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**X3145**  
**Making Occlusion Work for Your Practice**

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1. Canine rise is present in only 30 percent of patients.
  - a. True
  - b. False
2. Long centric and wide centric are present in clenching bruxers.
  - a. True
  - b. False
3. Most natural occlusal situations do not have non-working contact.
  - a. True
  - b. False
4. Centric relation to maximum interdigitation shift of ~1mm is usually present in normal occlusion.
  - a. True
  - b. False
5. The older terminology “centric occlusion” is now called maximum interdigitation.
  - a. True
  - b. False
6. Primary occlusal trauma patients usually have some periodontal disease.
  - a. True
  - b. False
7. Pain is usually present when teeth have primary occlusal trauma.
  - a. True
  - b. False
8. Patients with secondary occlusal trauma have periodontal disease.
  - a. True
  - b. False
9. Secondary occlusal trauma patients usually have significant food impactions.
  - a. True
  - b. False

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10. Treating primary occlusal trauma is usually NOT difficult.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
11. Grinding bruxism eliminates canine rise.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
12. Grinding bruxism is always done at night.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
13. Clenching bruxism has steep incisal guidance and canine rise.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
14. Bruxism, grinding or clenching, always makes teeth loose.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
15. Biocorrosive abfractions are caused by three factors.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
16. Biocorrosive abfractions should be restored to eliminate further tooth destruction.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
17. Full occlusal coverage (maxillary or mandibular splints) was preferred in this course when needed.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
18. Using a Sved appliance as an occlusal splint can cause the extrusion of posterior teeth.
  - a. True
  - b. False

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19. It was suggested to use a 12-bladed carbide bur when doing occlusal equilibration.  
a. True  
b. False
20. Occlusal equilibration should be accomplished as soon as possible after orthodontic treatment is finished.  
a. True  
b. False

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