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## 18. An epidemiological survey to evaluate the awareness of anterior tooth restorations in rural population of south coastal karnataka and kerala

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A smile can describe a person's personality. The ideal goal of modern dentistry is to restore the tooth to normal contour, esthetics, function, comfort, speech, and health. The dentist provides such restoration, whether removing caries from a tooth or replacing several teeth. . Treatment alternatives for anterior teeth should be presented to all patient. Only after discussion of all treatment options the dentist can truly appreciate a person's desires for rehabilitation... The awareness among the patients regarding various aesthtic restorative treatment for anterior teeth is not fully understood. Patients are poorly informed about the treatment options available. This survey was conducted to assess the awareness of various treatment modalities for anterior teeth and its prosthodontic treatment in rural population of south coastal karnataka and kerala... Name of the presenter: dr. Nirupama r., m.d.s. reader,. Dept. Of prosthodontics and crown & bridge absmids. Nitte university. Deralakatte, mangalore. Contact no:9449772977.

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