



## **Susan Wingrove Implant Assessment and Instrumentation Protocols**

### **Five Step Assessment Protocol**

- ✓ Visual soft tissue assessment
- ✓ Probe and/ or palpate for signs of infection
- ✓ Assess for calculus and cement
- ✓ Assess for mobility, occlusion and/or pain
- ✓ Assess for bone level

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### **Instrumentation PDT Wingrove Titanium Implant Set L3-4, B5-6, N128/L5Mini**

**Narrow Diameter Implants:** Debride using longer, multi-bent implant scaler (**Wingrove L3-4**) using short horizontal strokes to dislodge if calculus present.

**Wide Diameter Implants:** Debride using universal posterior implant scaler. (**Wingrove B5-6**) using short horizontal strokes to dislodge if calculus present.

**Single implant, ball /locator, and bar-retained implants (includes Mini implants):** Debride using designated implant scaler (**Wingrove N128-L5mini**) with short horizontal strokes if calculus present. Debride the screw indentation on top of locator implant with tip of designated instrument (**Wingrove N128-L5mini**). **Bar retained implants**, use (**Wingrove N128-L5mini**) with short horizontal sweeping strokes under flange and the bar.

**Exposed threads:** Posterior or anterior implants debride any exposed threads using shorter radius blade tip of titanium implant scaler (**Wingrove N128-L5mini**) in horizontal side-to-side motion one thread at a time gently like stairs.

### **Full Fixed Arch Prosthesis/ In-Place and After Prosthesis Removed**

**Fixed prosthesis in place:** debride prosthesis and implants safely using longer multi-bent blade implant scaler (**Wingrove L3-4**) with short horizontal strokes. **Implants after prosthesis removed:** scale implants/ abutments using (**Wingrove L3-4**) prior to reseating.

**Cement Residue-** Debride cement or other debris using (**Wingrove N128-L5mini**) to dislodge the debris with short horizontal strokes. **Doctors after flap surgical procedure** to remove any debris off implants safely.

### **Recare Implant Maintenance Interval**

First year every 3 months/ After first year at least every 6 months, 3 months ideal.