

Dento-Facial Esthetic Diagnosis System



The 25 Facial-Esthetic Parameters.

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Beauty Is Subjective, Not Absolute Rules



1. Are they within acceptable limits?
2. Can they be corrected with restorative dentistry?
3. How? (Tx Plan it)
4. Refer out to Specialist.

Dento-Facial Esthetic Photographic Series

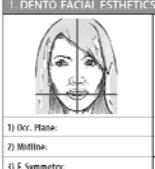
- 11 Photos
- 2 Face
- 4 Non-retracted Close up
- 3 Retracted Close ups
- 2 Occlusal



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1) Dento-Facial Esthetics

I. DENTO-FACIAL ESTHETICS



1) Occl. Plane:
2) Midline:
3) I. Symmetry:

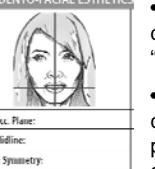
1) Occlusal Plane

- Line parallel to horizon.
- It should touch centrals & canines evenly.



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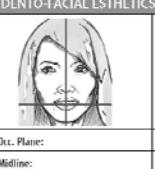
2) Midline

- Vertical Line which dissects "Glabella" and "Filtrum" or cupid's bow.
- It can be up to 3mm off center but it must be perpendicular to the occlusal plane.



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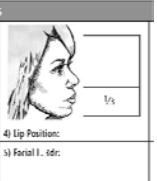
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3) Facial Symmetry

- Any obvious asymmetry should be noted.



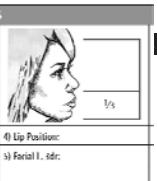
4) Lip Position



- E-line: line thru tip of nose and tip of chin.
- Upper lip 1-2 mm from line.
- Lower lip touch line.
- Very subjective

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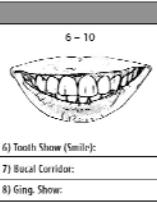
5) Facial Lower Third



- Using the golden proportion ruler.

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6) Tooth Show (Smile)



- Varies with age & gender
- Young females incisal edge touch lower lip
- It is rejuvenating!
- Notice if asymmetrical

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7) Buccal Corridor



6) Tooth Show (Smile):
7) Buccal Corridor:
8) Ging. Show:

- A full (wide smile) is more attractive, think Julia Roberts.

- A lot of negative space is a sign of a narrow upper arch.



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8) Gingival Show



6) Tooth Show (Smile):
7) Buccal Corridor:
8) Ging. Show:

- Up to 2 mm is pleasant on females & 0 mm on men.
- 2+ is gummy smile.
- Can be improved with crown lengthening surgery.
- Symmetry is important!



9) Incisal plane & 10) Incisal plane to lip



9) Incisal Plane:
10) Incisal Plane To Lip:
11) Conversational TS:

- Incisal edge must follow curvature of lower lip.



1) Conversational Tooth Show
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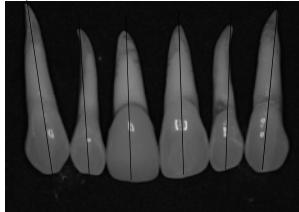
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12) Axial Inclination

2. GROUP ESTHETICS

12) Axial Incline:	16) IA Inclination:
13) Rotation:	17) Esthetic Zone:
14) Crowd/Space:	18) O Jet/O Bite:
15) Embrasure:	19) Lat. Occ. Plane: R L



13) Rotations

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14) Spaces/ Crowding



Space issue can be corrected with:

- Restorative dentistry
- Orthodontics
- A combination




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15) Incisal Embrasures





12) Axial Incline:
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16) Upper Anterior Incisor Inclination



•Upper Anterior (UA) Incisor inclination should be perpendicular or slightly proclined to occlusal plane.




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17) Esthetic Zone



16) UA Inclination:
17) Esthetic Zone:
18) O_Jet/O_Bite:
19) Lat. Occ. Plane: R L

- Based on this, we will decide how many teeth must be involved.



18) Overjet & Overbite



16) UA Inclination:
17) Esthetic Zone:
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19) Lat. Occ. Plane: R L

Important for esthetics and function and it is approximately:
•Overjet 2mm
•Overbite 40%

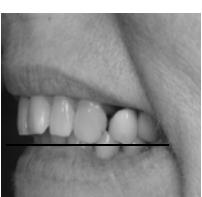


19) Occlusal Plane (lateral view)



16) UA Inclination:
17) Esthetic Zone:
18) O_Jet/O_Bite:
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Edges of maxillary teeth should be in appropriate proximity with the occlusal plane.



20) Papilla

3. GINGIVAL ESTHETICS	
	20) Papilla:
	21) Ging. SYM:
	22) Ging. Biotype:



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21) Gingival Symmetry

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22) Gingival Biotype

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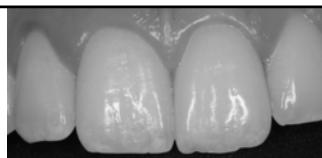


23) Shade

4. TOOTH ESTHETICS



23) Shade: _____ Desired: _____
24) Shape: _____
25) Ratio: _____



Difference between present shade and desired shade will alter treatment plan and choice of materials.

24) Shape

4. TOOTH ESTHETICS



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Wolfart S, Menzel H, Kern M. Inability to relate tooth form to face shape and gender. Eur J Sci 2004;112(12):471

25) Ratio

Ratio of maxillary centrals is approximately 83%.



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24) Shape: _____
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Thank You

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