

# Zirkonzahn<sup>®</sup>

*Human Zirconium Technology*



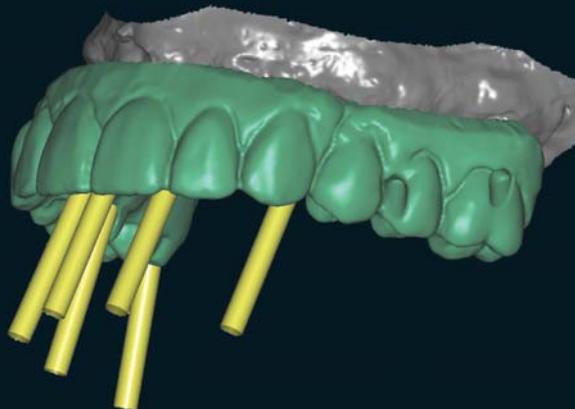
**100% PRETTAU<sup>®</sup> ZIRCONIA - MADE BY CAD/CAM**

*“Zirconia needs heroes“ Enrico Steger*

## *Prettau® Zirconia*

To prove the functionality of this type of restorative option, we fabricate several types of these cases every month in cooperation with Dr. Thomas Suranyi and Lyndon F Cooper DDS PhD. Before starting with the final restoration, the entire case is milled in resin. This will remain in the patient's mouth for approximately six to nine months. The purpose of placing the patient in a temporary is to enable the dental practitioner to manage patient expectations. It is very common for patients to request minor changes to their prosthesis which is done easily in resin. Since resin is soft and easy to grind with standard burs the dentist can make changes in fit, occlusion and aesthetics very easily during this time period. Additions to tooth shapes and smile lines can be accomplished through the use of chairside composites. Most dentists are very adept at using composites and make excellent modifications for the patient that helps improve the overall case result.

When the patient is satisfied with the overall fit, function and appearance then the final restoration can be precisely copied, through a double scan in Prettau® Zirconia. The buccal parts are veneered and the gingival tissue is created using pink overlay ceramics. The final result is an incredibly beautiful, functional and sustainable restoration.



*100% resin*

## *The Prettau® Bridge*

Dr. Thomas Suranyi and Lyndon F Cooper DDS PhD – University of North Carolina  
Georg Walcher and Mauricio Cuéllar – Zirkonzahn Education Center



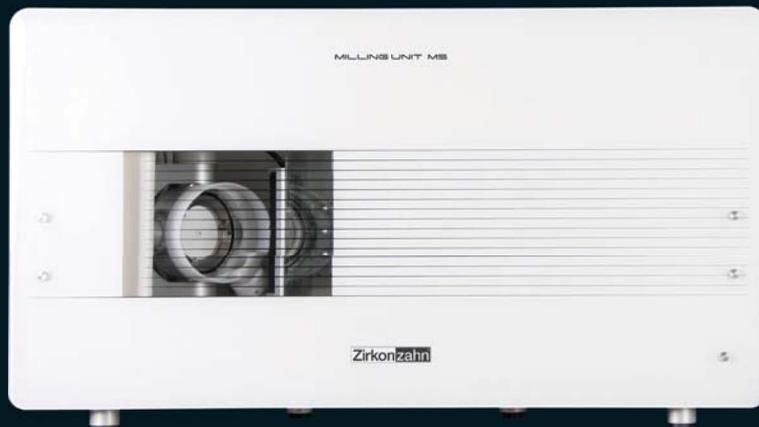
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