of caries on bitewing radiographs.

Developmental stages of root





Dental caries - primary dentition

Caries depth



a) 3 years b) 6 years



2 mm — molar a) car. pulp. proxima b) caries media

Occlusal caries



diameter of the bur - 1 mm, depth - 0,5 mm in dentin

Filling

silver amalgam + cement - exceptionally

GIC+ Dycal (alkaline cement) GIC

Compomer

Composite resin (+ dentine adhesive, or capping of pulpal wall with alkaline cement)

Working procedure

- hand instruments
- Iow revolutions
- minimal pressure
- checking of the cavity
- Compomer
- Composite resin
- GIC or GIC + base alkaline cement

Approximal caries

caries media – marginal ridge is not affected otherwise caries pulpae proxima or caries penetrans

The filling should include

retention

resistency

Neighbouring tooth has to be investigated isthmus - 1/3 of the intercuspal distance not less than 1,5 mm

gingival wall 1 mm point of contact has to be in filling





Dental pulp must not be threatened





Mesial horn – easy perforation





























Errors during preparation – class II cavity.



- A. Insufficient preventive extention fissure complex not invoved totally in the preparation.
- B. Excessively involved cusps loss of hard tissues
- c. Isthmus too large greater than 1/3 of the intercuspal distance
- D. Approximal walls divergent too much: the cause of following errors
- E. The angle between axial and buccal/lingual walls too great
- F. gingivally small extension point of contact is not in the filling (in the gingival region)
- G. gingival wall too great mesio-distally more than než l mm





loss of wall convergence



too deep shoulder preparation

consequence - dental pulp exposure



dental pulp exposure (horn)

ClassIII.

Access opening from the labial surface, the size of cavity is given by the caries extent

Access opening in primary maxillary canines may be from the palatatal surface, in mandibular canines from vestibular surface.

The dovetail is usually placed to the strong marginal ridge, not directly to the oral surface



Class IV.

- Not very frequent
- Crown must not be restored esthetically cover the dentin wound
- Teeth before shedding grinding of approximal surface, impregnation by fluorides



Filling in class III. and IV.

- Composite resin + etching technique
- glassionomer cement
- compomers

A.R.T. - Alternative Restorative Treatment

- New attitude to caries treatment for use in developing countries (1990)
- Originally no machine driven preparation
 - Removal of soft demineralized tooth tissue
 - Only hand instruments
 - Application of GIC filling material (+ alkaline cement)
- Method recommended by WHO for treatment of teeth in areas of the world where dentistry was inaccessible (South-East Asia, Afrika).
- May be used for treatment of uncooperative children.
 - Minimal preparation
 - Hand instruments or micromotor (low speed)
 - Carious masses have to be removed
 - Filling material
 Ketac Molar (finger press technique)
 - Físsures sealing
 Ketac Molar
- □ Very good results class I. a V. cavities, acceptable in class II. cavities
- □ Class III. and IV. not very successfull cause unknown
- **Better any cure than untreated caries!**







Glassionomer cements in Pediatric Dentistry

Properties and indications

- 1. Fissure sealing
- 2. Base for amalgam and composite resin fillings
- 3. Crown cementation (stainless steel)

bonding to metals

- 4. Cementation of orthodontic appliances
- Restauration of primary teeth replacement of amalgam
 - minimal occlusial caries
 - approximal preparation (buccal, lingual access)
 - tunnel preparation
 - minimal preparation in incisors

Properties of GIC

- abrasion
 - Of the same rapidity as enamel (x amalgam)
- resistance
 - Iow, weak link transition between occlusion and axial wall
- fluoride ions release
 - inhibition of microbs in plaque
 - enamel resistance increase
- light cured advantage for children

Properties of GIC enable their usage as esthetic filling in frontal region

Buccal access

- caries localization localization aproximally, gingivally
- marginal ridge is not affected or undermined
- caries is not very extensive
- dove tail is not prepared in the occlusial surface, it is replaced by anchoring in the buccal wall
- **c** filling making requires the matrix

Tunnel preparation

- conditions
 - non affected marginal ridge
 - caries of small extent
- a. access round bur access channel – to extend bucco-lingually





b. removal of carious masses, matrix application + wedge



- c. esthetic improvement by composite resin(compomer) not necessary
- composite resin GIC

d. fissure complex has to be sealed

GIC

base for amalgam filling

- suitable in large losses of dentine
 - in dental pulp vicinity + alkaline cement

base for composite resin filling

- before composite resin application- roughen mechanically or etching
- application to dental pulp vicinity or direct contact has to be avoid

restauration of primary teeth

- Ketac Molar or other GIC, especially resin reinforced
 - filling materials reinforced by metals
 - Ketac Silver
 - Miracle-Mix
- approximal caries
 - preparation according to Black
 - tunnel preparation
 - buccal access

Preventive filling

1. sealant filling

 caries confined to enamel of pit or fissure, only sealant. The technique is used rather exceptionally, D1, D2, and D3 (just below dentino-enamel junction) are treated by prophylactic procedures)

2. preventive filling

- caries in pits and fissures, reaching to dentine
- preventive composite filling
- preventive glassionomer filling

indication:

- primary molars, premolars, permanent molars
- caries lesion D3
- small caries lesion

cotraindication:

 approximal caries on the treated tooth, more extensive caries (more than 1/3 of intercuspal distance), open approximal defects on any tooth, DMFT/dmft >5,







1. fissure too narrow not suitable

2. suitable fissure

3. wall protects the cement



Filling materials in Paediatric Dentistry

1. Silver amalgam

- used rather exceptionally (moisture)
- primary dentition
- permanent dentition
- the base necessary- not into direct contact with dentin of the pulpal wall

2. composite resins

- may be used but
- aprismatic enamel has to be removed or prolonged etching
- sealants

3. glassionomer cements (polyalkenoats)

- filling
- sealants
- tunnel preparation
- buccal access
- A.R.T.

4. compomer materials

may be used (dentine adhesives)

Filling materials in Paediatric Dentistry

5. cements

- zinkoxidsulfate
- zinkoxiphosphate
- zinkoxideugenol (Caryosan)
- karboxyl
- alkaline cements (with calcium hydroxide)

6. metals

- inlay
- crown

7. resin

crown

8. calcium hydroxide

large scale of usage

9. root canal filling materials

the main required property - resorbable