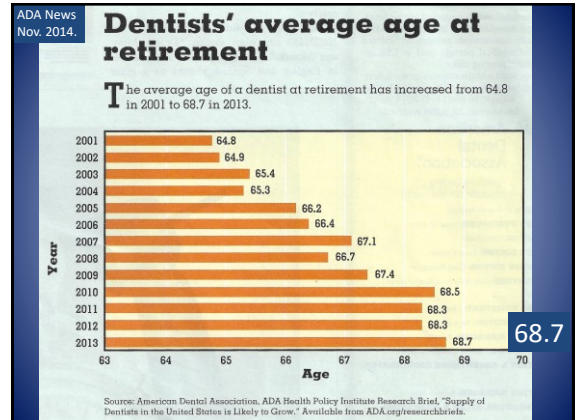


Don't plan on
retiring at 55.

Probably not at
60 or 65 either.



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Answer to 'how to do better':

- Lower expenses
- Increase marketing
 - Have a good website and be "search engine optimized"
 - have a Facebook page
- Add new products and services
- Do root canals, crowns, and dentures
- Pull teeth, even easier wisdom teeth
- Join insurance plans
- Use 3D CBCT
- Don't do gold (overhead too high)
- Place single root-form implants
- Do simple ortho, Invisalign
- Treat sleep apnea and snoring
- Make mouthguards

Level of competence....

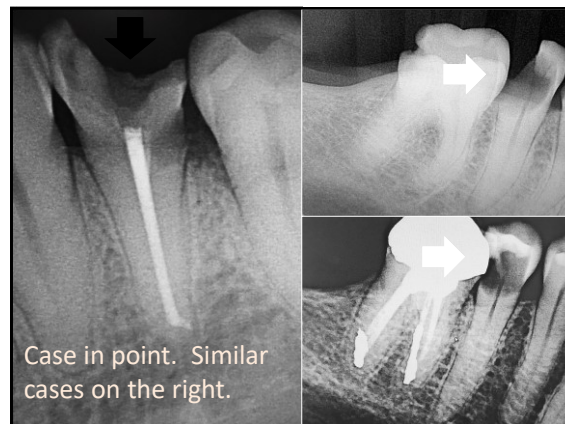
- Recent graduate: minimal experience.
- Recent graduate: experience with "surgical" extractions.
- Surgery oriented GPR, AEGD, or being taught clinically by an experienced "mentor".
- Years of experience doing and learning from many extractions.

What should you refer? Ask yourself:

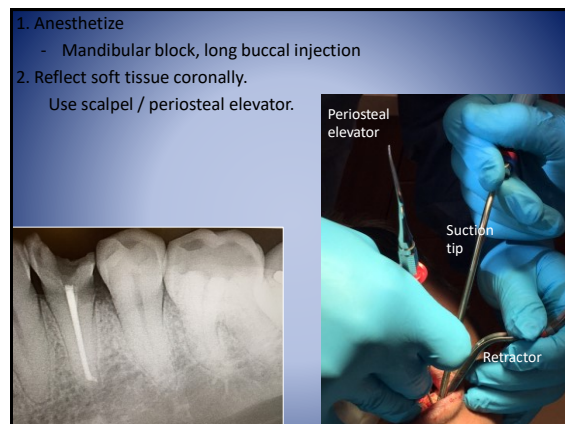
- What is your level of competence with exodontia?
- How stressful does it become?
- How long does it take you to remove a difficult tooth?
- What is in your comfort zone?

So, when do you refer? (Depends on your level.)

- Seriously medically compromised patient.
- Anxious patient, requiring IV sedation.
- Likely to take too much time.
- Likely to become "surgical" and outside your capability and "comfort" level.
- Predisposed to various complications.



Step-by-step “surgical” extraction of a brittle non-vital tooth, broken at the bone level, in the dense bone of a 60 year old.





3. 301 elevator (don't use where there is a crown [prosthesis] on the adjacent tooth)

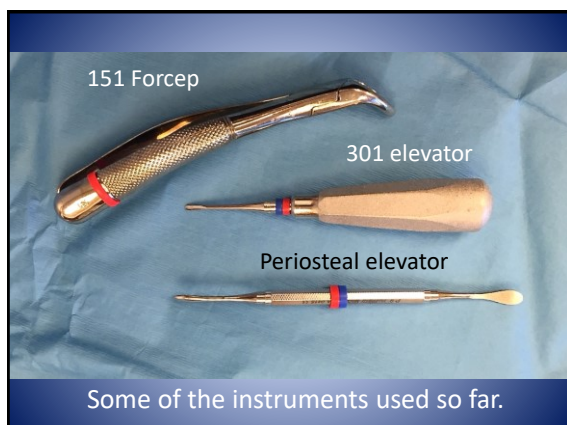
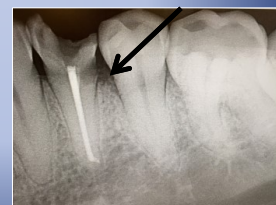
- mesial and distal, clockwise, counterclockwise, sustained pressure (8-10 seconds each direction)
- don't fulcrum against adjacent tooth
- Luxate for a few minutes

4. 151 forcep

- buccal – lingual, sustained pressure
- for a few minutes



**CROWN BROKE OFF
AT CRESTAL BONE LEVEL**



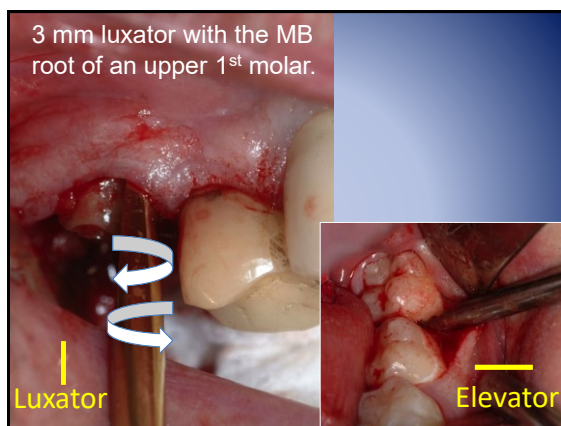
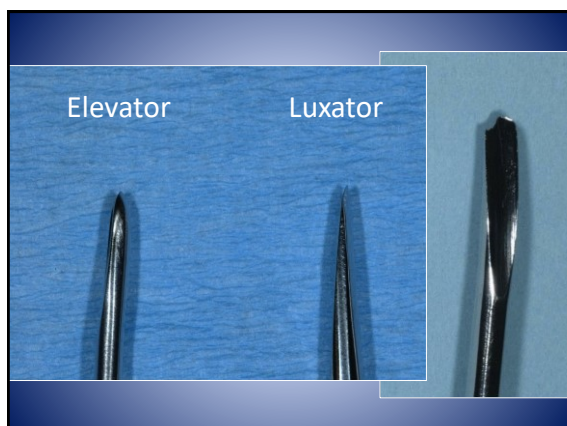
5. 3 mm wide straight Luxator.

- push and wiggle vertically into the PDL space about 4 mm deep
- mesial and distal only
- turn clockwise and counter-clockwise with "sustained" pressure
- for a few minutes

It worked here, **but** the patient was 30.



It usually works for a case like this but didn't here because of denser bone.



Don't try one modality for too long. When things aren't working for you (after 2-3 minutes), do something different.

Oral surgeons pride themselves in taking out teeth quickly.

When rules change that you can't remove facial bone to extract a tooth, how can you still do it in a short time?

You need a viable alternative to facial bone removal.

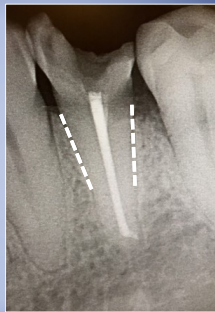
Solution: Periosteal (skinny) bur vertically into the PDL.



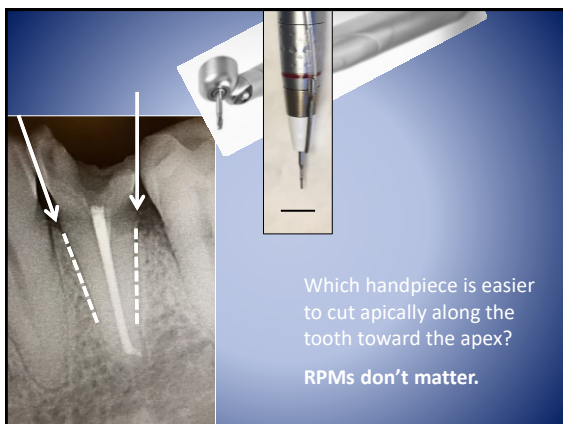
6. Use 700 (or 701) bur into the PDL
mesial and distal 2/3 to 3/4 of root length.

- half root, half bone removal
- only cut as wide as the bur

7. Then Luxator to depth (white lines)
- turn clockwise and counter-clockwise
(sustained pressure)
- for a few minutes



Only on mesial and distal.



Which handpiece is easier to cut apically along the tooth toward the apex?

RPMs don't matter.

"Another removal technique is to take a **long, thin diamond [or carbide]** and go around the tooth on the mesial, distal, and the palatal (if the bone is thick)."

"To preserve bone, it is preferable when creating a trough around the tooth, to **cut slightly into the tooth rather than the adjacent bone.**"



Cavallaro JS, Greenstein G and Tarnow DP.
Clinical pearls for surgical implant dentistry,
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ORAL SURGERY

Extracting Teeth in Preparation for Dental Implants

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The atraumatic removal of a tooth enhances patient comfort and preserves bone. Traditionally, the sequence for tooth removal after anesthesia consists of severing gingival fibers by running a periosteal elevator in the sulcus. Then an elevator is used to loosen the tooth, and forceps are employed to luxate it buccolingually, thereby expanding the alveolar socket and facilitating its removal. However, a tooth may be difficult to extract due to root length, root dilaceration, curved or bulbous roots, and thickness of supporting bone, ankylosis, or subcrestal fracture. Furthermore, if a site is to receive an implant, a tooth must be removed atraumatically to avoid fracturing walls of the alveolus, especially a thin buccal plate in the aesthetic zone. This article discusses tooth removal techniques which employ dental bur as adjunctive aids. In addition, various issues associated with extractions in preparation for dental implants are addressed.

Figure 1a. An extra-long carbide fissure bur (700XL [Salvin Dental Specialties]) is very efficient for sectioning teeth prior to extractions (No. 809 [Brasseler USA]).

Figure 1b. A diamond bur is also an efficient rotary instrument for sectioning teeth prior to extractions (No. 859 [Brasseler USA]).

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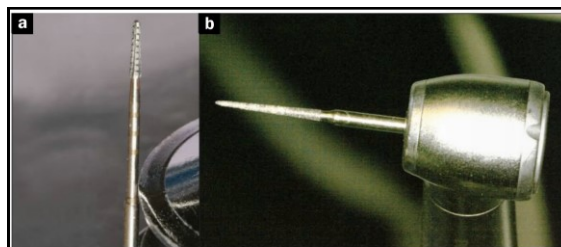


Figure 1a. An extra-long carbide fissure bur (700XL [Salvin Dental Specialties]) is very efficient for sectioning multirooted and single-rooted teeth.

Figure 1b. A diamond bur is also an efficient rotary instrument for sectioning teeth prior to extractions (No. 859 [Brasseler USA]).

Authors suggest: "Bur into the PDL -- up to three-quarters of the root length."

Be careful.

The 700 or 701 bur is slender and effective but is also weak and cannot be moved "off-angle" without breaking. It is not a "default" bur for surgery. That would be the 702.

5-8,000 rpm

60-100,000 rpm

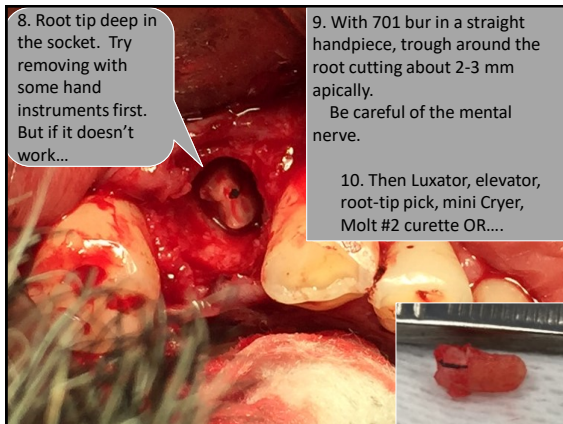
GP Slowspeed straight

OMS handpiece

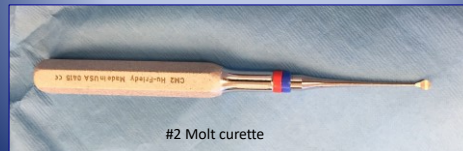
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= Another way.

ROOT FRACTURED, LEAVING A 7 MM LONG ROOT TIP.



Some other instruments used.



Algorithm for difficult single root.

- Good x-ray
- Sever soft tissue attachments
- Elevator
- Forcep
- Luxator or similar instrument (4 mm deep)
- Periotome bur then Luxator (mesial/distal)
- Root tip? Periotome bur
 - One side
 - Two sides
 - Circumferentially
 - Cut root tip in half
- Then elevator, Luxator, Molt #2 curette, root tip pic, or small Cryer....
- Optional: Periotome bur then Luxator – lengthwise through the whole root (facial/lingual cut)
- Hedstrom file if near sinus (for insurance)
- Semilunar flap/buccal window if anatomy conducive



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SECOND EDITION

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The following commentary highlights fundamental and commonly accepted practices on the subject matter. The information is intended as a general overview and is for

Educational Objectives

Following this unit of instruction, the practitioner should be able to:

1. Perform exodontia faster, easier, and more predictably.
2. Perform exodontia more atraumatically – with less bone removal and soft tissue manipulation.
3. Know about newer methods and devices that allow more effective oral surgery.
4. Perform oral surgery therapy in a way that causes less pain, swelling, and bleeding for patients.
5. Avoid common complications that can occur with difficult extractions.

- Access the mobile friendly version of the handouts, articles, and schedule of courses at:

- <http://oralsurgeryservices.com/app>

Walking a trail through the terraced rice fields.



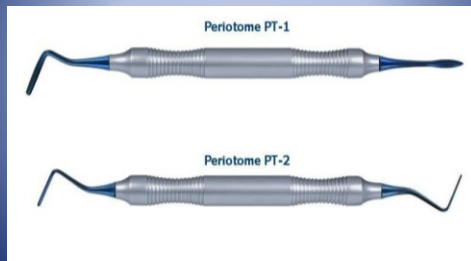
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Lecture on implants.
by a dentist from Utah.

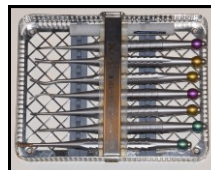
The following are **alternatives** to the Luxator and periotome bur for removing a root. They were not presented first (above) because they:

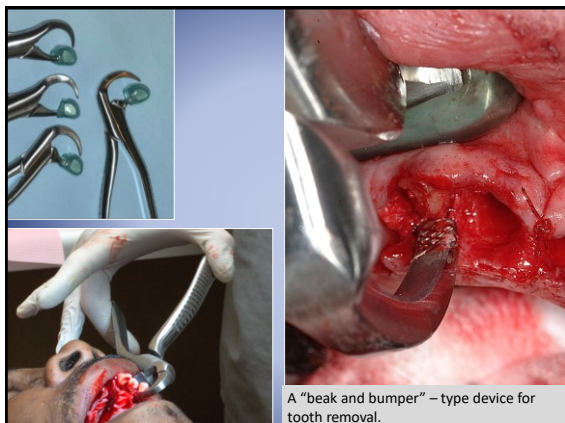
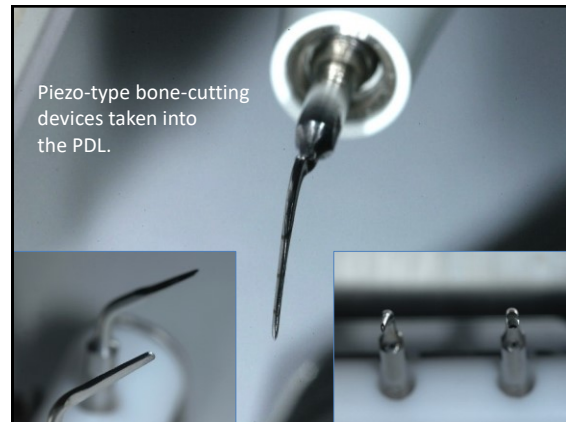
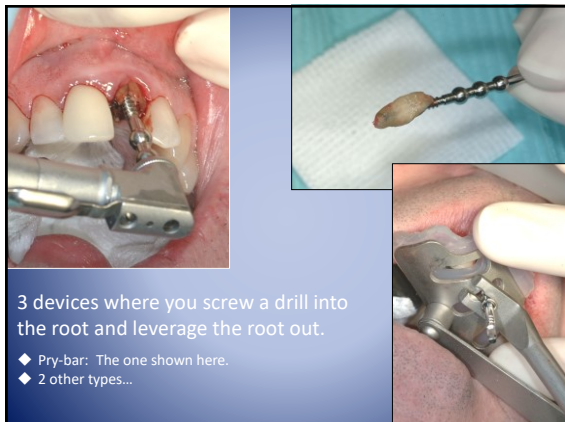
- Use devices that are too expensive, or
- Are too slow, or
- Are somewhat unpredictable, or
- Are somewhat ineffective, or
- Have a more difficult learning curve

Double-ended Periotomes
(also have single-ended that can be hand-held or malleted.)



**Mainly luxator
Osteotomes**
(many choices)
hand-held or malleted



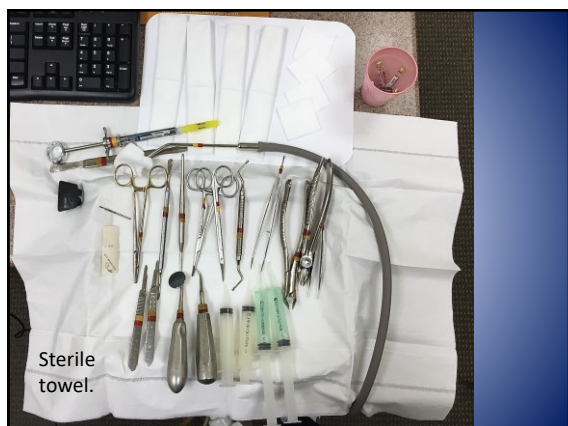


The Most Effective Instruments for Surgery: **Basic**

- Periosteal elevator
- Straight elevator
- Surgical scissors
- Needle holder
- Retractor (Seldin or Minn.)
- Apical forceps (2)
- Surgical spoon curette
- Scalpel handle (flat or round)
- Bite block (child)
- Suction tip

Ways to organize and sterilize.

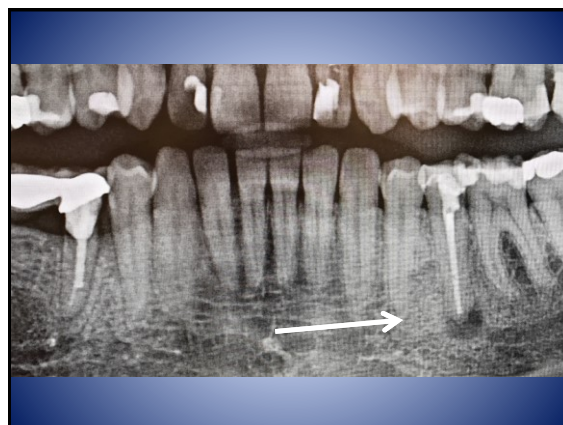
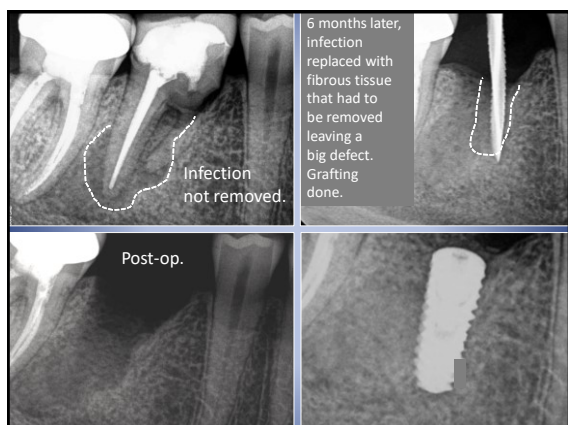








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Oral Surgery Kit

| Part Code | Description | QTY |
|-----------|--|-----|
| MO35X | Oral Surgery Cassette | |
| 10-130-03 | #3 Scalpel Handle | |
| P23 | 23 Beldin Pericosteal | |
| PSK | 9 Mold Pericosteal, Black Line | |
| NH5042 | Mayo-Hegar Perma Sharp Needle Holder 16cm/6.23" | |
| FAF151 | Apical Forceps 151 | |
| FAF150 | Apical Forceps 150 | |
| E301 | 301 Apex Elevator | |
| S1 | 1 Curved Kelly Scissors 16cm/6.29" | |
| E4B2 | 2 Haskbink Root Tip Pick | |
| E4B3 | 3 Haskbink Root Tip Pick | |
| CL85X | 86 Lucas Surgical Curette, Black Line | |
| E25M | 5 Cogswell Elevator, Small Handle | |
| E21 | Mini Cryer Elevator, Left | |
| E22 | Mini Cryer Elevator, Right | |
| E335X | 3mm Straight Loading Elevator, Black Line | |
| BF2X | 2X Miller-Coburn Bone File | |
| RBL | 30 Deg. Standard Bismuthar Rongeur | |
| EPTSSP | Luxating Hybrid - Straight Spade | |
| TR43 | #43 Adson-Brown Tissue Pliers | |
| CRW | Minnesota Retractor | |
| H2 | Kelly Curved Hemostat | |
| PSN6935 | 4-0 Black Silk 18", C-6 Needle 3/8 Circle Rev. Cut | |



Burs For Oral Surgery

| #10 round | #703 | #702 | #700 (or 701) |
|---|---|--|--|
|  |  |  |  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3rd molar impactions • Bulk buccal bone removal • FG or straight | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3rd molar impactions • Troughing, section cuts, • FG or straight | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Routine extractions • FG or straight • FG: 19, 25, 30 mm | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Periotome" or "skinny" bur • Routine extractions • Down PDL at expense of root • FG or straight • FG: 19, 25, 30 mm |

For FG, recommend at least surgical length (25 mm).

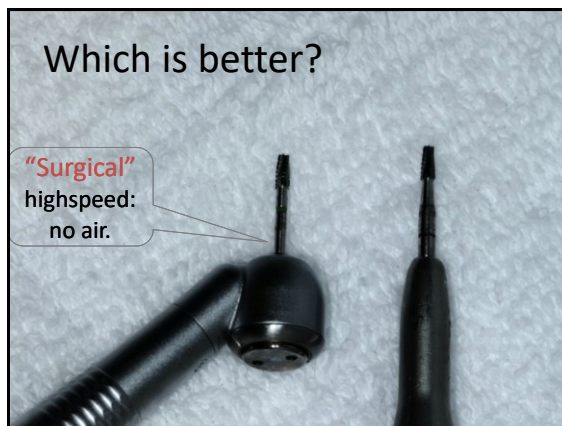
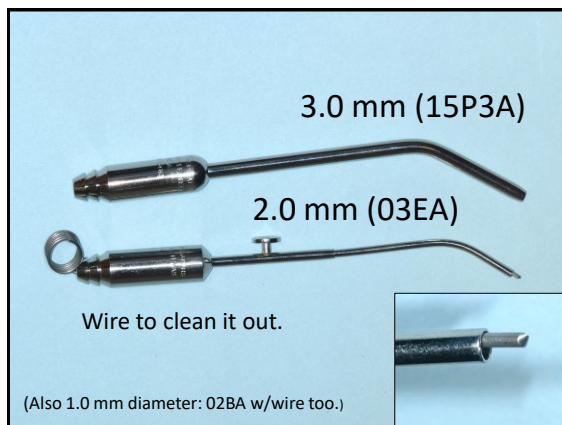
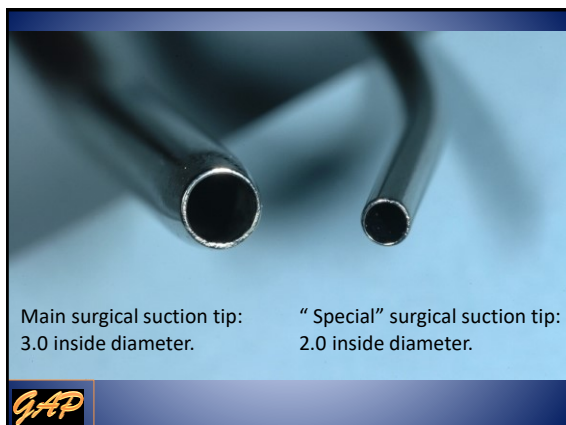
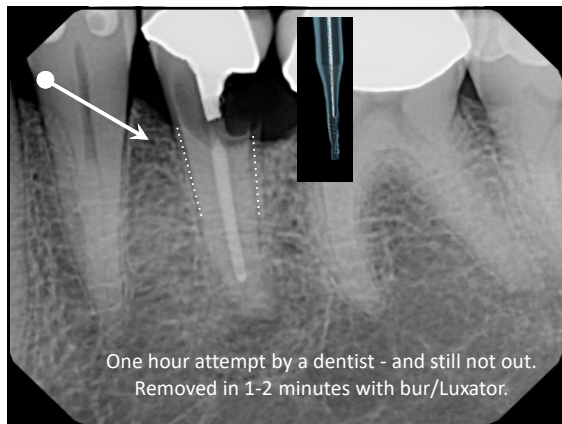
Highspeed friction-grip burs:

For a General Dentist highspeed:
 700 surgical length (25 mm) Brasseler
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 702 surgical length (25 mm) Brasseler
 700 XXL extra long (30 mm long)
 (from Sabra Dental Products and Salvin)
 1702 (round end) extra long (30 mm)
 (from Sabra Dental Products)

Straight Handpiece Burs (Brasseler 5 packs)

For a General Dentist straight handpiece

702 001220U0 44.5 mm long
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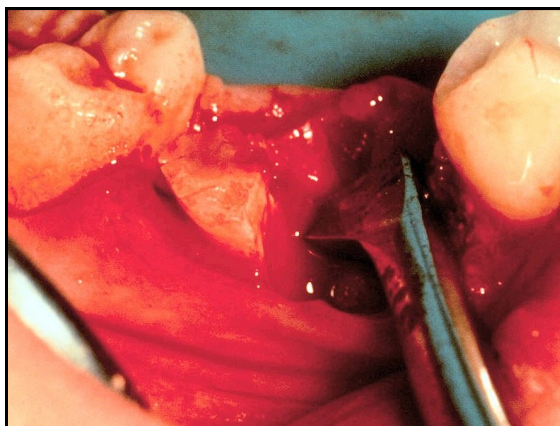
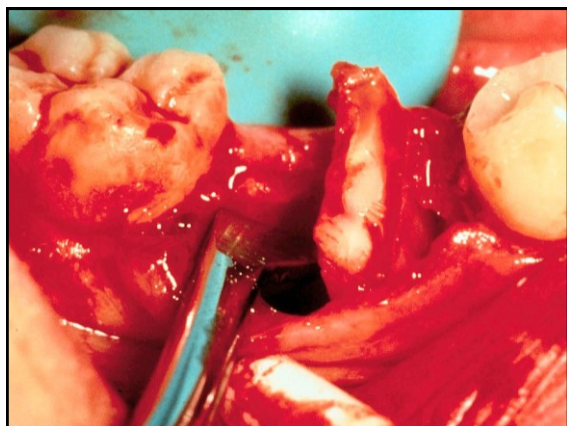
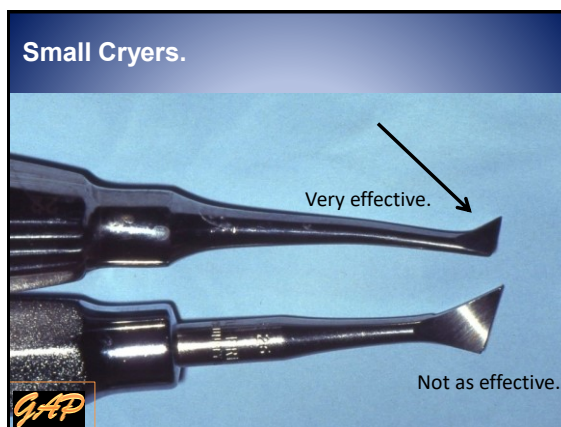
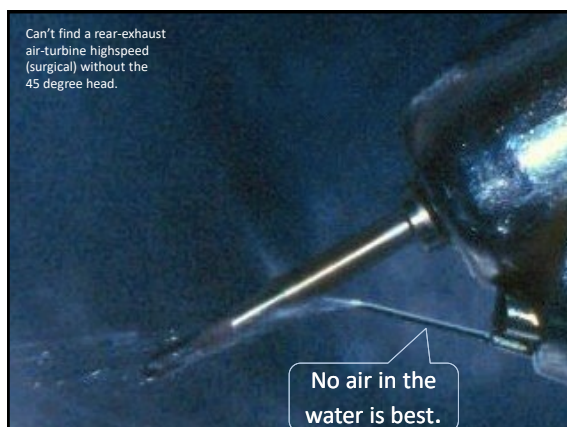
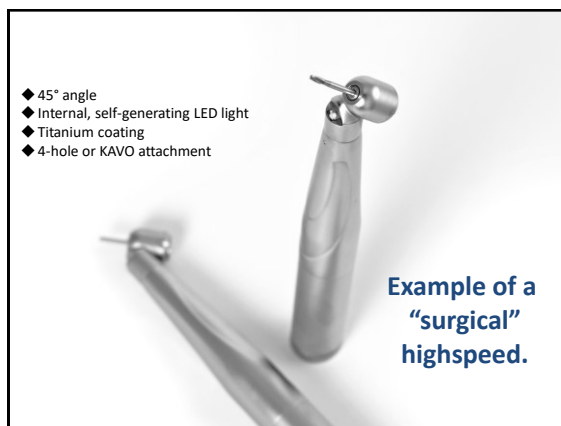
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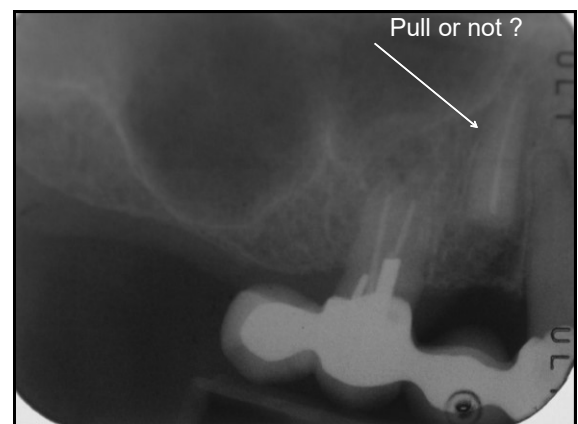
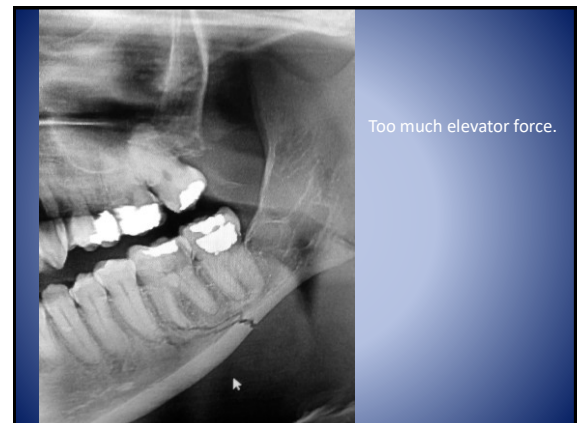
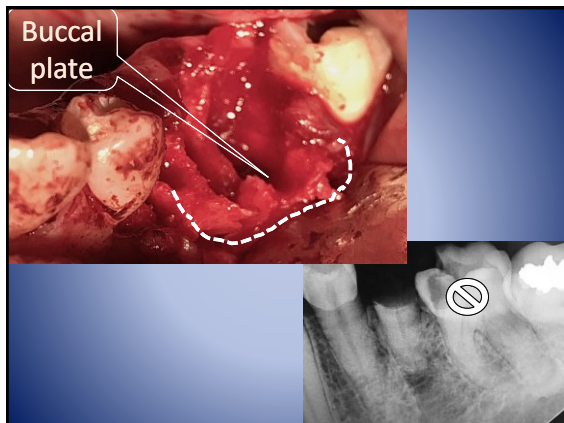
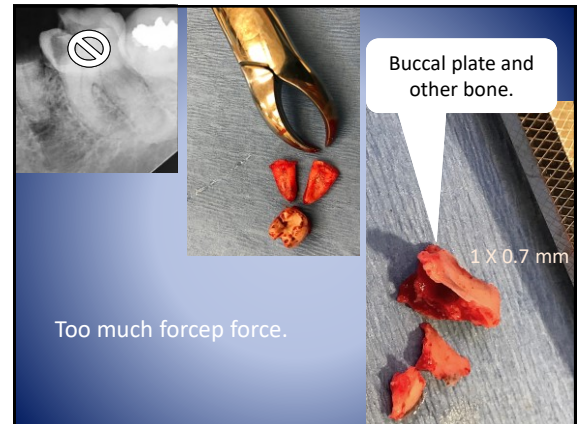
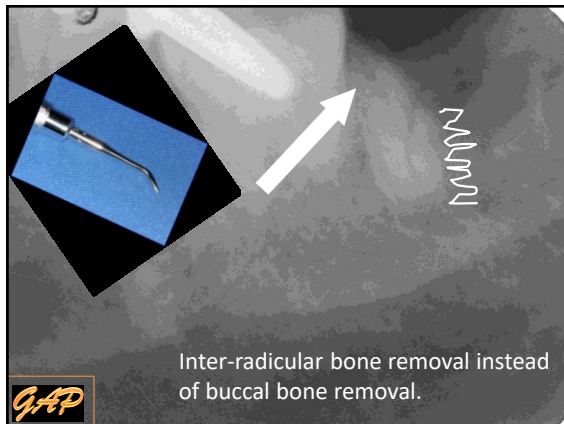
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Lower 1st molar extraction.
Tooth sectioning with regular highspeed handpiece.
Acute subcutaneous swelling.
Extension to contralateral side, crepitus.
Hospitalized, IV antibiotics, discharged in 2 days, swelling down in 1 week.
Can go to thorax and mediastinum.
TX: Observation, diagnosis, may want referral, CT scan, hospitalization, IV antibiotics.

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Fig 1. Computed tomographic bone windows. A, The level of mandible and neck inferiorly shows the extensive subcutaneous emphysema. B, Sinus and orbit level. C, Sinus and orbit level.







Not malpractice if..

1. The root is small (5 mm or less) not loose, and not infected.
2. You feel that it is in the best interest of the patient to leave it.
3. The patient is informed.
4. The occurrence is recorded in the patient's chart.
5. An x-ray is taken for documentation.
6. Follow-up is scheduled.

