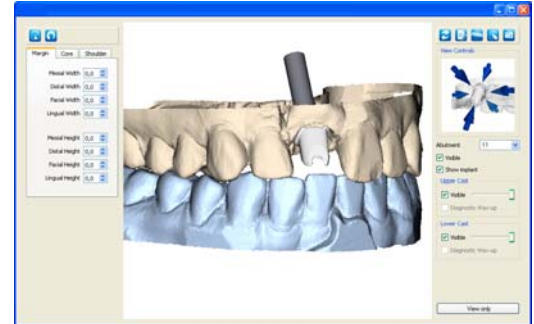


Virtual & real-time efficiency with the new Atlantis™ 3D Editor from Astra Tech Dental

Möln dal, Sweden, September 26, 2011 – Astra Tech Dental, leader and provider of comprehensive solutions for implant dentistry, is pleased to announce the introduction of Atlantis™ 3D Editor, a service that will further improve efficiency and turnaround time for customers using Atlantis patient-specific abutments.

Atlantis 3D Editor is the latest service offered in the internet-based Atlantis WebOrder system, a natural next step and an enhancement to the Atlantis 3D Viewer software. Atlantis 3D Editor provides customers with the possibility to make real-time modifications, such as core, margin and shoulder adjustments, to their Atlantis abutment designs. In addition, it gives the customers the convenience of 24/7 access to their Atlantis cases.



Astra Tech Dental is committed to providing customers with solutions and services that bring them increased simplicity and efficiency in achieving optimized, patient-specific solutions. Atlantis 3D Editor is another step in that direction.

Atlantis™ patient-specific abutments

Atlantis™ is the original and best solution for cement-retained implant prosthetics. The patient-specific abutments are designed and fabricated using Atlantis VAD™ (Virtual Abutment Design) software, a patented process that combines state-of-the-art 3D optical scanning, advanced software and manufacturing methods to deliver patient-specific abutments that eliminates the need for hand modification.

Atlantis patient-specific abutments are available for all major implant systems and in titanium, gold-shaded titanium and four shades of zirconia.

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About Astra Tech

Astra Tech AB is a global leader in dental, surgical and urological products, services and support. Since September 1, 2011, the company is a part of DENTSPLY International, Inc., a global leader in professional dental products. Astra Tech has continually developed market-leading solutions to meet health care needs based on user and medical community input since 1948. Ongoing research and development is aimed at finding new ways to support caregivers and improve quality of life for patients worldwide.

Astra Tech headquarters are located in Möln dal, Sweden, with production facilities in Sweden and North America. The company is represented globally by 16 subsidiaries and selected local distribution partners. Astra Tech has 2,200 employees worldwide and the revenue in 2010 was SEK 3.9 billion. The company invests five percent of its revenues annually in research.

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