



## 2021 Annual Report Working Group - Dental Team

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The working group met in video conference in the first quarter to finalize the work initiated in 2020 concerning the resolution “***Dental Team and infection prevention and control (Covid-19)***” knowing that the dental team is in direct contact with the patients, the rules of hygiene and protection must be respected and applied.

The completed document was presented at the plenary session by video conference. It was adopted by a very large majority. This document is now available in the ORE source documents and has been communicated to the FDI, especially to the Dental Practice Committee.

The working group met in a videoconference on December 2nd and decided to work on ***Digitalisation - New Technologies***

The question is which parameters do we have to consider and the consequences in the dental team:

- o New clinical technologies for diagnosis, presentation and simplified treatment
- o New management, administration and communication technologies

Face to this question and according the working group, the chairman proposed to work on a white paper in two parts:

- The consequences in the dental team of new technologies and digitalization (technical and management)
- To update the profile of the dental team if needed face to these new points

A working meeting was scheduled in Paris on February 17 and 18, 2022.

Paris  
17<sup>th</sup> of march 2022