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GUM GRAFTING

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A visual guide to the surgical treatment of shrinking gums (recession).

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SURGICAL GUM GRAFTING

Before and after photographs

CASE 1 - Aesthetics



BEFORE



AFTER

This patient noticed gum shrinkage after orthodontic treatment. A gum graft procedure was undertaken by Dr Cho to thicken the tissues and cover the exposed root surface.

CASE 2 - Sensitivity



BEFORE



AFTER

This patient was experiencing sensitivity resistant to desensitizing agents and sensitive toothpaste. The gum graft procedure covered the root surface and resolved the sensitivity.

CLINICAL RESULTS

CASE 3 - Tooth wear



BEFORE AFTER

This patient was concerned about progressive wear and a notch forming on the side of their tooth. A gum graft and a tooth-coloured filling were used to restore the defect.

CASE 4 – After gum disease treatment



BEFORE AFTER

This patient had periodontal (gum) disease causing an abscess and loose front teeth. The gum disease was successfully treated. A thicker type of gum graft was placed to maximise the strength of the gums and to make tooth cleaning more comfortable.

ABOUT GUM GRAFTING

Gum grafting may help cover exposed roots, increase gum thickness, greatly improve aesthetics and improve comfort in suitable cases.

Dr Cho will assess your individual requirements and diagnose the cause of your gum condition. He will also discuss realistic outcomes, treatment options and what is involved in recovery.

Book a consultation with Dr Cho:

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