



PATIENT SCREENER

Adapted from Società Italiana di Parodontologia e Implantologia's screener

Name: _____ Age: _____ years Sex: M F Weight: _____ kg Height: _____ cm

CRITERIA	ASSIGN SCORE 0	ASSIGN SCORE 1	ASSIGN SCORE 2	SCORE
Does the patient have bleeding gums ?	No	Sometimes	Often	
Does the patient have loose teeth ?	No	Some	Several	
Does the patient have receding gums ?	No	In some areas	In various areas	
Has the patient lost a tooth or had a tooth extraction due to a loose tooth?	Never	Yes, once	Yes, multiple times	
Does the patient smoke ?	No	Smoked in the past but quit	Yes and has difficulty quitting	
Is the patient living with diabetes/high glycaemic index?	No	Yes, but it is under control	Yes, and has difficulty managing it	
Does the patient have hypertension ?	No	Yes, but is managing it with therapy	Yes, and is not able to keep it under control	
Has the patient ever suffered from an ischaemic episode (stroke/heart attack/thrombosis)?	No	No, but has parent who suffered an episode	Yes	

EVALUATION CRITERIA:

TOTAL:

Score ≤ 2	No need for concern
Score >2 and ≤ 4	Requires a professional periodontal evaluation <u>Inform dentist of periodontal health status</u>
Score >4	Requires a rapid professional periodontal evaluation <u>Inform dentist of periodontal health status</u>

Additional considerations to tailor patient consultation and oral care recommendations:

Evaluate additional co-morbidities by inquiring about medication/treatment regimen:

- Cancer Autoimmune disorder
- Other _____

Evaluate lifestyle/life event-related risks:

- Dexterity/Handicap
- Dementia
- Stress
- Pregnancy
- Eating disorders
- Other _____