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The orthodontic treatment of impacted teeth, 2nd edition (2007)

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This second edition of '*The orthodontic treatment of impacted teeth*' documents the findings of ongoing and evidence-based studies carried out by largely the same group of clinical investigators as in the first edition, and deals mainly with the treatment of impacted teeth.

The book describes impacted teeth and treatment from all aspects. The author and his co-workers have extensive clinical experience and use modern technology to support this, e.g. imaging particularly cone beam tomography, for accurate positional diagnosis. The use of temporary orthodontic implants has resolved, in many cases, impaction without the need for orthodontic appliances. The chapter dealing with surgical exposure of impacted teeth illustrates the importance of co-operation with experienced oral surgeons. Many elegant orthodontic treatment solutions are presented.

This textbook is outstanding and its inclusion in the literature for postgraduate orthodontic programmes should be mandatory. In addition, it is as an invaluable guide for experienced orthodontic specialists.

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