

# OSSIX™ Bone

**TIPS FOR FIRST TIME USERS: SOCKET PRESERVATION**

## Ossifying Collagen Sponge

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Thank you for choosing OSSIX™ Bone,  
a highly sugar cross-linked, collagen spongy matrix.

# OSSIX™ Bone is a cross-linked, mineralized collagen spongy matrix.

Recommended for use in the following cases (for new users in this order):

- 1 Socket preservation – can be used without a membrane
- 2 Sinus elevation (crestal approach) – no membrane needed
- 3 Lateral/vertical augmentation (in cases with sufficient supporting bone)
- 4 Lateral sinus elevation

\* Indications 3-5 will require a membrane for stabilization.

**Start with simple cases and learn the new material's behavior and qualities.**

**This document is focused on guidelines for use in socket extraction sites.**

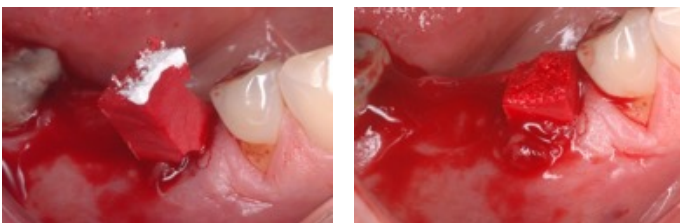
Please refer to OSSIX™ Bone IFU for full information on indications and contraindications. [LINK](#)

## 1. Extraction & Site Preparation

- Carefully extract the tooth.
- Remove all granulation tissue.

## 2. OSSIX™ Bone Placement

- **Open** the sterile package.
- **Trim** by holding OSSIX™ Bone with sterile forceps and trimming with sterile scissors or scalpel.
- Hold at the socket orifice until fully soaked with patient's blood.
- OSSIX™ Bone should always be used while hydrated and should not be manipulated when dry.
- Applying pressure when dry could cause OSSIX™ Bone to break/crumble (in such case, push all fragments into the socket).
- Do not hydrate OSSIX™ Bone with saline solution.
- **Push gently into the socket** until fully submerged.
- **Position** OSSIX™ Bone so it is leveled with the original bone crest.
- **Suture** over with minimal tension.
- **No membrane is needed.**



### 3. Post-Op Instructions

- As is common following regenerative procedures, antibiotic coverage is advised.
- Patient should rinse with salt water for one week.
- Avoid hard or hot food (similar to standard post-extraction instructions).
- Following suture removal, patient should rinse with chlorhexidine for one minute twice a day or according to the chlorhexidine manufacturer's instructions.

### 4. Reopening the Site for Implant Placement:

- Recommended timing: 15-19 weeks for small sockets, and at least 22 weeks for large sockets.
- Perform radiograph/CBCT. OSSIX™ Bone will be visible in radiograph and will be slightly radiolucent (and not like not like particulate bone graft). Refer to Case 1 below.
- Device will be partially ossified (chalky white appearance).
- Remnants should not be removed – the product continues to ossify over time.
- During drilling, OSSIX™ Bone might be less resistant to drilling than mature bone or conventional bone grafting materials. In such case perform under-drilling osteotomy.

### Important:

**When an implant is placed in a healed OSSIX™ Bone site or immediately (post-extraction) placed in OSSIX™ Bone, make sure that your implant is properly stabilized in original bone (>3mm) for standard osseointegration time.**

### General Guidelines for OSSIX™ Bone Sizes in Different Procedures

- **Small size, 5x5x5 mm** – a single rooted tooth socket preservation, one implant trans-crestal (osteotome) sinus elevation, single rooted tooth immediate implant with a gap to bony walls, single tooth or implant bone defect, single tooth concavity.
- **Medium size, 5x5x10 mm** – a multi rooted tooth socket preservation, two implants trans-crestal (osteotome) sinus elevation, one or two teeth or implants lateral ridge augmentation.
- **Large size, 5x10x10 mm** – large size bony defect following removal of teeth, implants, cysts etc, large span lateral bone augmentation.

### OSSIX™ Bone Sizes



5x5x5



5x5x10



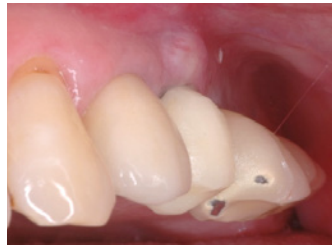
5x10x10

# OSSIX™ Bone Sample Cases - Socket Preservation

## Case 1



Before extraction



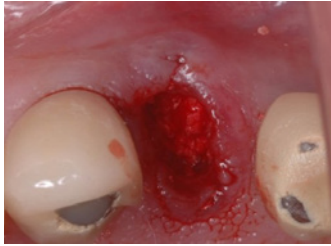
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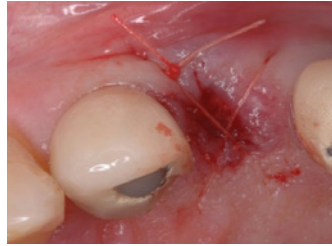
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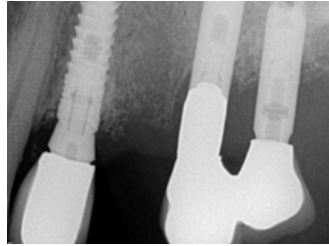
OSSIX™ Bone soaked at the site, in patient's blood



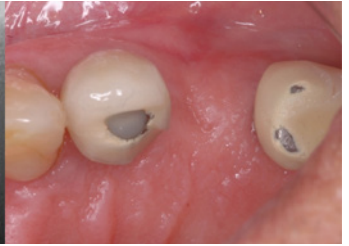
OSSIX™ Bone in socket



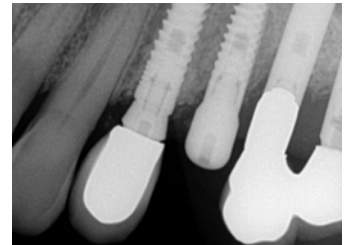
Suturing



3.5 months post extraction & OSSIX™ Bone placement



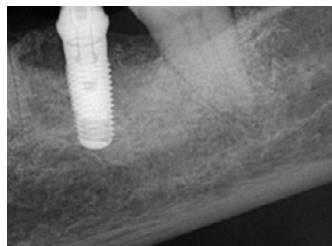
3.5 months post socket preservation - at implant placement



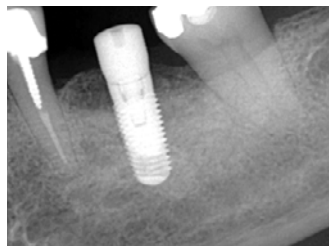
## Case 2



Periodontal-endodontal lesion in tooth #19. Following extraction and debridement, OSSIX™ Bone was placed in the socket.



4 months following socket preservation - implant placed in newly formed bone with a healing abutment



7 months - implant is fully integrated and ready to be restored



## WHY OSSIX®?

OSSIX® safe and effective regenerative solutions are set to change the way you work and the way your patients feel. Our safe and proven OSSIX® solutions for GBR and GTR significantly reduce the need for repeated procedures, simplify complex procedures, and are cost-effective. Your patients will benefit from enhanced healing, being able to quickly return to their routine – both contributing to a higher compliance rate.

Leading dental surgeons frequently use OSSIX® Regenerative Solutions and vouch for their simplicity and efficacy. Trusted over more than 20 years, OSSIX® is the go-to solution for a wide variety of procedures.

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