

Supplementary Table 1.

Excluded Studies

Reference	Reason for Exclusion
Becker et al. (1988) ¹²	Short follow-up
Forabosco et al. (1996) ¹⁷	
Isidor et al. (1984) ¹¹	
Lindhe and Nyman (1985) ²²	
Renvert et al. (1985) ²⁸	
Westfelt et al. (1985) ³¹	
Kaldahl et al. (1996) ¹⁸	No report of clinical outcome in numbers
Knowles et al. (1979) ²¹	
Lindhe et al. (1984) ²³	
Pihlstrom et al. (1983) ²⁵	
Ramfjord et al. (1968) ²⁷	
Sigurdsson et al. (1994) ³⁰	
Tan (2002) ³⁶	Same study as Kaldahl et al. ⁶
Kalkwarf et al. (1988) ¹⁹	
Kalkwarf et al. (1989) ²⁰	No comparison with non-surgical therapy
Olsen et al. (1985) ²⁴	
Ramfjord et al. (1973) ³⁴	
Ramfjord et al. (1975) ³⁵	
Rosling et al. (1976) ²⁹	
Pihlstrom et al. (1984) ²⁶	Two separate results of clinical outcomes
Wylam et al. (1993) ³²	In vitro study
Hill et al. (1981) ³³	Same study as Ramfjord et al. ⁸