



#Top Trending Topics in Dentistry

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#Our Opportunities:



Impact of Social Media



Patient Education
Strategies/Opportunities



Action Plan to Maximize Trends

#What Patients are Asking About:

#What Colleagues are Talking About:

#Findings:

#Action Items:

#Resources:

ADA. Center for Evidence-Based Dentistry™

<http://ebd.ada.org/en>



<http://www.cochrane.org/>



<https://dent-web10.usc.edu/dhnet/>



<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed>



<http://www.colgateprofessional.com/gum-health-physical>



<http://www.philipscare.com/>



<http://loveyourgums.tumblr.com/>

CDT Code D4346
Scaling in presence of generalized moderate or severe gingival inflammation – full mouth, after oral evaluation

What is it?
The removal of plaque, calculus and debris from supra- and sub-gingival tooth surfaces when there is generalized moderate or severe gingival inflammation in the absence of periodontitis is indicated for patients who have moderate, diffuse gingivitis, generalized gingivitis, and moderate to severe bleeding on probing. Should not be reported in conjunction with prophylaxis, scaling and root planing, or abutment procedures.

When should I use it?
Oral evaluation
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00180
00180

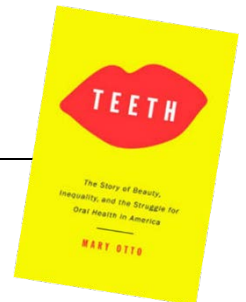
Generalized moderate-severe gingival inflammation = no attachment or bone loss

Scaling in presence D4346

Guidance available at ADA.org/publications/CDT

http://www.ada.org/~media/ADA/Publications/Files/CDT_Code_D4346EducationGuidelines_V3_2017Oct25.pdf?la=en

#Additional Doodles, Thoughts and Opportunities!



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