dental bone & tissue regeneration



# mucoderm® 3D-Regenerative Tissue Graft



## mucoderm® Soft Tissue Graft

mucoderm® is a collagen tissue matrix derived of animal dermis that passes through a multi-step cleaning process, which removes all potential tissue rejection components from the dermis. This results into a 3-dimensional stable matrix consisting of collagen and elastin. mucoderm® supports revascularization and fast soft tissue integration and is a valid alternative for patients own connective tissue.

After placement, the patient's blood infiltrates the mucoderm® graft through the 3-dimensional soft tissue network, bringing host cells to the soft tissue graft surface and starting the revascularization process. Significant revascularization can begin after implantation depending on the patient's healthy structure.

#### Natural 3D collagen structure

mucderm® matrix is made of pure collagen without cross-linking or chemical treatment. SEM pictures of mucoderm® show its rough and open-porous collagen structure that guide soft-tissue cells and blood vessels.

#### Handling

Prior to clinical use mucoderm® has to be rehydrated in sterile saline or blood for 3-15 min (depending on graft size and desired flexibility of the graft). After rehydration it can be trimmed to the desired size with a scalpel or scissors.









mucoderm® histology after 3 month;

Perfect handling of mucoderm® following rehydration with steril saline or blood

#### Properties & Advantages

- 100% natural collagen matrix
- rapid vascularization and integration
- soft tissue replacement without palatal autograft harvesting
- complete remodeling into patients own tissue
- malleable (wet and dry)
- rapid rehydration
- easy handling (application and fixation)
- thickness 1.2 1.7 mm
- resorption time 6 -12 months

## Indications

## Implantology, Periodontology, Oral and CMF surgery

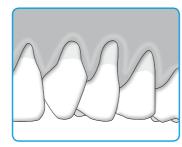
- Soft tissue augmentation/ thickening
- covering of implants placed in immediate or delayed extraction sockets
- localized ridge augmentation for later implantation
- alveolar ridge reconstruction for prosthetic treatment
- guided tissue regeneration procedures in periodontal and soft tissue recession defects

#### **Product Specifications**

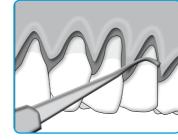
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701520	15x20mm	1 piece
702030	20x30mm	1 piece
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## Clinical Application

Tunnel technique



Clinical few of root recession before mucoderm® placement



Papillary incisions approximately 3mm apical to the tip of the papilla

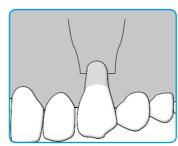


mucoderm® is inserted under the intact papilla

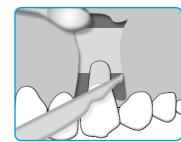


Flap positioned completely over the graft and hold in place with individual sling sutures

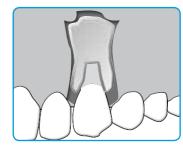
#### Coronally advanced flap



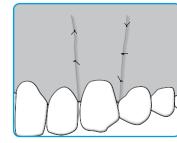
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Preparation of a coronally advanced flap by a sulcular and two vertical releasing incisions



mucoderm® cut to shape and placed over the tooth root



Gingival tissue coronally repositioned, covering mucoderm® and sutured in place

## Clinical Applications

#### Soft tissue augmentation/thickening: Dr. Tiziano Testori, Como



Second stage surgery to uncover 3 implants in the lower left mandibular quadrant



Partial thickness flap and mucoderm® anchored to the periosteum to thicken soft tissue



Flaps sutured leaving interimplant periosteum exposed to heal by secondary intention



1 year post-op; an adequate quantity of keratinized tissue is present

## Case Reports

Dr. Krzysztof Chmielewski, Gdansk/Poland

## Vestibular augmentation of soft tissue with mucoderm®

#### Root recession: PD Dr. Stefan Hägewald, Berlin



Clinical situation of the root mucoderm® placement recession before mucderm® over the tooth root placement





Gingival tissue was coronally repositioned, covering mucderm® and roots of teeth and sutured in place



6 months post-op; previously recessed roots are covered with attached pink, keratinized gingival tissue



Initial situation showing vestibular recession of soft tissue; crowns 12 and 13 are temporary and screw retained on implants



Checking the position of the implant in aesthetic window



Splitting of the flap, periostium is left on the bone; implant margin is visible due to marginal resorption of the bone



Checking the fitting of prepared shape of the mucoderm®

## Root coverage "Tunnel technique": Dr. Ziv Mazor, Ra'anana



Clinical situation before surgery



mucoderm® placement by tunnel technique



Clinical situation after 3 months



3 years follow up clinical situation



Stabilization and suturing of mucoderm® with resorbable sutures 5-0 (PGA)



Matrix mucoderm® placed in final position and stabilized with PGA sutures



Final tension free flap closure with nonresorbable monofilament sutures 6-0



Healing of soft tissue after 3 weeks from surgery

## Ridge augmentation: **Dr. Krzysztof Chmielewski**, Gdansk



Clinical situation before block surgery



maxgraft® block fixation



maxgraft® block covered with cerabone® and protected by mucoderm®



Final suturing and closing

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## Recession coverage with mucoderm® instead of free subepithelial graft of soft tissue

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## Tunnel technique recession coverage with mucoderm®



Initial situation: recession of soft tissue and premolars roots exposure



Removing of temporary screw retained crown placed on implant in canine position



Cleaning of the teeth Surface



Preparation and conditioning of the roots surface with antibiotic (Doxycycline)



Initial situation with recession present on first left premolar



Cleaning of the root surface with cleaning paste



Preparation and conditioning of the root surface with antibiotic (Doxycycline)



Tunnel preparation with microsurgical instruments



Split flap technique with one distal releasing incision



Flap mobility check



Collagen matrix mucoderm® replacing subepithelial soft tissue graft stabilized with PGA sutures



mucoderm® is very fast infiltrated with blood and is adapted to the recipient site



Splitting of the flap and preparation of the internal envelope



Checking of the mobility of the flap before mucoderm® placement



Checking of the mobility of the flap before mucoderm® placement with coronal positioning



Trimming of the mucoderm® before placement in to the tunnel



Situation after tension free Healing flap closure and temporary crown instalation in canine position Healing from sur removal



Healing after 2 weeks from surgery and sutures removal



Healing after 2 months from surgery



Healing after 4 months from surgery



mucoderm® in situ before soft tissue positioning



Stabilization of the soft tissue with sutures; mucoderm® should be always covered with soft tissue



Healing after 7 days



Healing after 7 weeks

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