

## MANAGING DIABETIC BURNOUT WITH COLLABORATIVE CARE

PREVENT GEL from TANDEX, used with their range of FLEXI interdental brushes, is a great product to recommend to patients with additional oral care needs due to diabetes. Increased risk of periodontal disease makes interdental cleaning an important part of daily oral care.<sup>1</sup>

Not only does TANDEX have the right tools to maximise oral health for people with diabetes, they have helpful FLEXI Educator tools to assist patients in understanding the need for interdental care.

PREVENT GEL from TANDEX includes many of the minerals and enzymes diabetic patients need due to impaired saliva production. FLEXI interdental brushes are easy to use and effective, making a great

choice for sustainable, ethical care with all the comfort, affordability and convenience patients need.

Find out more about how PREVENT GEL from TANDEX, used with their range of FLEXI interdental brushes can benefit patients.

For more information on TANDEX's range of products, visit <https://tandex.dk/>.

TANDEX products are also available from CTS Dental Supplies: <https://www.cts-dental.com/>.

### References

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## PATIENT EDUCATION FOR EARLY DETECTION

With more than 744,000 cases each year worldwide and less than a 50% five-year survival rate, it's crucial that clinicians raise awareness of oral cancer.

Discussing risk factors with patients and carrying out regular checks is essential for preventing oral cancer, and detecting it in

its early stages. By becoming familiar with the early symptoms, and educating patients, dentists are more likely to pick up on the signs more quickly.

Plus, if a dentist does detect a lesion, the use of a pre-diagnostic test such as the BeVigilant OraFusion system from Vigilant

Biosciences can identify the presence of biomarkers associated with oral cancer, producing a result in 15 minutes or less. The result of this test can then be used to inform further examinations and referral to a specialist.

Contact the team for more information.

For more information, visit <https://totaltmj.co.uk/products/bevigilant-orafusion/>, call 01202 313702 or email [Info@totaltmj.co.uk](mailto:Info@totaltmj.co.uk).



## SLAM THE BRAKES ON BAD BREATH

Bad breath is caused by a number of factors, from poor oral health to periodontal disease and infection. Even the food and drink we consume plays a role.

Relieve patients of their halitosis worries by recommending the 12-Hour Fresh Breath Oral Rinse from The Breath Co, an effective solution that combats oral malodour with the natural pathogen fighting power of oxygen.

By directly attacking the source of bad breath and neutralising it, patients can be confident for up to 12 hours, with all signs of halitosis kept at bay.

Instead of malodour, patients can have breath that smells of mild or icy mint, dependent on their preference. Either solution is impressively effective, without any burning sensation or the presence of alcohol.

To learn more about how The Breath Co keeps your patients' bad breath under complete control, contact the team today.

For more information about The Breath Co, visit <http://www.thebreathco.com/>.



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