Horizontal ridge augmentation with guided bone regeneration

Patient History

Patient was missing teeth along their maxillary labial area with the affected bone undergoing a severe resorption. The condition was to be treated with bone grafting to restore the massive thickness loss and implants.

Process & Conclusion

The sunken ridge was filled with InterOss® granules which were then wrapped with collagen membranes. Re-entry at 8 months shows newly regenerated bone at the defect site as thick as 7 mm.



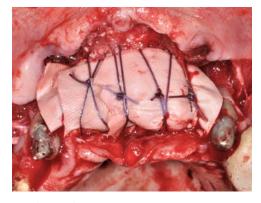
Pre-operative X-ray.



A view of the bone defect.



InterOss® placement.



Membrane placement.



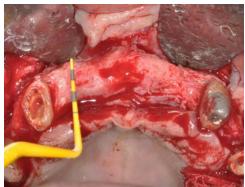
Post-surgical view.



Post-operative X-ray at 8 months



Post-operative view at 8 months.



New bone was measured at 7 mm in thickness.