

Reasons and Management of Failure of an Initial Endodontic Treatment

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In the private practice as well as in the endodontic departments of the dental schools, pain and inconvenience immediately after an endodontic treatment is common. In almost all cases we are able to help our patients through this short annoying period. What happens if, after an apparently successful endodontic treatment without any inconvenience, several weeks later, the pain comes back, just as it was before the treatment? This lecture will give you as clinician the tools to retrieve the cause of the failing endodontic treatment and will help you to manage it.

Biography:

Andreas Braun graduated in 1990 at ACTA (Academic Centre for Dentistry Amsterdam). Andreas is born in Germany, where he finished his school. For his dental study he came to the Netherlands.

From his graduation on until 1999 he worked part-time in a general dental practice and as lecturer at the Policlinic at ACTA. He followed the postgraduate training Endodontology at ACTA (1999 – 2002). Since his graduation from the postgraduate program he works in a private practice limited to Endodontics and at the department of Endodontology at ACTA. He is currently senior lecturer at ACTA participating in the under- and postgraduate programs in Endodontology.

In addition to the general Endodontology, his primary interests are Dental Traumatology and their application in aesthetic dentistry (orthodontic and restorative possibilities), diagnostics and treatment of (severe) endodontic problems and the repair or correction of endodontic failures.

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