| | Perio, Endo, or | Classifier | Short Description of Issue and Treatment | Common Terms | Layman Terms |
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| **Issues** | | | | | |
| Gum Recession | Perio | Health | Shrinkage of the gum tissue. | receding gums, gum shrinkage | gums pulling back, shrinking gums |
| Periodontitis (Gum Disease) | Perio | Health | Inflammation and infection of the gums. | gum infection, periodontal disease | bleeding gums, swollen gums |
| Tooth Loss | Both | Health | Missing one or more teeth. | missing teeth, edentulism | gap in teeth, no teeth |
| Anxiety During Dental Procedures | Both | Health | Fear or stress related to dental visits. | dental anxiety, dental phobia | scared of dentist, dental fear |
| Fractured or Hopeless Teeth | Both | Health, Cosmetic | Broken or severely damaged teeth. | broken tooth, damaged tooth | cracked tooth, bad tooth |
| Tooth Pain | Endo | Health | Pain in or around a tooth. | toothache, dental pain | hurting tooth, sore tooth |
| Cracked/Fractured Teeth | Endo | Health, Cosmetic | Partially broken or damaged teeth. | broken tooth, damaged tooth | cracked tooth, chipped tooth |
| Traumatic Injuries | Endo | Health | Physical damage to teeth from impact. | dental trauma, knocked-out tooth | hit in the mouth, tooth knocked out |
| **Treatments** | | | | | |
| Recession Treatment | Perio | Health | Surgical grafting to treat gum recession. | gum graft, connective tissue graft | gum surgery, fixing receding gums |
| Scaling and Root Planing | Perio | Health | Deep cleaning of the gums. | deep cleaning, periodontal cleaning | gum cleaning, tartar removal |
| Dental Implants | Both | Health, Cosmetic | Artificial tooth root replacements. | tooth replacement, implant surgery | fake tooth, screw-in tooth |
| Oral and IV Sedation | Both | Health | Methods to relieve dental anxiety. | conscious sedation, nitrous oxide | laughing gas, dental relaxation |
| Tooth Extraction | Both | Health | Removal of a tooth. | tooth removal, dental extraction | pulling tooth, taking out tooth |
| Root Canal | Endo | Health | Removal of infected tooth pulp. | endodontic therapy, pulp treatment | tooth nerve treatment, fixing tooth pain |
| Retreatment | Endo | Health | Redoing a failed root canal. | root canal retreatment, endodontic revision | redoing root canal, fixing failed root canal |
| Apicoectomy | Endo | Health | Surgical removal of the root tip. | root-end resection, endodontic surgery | tooth root surgery, cutting tooth root |
| Smile Design | Both | Health, Cosmetic | Improving the aesthetic appearance of the smil | cosmetic dentistry, smile makeover | teeth beautification, smile fix |
| Bone Augmentation/Grafting | Both | Health | Adding or encouraging bone in the jaw. | bone graft, alveolar ridge augmentation | jawbone repair, bone build-up |
| Occlusal/Bite Evaluation | Both | Health | Assessment of the bite and jaw alignment. | bite analysis, occlusal assessment | bite check, jaw alignment test |
| Aesthetic Crown Lengthening | Both | Health, Cosmetic | Altering the gum line for aesthetic purposes. | gum contouring, crown exposure | gum reshaping, tooth elongation |