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Review of Different Types of Finish Lines and Its Importance

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ABSTRACT:

The design of the finish line is a critical aspect of tooth preparation in dentistry. It has a significant impact on both marginal and occlusal discrepancies. The finish line location is determined by various factors, including aesthetics, periodontal health, biological width, and the need for occlusocervical finish line exposure during impression.

Aesthetics play a vital role in choosing the finish line location, as it should blend harmoniously with the patient's natural dentition. Periodontal health must be considered to avoid damage to the gingival tissues, ensuring a healthy and esthetic outcome. The concept of biological width, which includes the space required for the epithelial and connective tissue, is crucial to prevent periodontal problems.

Moreover, occlusocervical finish line exposure is essential during impression taking to ensure accurate fitting of restorations. Overall, a well-designed finish line takes into account multiple factors to achieve optimal dental restoration results.

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