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Intra-oral scans

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Digital impressions / scans

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| ☐ Anatomy | Make sure all the anatomy is visible: every tooth surface, including the distal surfaces of the last molars, and at least half of the 8s if they are visible. |
| ☐ Gingival tissue | Capture 2–4 mm of gingival tissue beyond the gingival margin on the buccal and the lingual/palatal sides. |
| ☐ No holes | Make sure there are no holes or gaps in the scan. |
| ☐ Debris | If debris, cheek, tongue or fingers are picked up on the anatomy, delete the affected data and rescan that area following your scanner's workflow. If the scan can no longer be aligned accurately, rescan in full. |
| ☐ Bite | Record the patient's normal bite in maximum intercuspation, where their teeth naturally fit together. Do not ask them to push their jaw forward. If their natural bite is edge-to-edge, record it as it is. |
| ☐ Check the bite | Before sending, check that the digital bite matches the patient's clinical bite on both sides. |

WHY IT MATTERS

Please check every record before you send it to avoid repeat appointments, treatment delays and additional costs.

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