

Utilization of Digital dentistry for efficiency of clinical practice protocol & human resources

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Digital dentistry, the application of digital technologies into daily clinical practice, is no longer a new concept. Many dentists are taking an interest in digital and expanding their range of practice, and many equipment, materials, and programs are also being developed.

The efficiency of the practice has been greatly improved compared to before, and the quality of the practice is getting better and better with the advancement of equipment. It seems that now, beyond the practical area, there is also a concern for the efficiency of workforce in the clinic through digital technologies.

As I have been actively utilizing digital dentistry for more than six years, now I have to say that there are both positive and negative aspects of human resource efficiency. Certainly, clinical processes that were not possible or difficult to do before have been made possible through digital dentistry, reducing the time and workload of human resources, but I am skeptical about whether this efficiency can lead to a reduction in the number of human resources needed.

I would like to share my experience and thoughts on this aspect.

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