

Recent concepts of periodontal diseases and new periodontal classification

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The concept of periodontal diseases has been becoming more clearness and understanding, and recently all efforts spent to put a new periodontal classification which will give us a different view about same periodontal diseases we faced before. The pathophysiology and progression of periodontal disease has been more explanted, for that the periodontal treatment appears to be more complicated because of many risk factors are responsible locally and systemically.

The periodontal treatment is given to the patient should be supported by extended recalls of periodontal maintenance care and should be consider the variability of complex factors which cause periodontal disease.

Biography

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