



## Introducing AcceleDent® Aura

Hands-free device delivers gentle *micropulses* 

Designed to accelerate treatment

Proven safe and effective in clinical trial

FDA-cleared Class II medical device

Works with existing orthodontics

May increase productivity and case acceptance







### What does **AcceleDent®** Aura do?

- It's an orthodontic *micropulse* device that an orthodontist can prescribe to help a patient's orthodontic treatment work faster
- Orthodontics are designed to move teeth in specific directions
- Part of the way that orthodontics work is by remodeling the bones surrounding teeth
- AcceleDent® Aura generates small vibrations, micropulses, as teeth are guided by orthodontics
- As the remodeling process is accelerated, teeth move more quickly





### Patient benefit: Get braces off faster

- Promotes faster orthodontic treatment
- Orthodontic treatment feels more comfortable
- 20 minutes a day
- Easy to use, hands-free
- Non-invasive option
- Helps improve oral hygiene
- May reduce patient non-compliance often seen in 2nd year of treatment
- No increase in root resorption

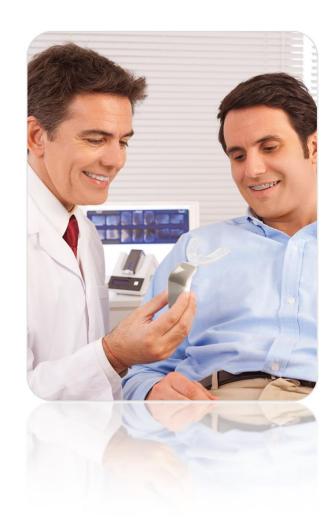






# Orthodontic practice benefit: Increased productivity

- Accelerate orthodontic treatments
- Differentiate practice
- Increase referrals from dentists, hygienists and patients
- Attract new patients
  - More new patient starts
  - Help patient make decision to start treatment today







## What is in **AcceleDent Aura**®?



#### Activator

The heart of AcceleDent® Aura is a small, lightweight Activator that generates gentle micropulses. It includes a USB interface which can be plugged directly into a computer to view usage history via the FastTrac Report.



#### Mouthpiece

Chosen specifically for you by your orthodontist, the Mouthpiece provides a comfortable fit and snaps easily on and off the Activator for transport and cleaning.



#### **USB** extension cable

Power adapter

allows for easy, convenient charging.



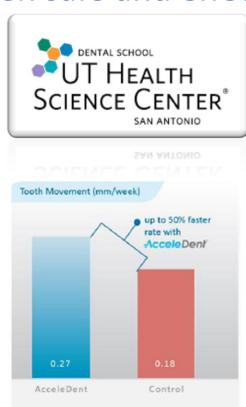
#### **Travel Case**

The Travel Case keeps your components safe, clean and secure.





## AcceleDent® Aura — proven safe and effective in clinical trial



#### Safe

No increase in root resorption

No serious adverse events

No difference in loss of posterior anchorage

#### **Effective**

Clinically proven to accelerate tooth movement up to 50% faster

#### **Clinical Trial Design**

45 patients aged 12 to 40 years enrolled under Investigational Device Exemption (IDE)

Randomized, controlled, blinded trial

Trial completed November 2010

Data on file.





## Treatment Coordinators:

## Adding value to your patients and your practice

- Your role as Treatment Coordinator:
  - Educate to add value to the patient's experience
  - Educate patients and parents on advancements in orthodontics
- Instill confidence in practice and doctor—and yourself!
  - Offering **AcceleDent® Aura** means you're offering the latest technology and superior service
- Utilize the patient brochure as an educational tool
- Refer patients to **acceledent.com** for more information



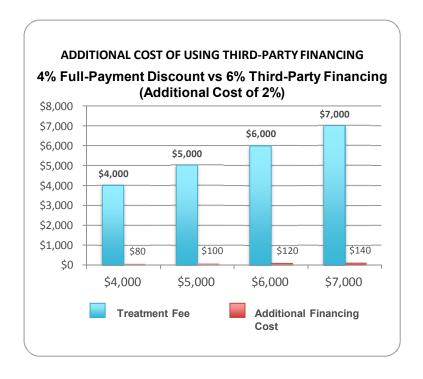




# Offer financial solutions that meet the needs of patients and your practice

### Offer and explain third-party financing

- Third-party payment plans separate treatment and payment schedules, so patients may adhere better to appointments
- Third-party payment plans cost your practice only marginally more than full-payment discounts (6% vs. 4%, typically)
  - Would you turn down a \$7,000 treatment plan?







## AcceleDent® Aura: Adding value for patients

### Reiterate the key patient benefits:

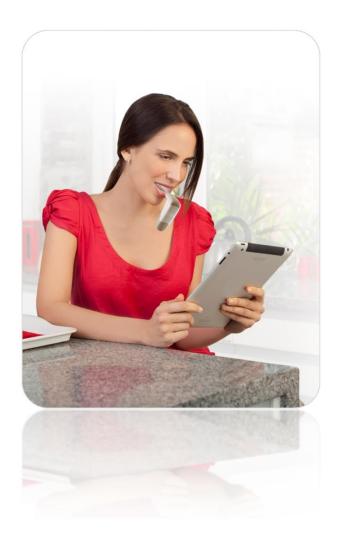
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## Redefine the orthodontic experience with **AcceleDent®** Aura

- Make the appointment about the patient
  - Understand what they need from you and the practice
- Patients will accept what they clearly understand
  - Embrace your role as an educator
- Communicate benefits clearly and simply
  - Helps reduce treatment time and promotes patient comfort



## Thank you!

