

Welcome to our Press Conference

Reshaping Clinical Practice through Evidence-Based, Patient-Centered Guidelines

Speakers at Press Conference



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What is a GCCG?

- Innovative, evidence-based approach to consensus building
- Engaging a broad spectrum of international experts, patients, and stakeholders



Goal: To develop practical clinical workflows

“The GCCG represents an innovative, evidence-based approach to consensus-building in implant dentistry.”

Focus of first GCCG: The Edentulous Maxilla

4 WORKING GROUPS | 4 TOPICS

Number of
implants / timing
of implant
placement and
loading

Short vs.
standard /
zygomatic
implants

Sinus grafting /
alveolar ridge
augmentation

Implant-
supported fixed /
removable and
conventional
overdentures

«The rehabilitation of the edentulous maxilla can significantly affect patients' quality of life.»

GCCG seeks to equip clinicians with actionable, evidence-driven guidelines to improve treatment outcomes for these patients.

Unique Methodology

At the core of the methodology:



Patient Reported Outcome Measures (PROMs)



Clinician Reported Outcome Measures (CROMs)

→ Evaluated through **systematic reviews**

“Our guidelines aim to be clinically effective and reflective of patient needs, ensuring that our recommendations enhance treatments and ultimately improve patients' lives.”

Unique Methodology

“What also makes the GCCG unique is that comprehensive feedback is gathered via tailored Delphi surveys that have been distributed to a substantial number of clinicians, patients, and industry stakeholders.”



Comprehensive feedback gathered via tailored **Delphi Surveys**



Surveys distributed to **clinicians, patients, and public stakeholders**



Incorporate a **wide range of perspectives**

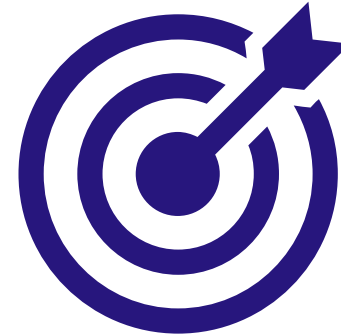
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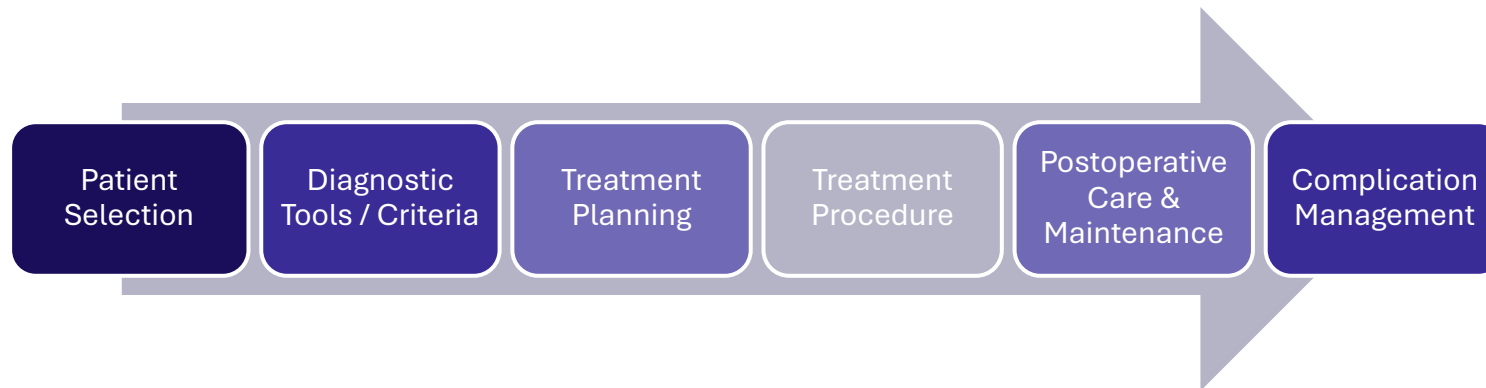
Results from reviews, surveys, and meta-analysis used to **formulate clinical guidelines**



Ensures guidelines are **clinically relevant and practical**



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Global Collaboration

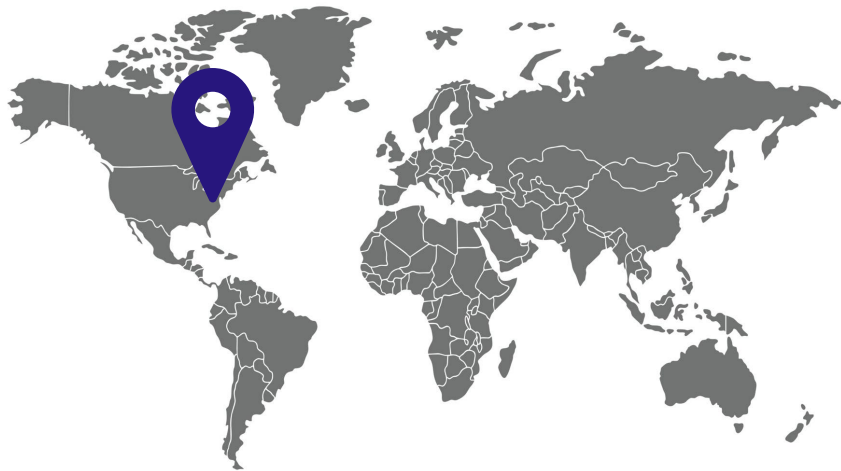
- **GCCG draws expertise globally**
- Aim: ensure that guidelines are **relevant across cultural and clinical contexts**
- **Overcome limitations of traditional regional consensus meetings** by involving worldwide contributors.



“By bringing together voices from all over the world and including both clinicians and patients, we are creating a global framework that will have a lasting impact on the way we care for patients.”

Global Collaboration

The efforts will culminate in a **Consensus Conference in Boston** in **June 2025**, where over **120 international experts from 27 countries** will discuss and formulate the first global guidelines for the rehabilitation of the edentulous maxilla.



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for Implantology

Osteology
Foundation

Signing the Memorandum of Understanding

Milan, 24 October 2024

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Global Consensus for
Clinical Guidelines

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Ronald E. Jung



“The strength of the GCCG lies in its ability to unite experts from around the world and create guidelines that will benefit clinicians and patients alike. We are striving to make sure that these guidelines will be useful across different clinical environments, ensuring better treatment outcomes for patients facing the challenges of edentulism.”

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Charlotte Stilwell



International Team
for Implantology

“The ITI is proud to support the GCCG because it aligns with our mission of promoting the highest standards of clinical practice. We believe that by integrating patient feedback and focusing on evidence-based solutions, the GCCG will deliver guidelines that have a tangible impact on improving patient care.”

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Christer Dahlin



"The GCCG aligns perfectly with the Osteology Foundation's focus on oral regeneration and its mission to ultimately improve patient care. Our joint aim in this collaboration is to create clinical guidelines that directly translate into better treatments for patients."

What's next?



GCCG as a Starting Point: This alliance may spark future joint efforts.



Potential Stepping Stone: It could lead to additional activities and partnerships.



Ongoing Discussions: Further conversations are already in progress.

Questions?
