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### **Oral radiology. Principles and interpretation, 6th edition (2008)**

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The old classic of oral radiology has accompanied and provided advice to a great number of dental students and professionals around the world. Since the 5th edition in 2003, the field of oral and maxillofacial radiology has changed tremendously regarding topics such as digital imaging, advanced imaging, and cone-beam computed tomography (CBCT), whereas some basic principles such as physics of ionizing and biological effects have remained more or less the same.

This book comprises over 600 high-quality printed pages and is clearly structured in five parts. The concise and comprehensive style of writing makes it easy to read and understand.

The special attractiveness of this book comes from the pleasing combination of well-structured and simple explanations complemented by more than 1000 high-quality radiographs and illustrations which cover more or less the whole area of oral and maxillofacial radiology. The book provides detailed knowledge both to undergraduate and

postgraduate dental students on their examination subject and the chance to practice their diagnostic skills or interpretation of radiographic pathological findings. On the other hand, the general practitioner or specialist has the possibility to focus on the latest information on new imaging techniques such as CBCT, computed tomography, or magnetic resonance imaging and to keep their knowledge updated. Terms and definitions which have been lost during year of practice in the dental office can be simply reviewed in the first parts of the book and radiographic evaluation of pathological or physiological findings can be efficiently confirmed in the extensive last part of the book on radiographic interpretation.

Summa summarum, this book can be strongly recommended to the personal library of both students and clinicians.

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