DESCRIPTION

*Dental Management of Sleep Disorders* focuses on the dentist’s role in treating patients with sleep problems, chiefly sleep disordered breathing and bruxism. A practical clinical book, *Dental Management of Sleep Disorders* highlights the background to these problems, discusses the dentist’s role in their diagnosis and treatment, and outlines clinical strategies and guidance. The book features a full discussion of the use of appliances, an overview of current treatment modalities, and investigates the relationship of sleep disorders to dental and orofacial causes.

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FEATURES

• Provides basic foundational knowledge including physiology and pathophysiology of sleep related breathing disorders

• Contextualizes the dentist’s role as a part of the medical team

• Discusses the full range of medical and dental treatment approaches to the most common sleep related breathing disorders

• Includes detailed discussion of clinical applicability of oral appliance therapy

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