

How to treat Peri-implantitis

R brush Clinical Case

- Peri implantitis treatment solution
- Create New surface
- Titanium Alloy



Patient Information

Patient: 51 years old male

Medical status: healthy

Dental history: implants placed on #25, 26 & 27

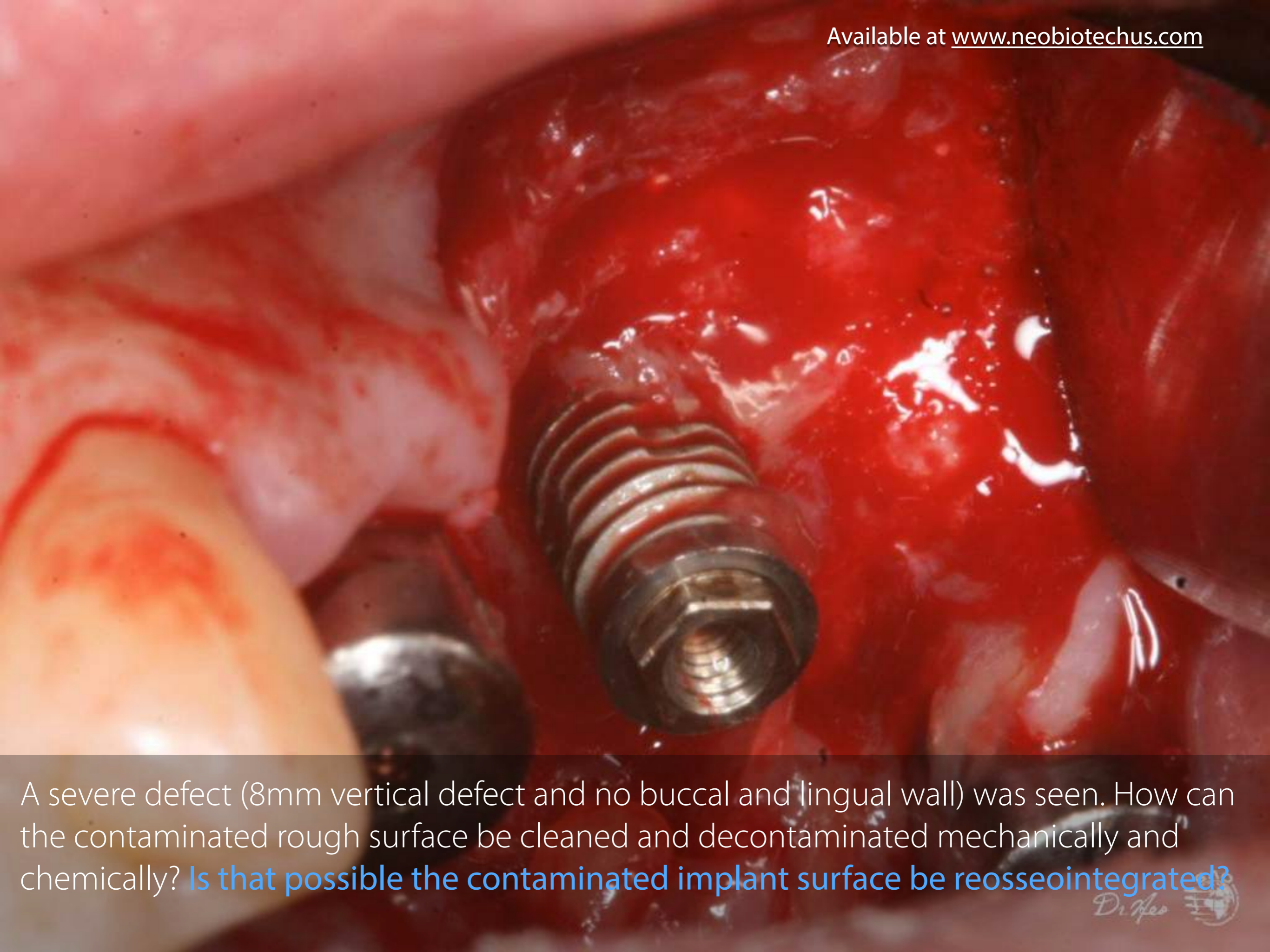
Chief complaint: "I have some discomfort around the left maxillary area."

Diagnosis

3 Brånemark type external implants were placed in the left maxillary posterior area with sinus graft (left). 8 years later, an advanced chronic periimplantitis with severe bone loss around the implant was found in the middle implant area (right).



The 3 unit SCRCP (Screw & Cement Retained Prosthesis) was removed through the screw holes. Soft tissue around the bridge looked fine.



A severe defect (8mm vertical defect and no buccal and lingual wall) was seen. How can the contaminated rough surface be cleaned and decontaminated mechanically and chemically? **Is that possible the contaminated implant surface be reosseointegrated?**



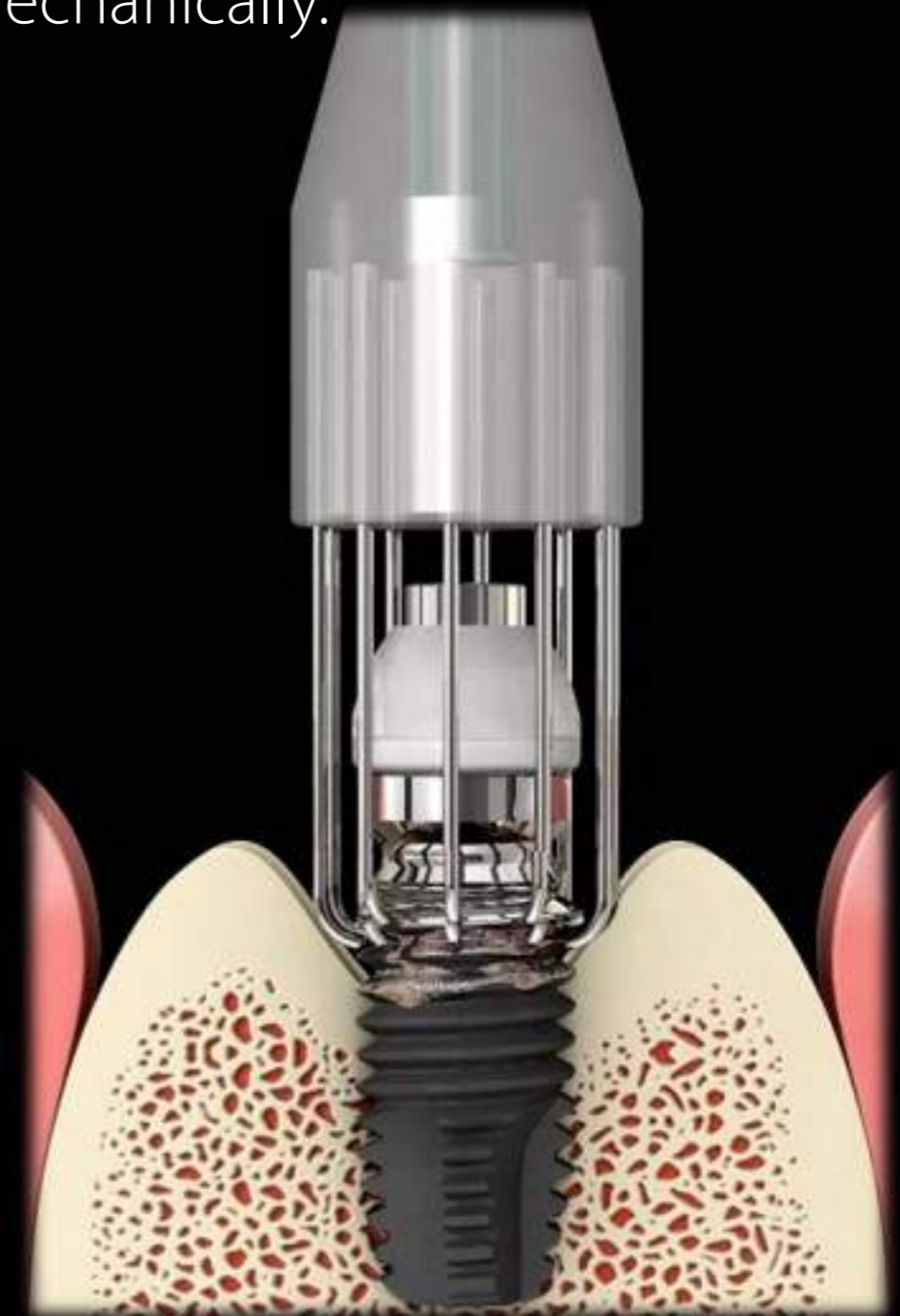
A regular size of R-Brush (Neobiotech, Korea) was used to decontaminate the contaminated rough surface mechanically.

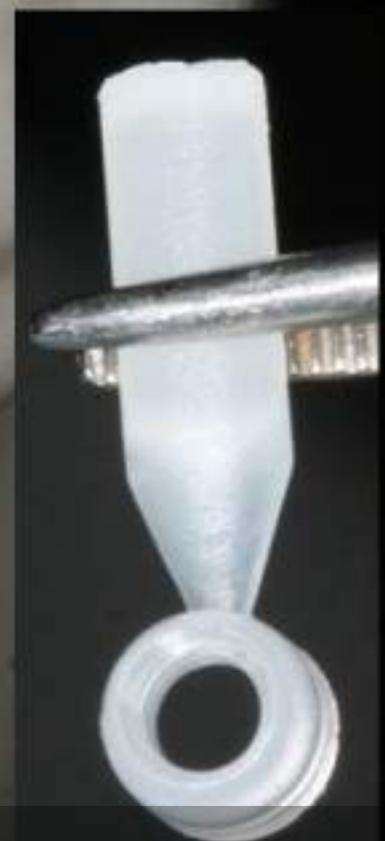


Narrow/Regular

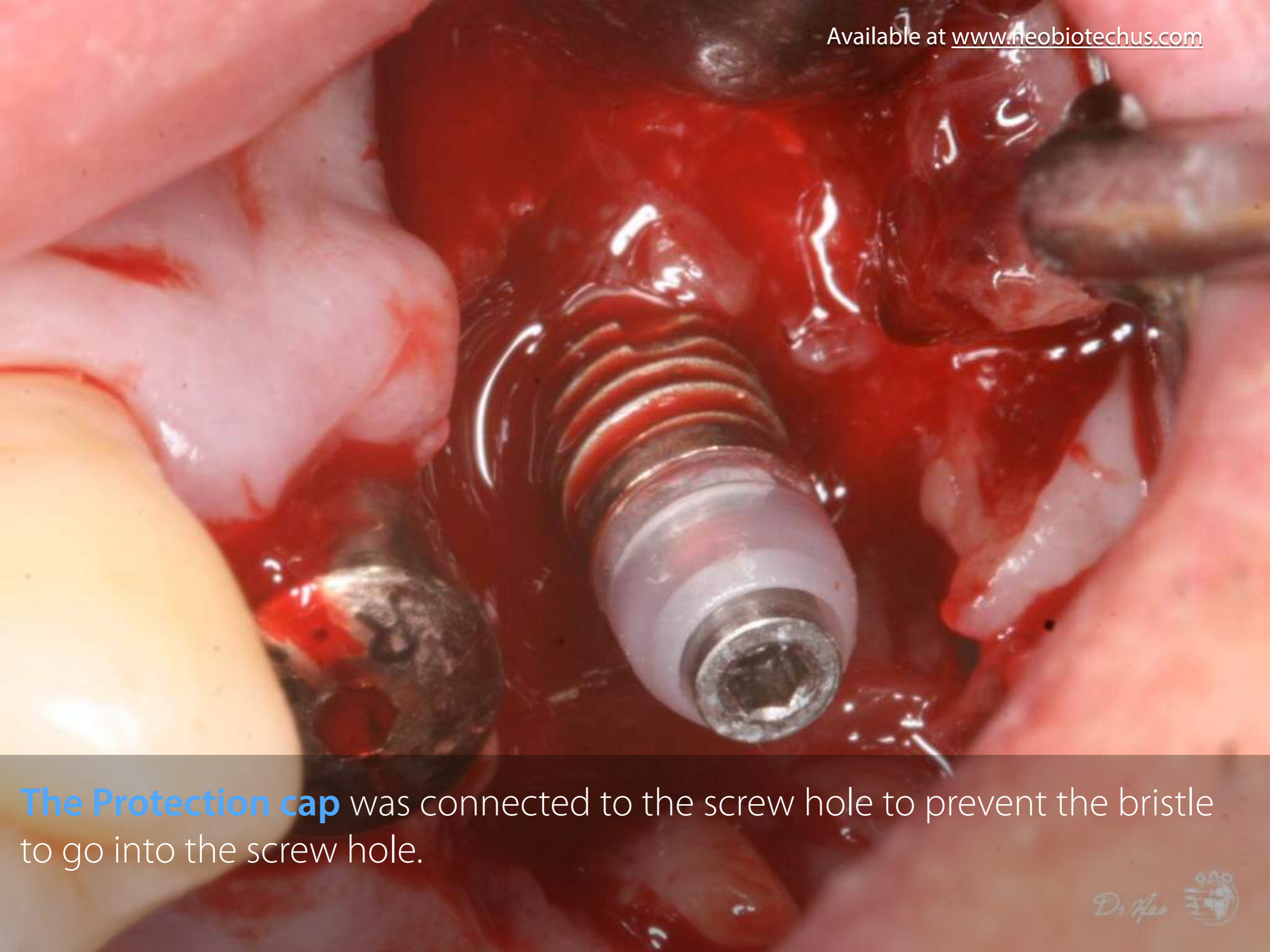


Wide



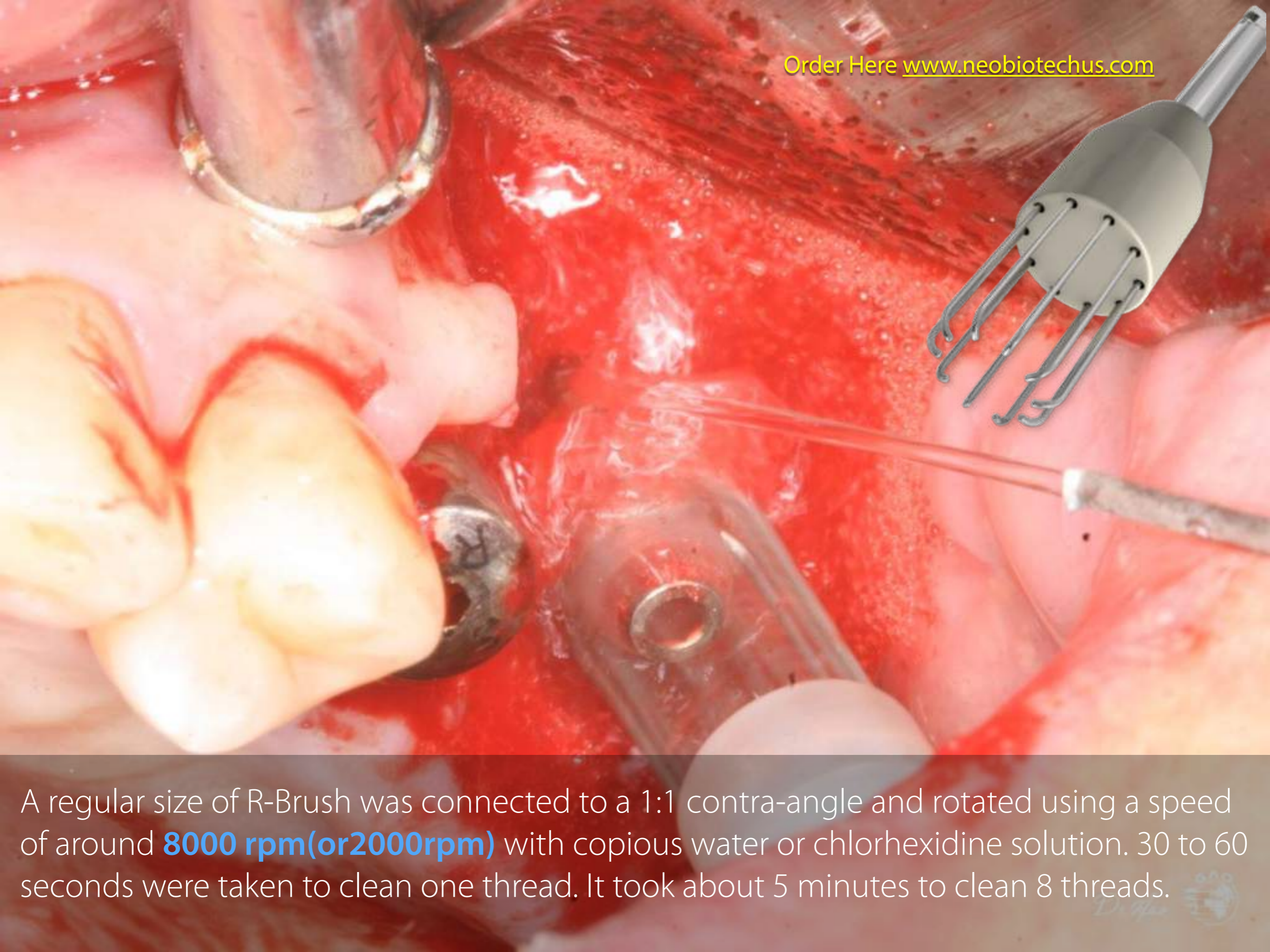


Before using the R-Brush, the original screw from the prosthesis was inserted to a protection cap.



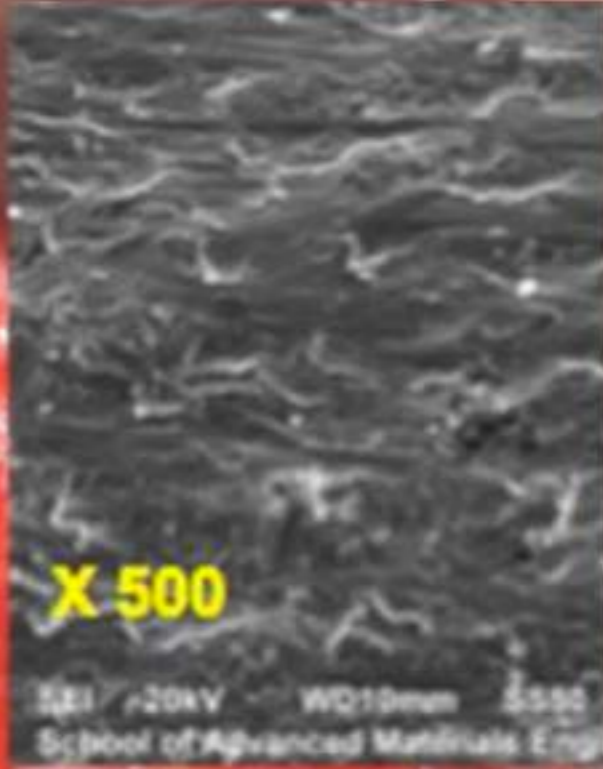
The Protection cap was connected to the screw hole to prevent the bristle to go into the screw hole.

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A regular size of R-Brush was connected to a 1:1 contra-angle and rotated using a speed of around **8000 rpm(or2000rpm)** with copious water or chlorhexidine solution. 30 to 60 seconds were taken to clean one thread. It took about 5 minutes to clean 8 threads.

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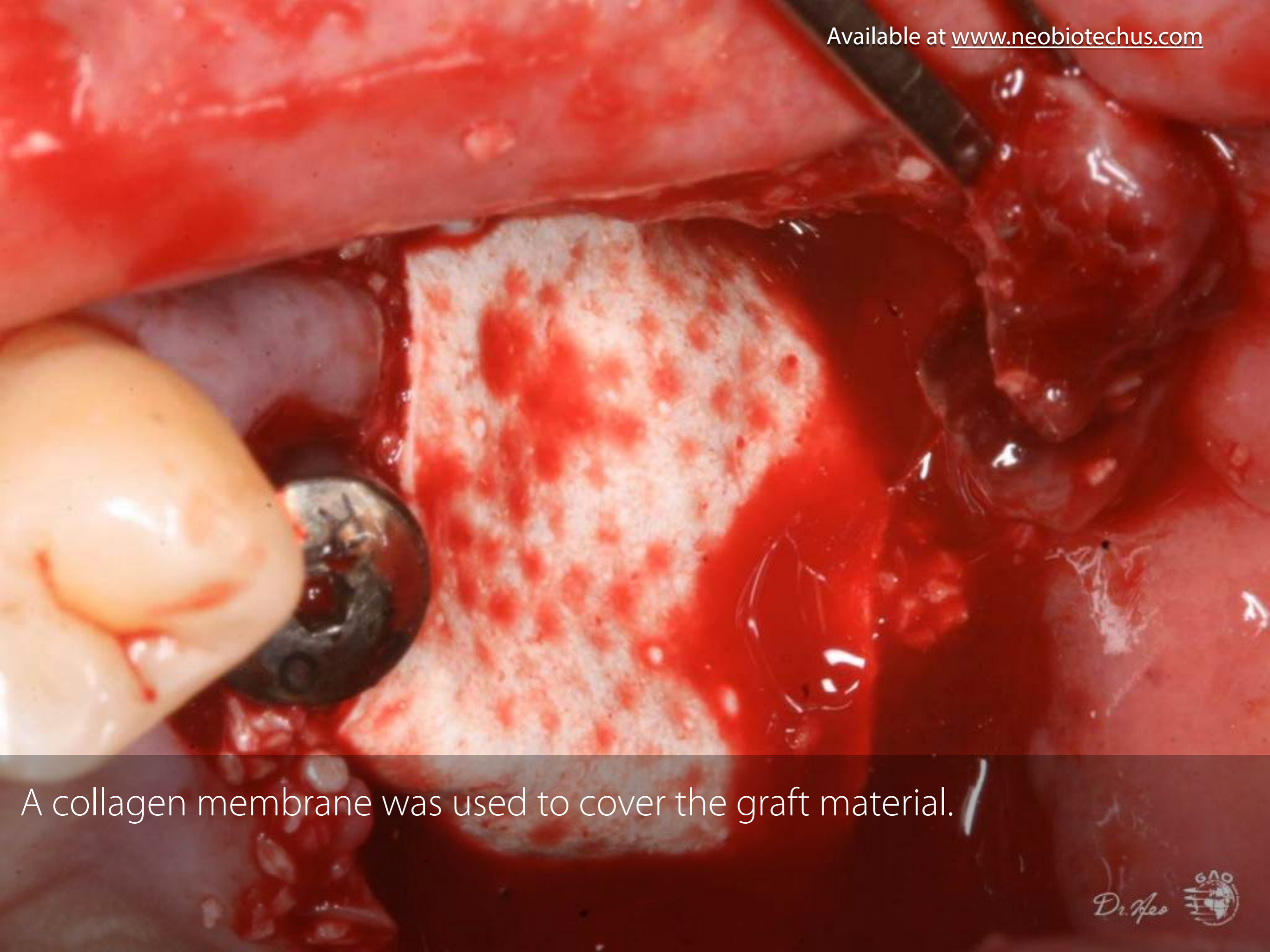


A clean surface like a machine surface was seen. It is known that the R-Brush could eliminate the original surface and **create a new rough surface** which is not like machine surface but like new rough surface having Ra: 1-1.2.

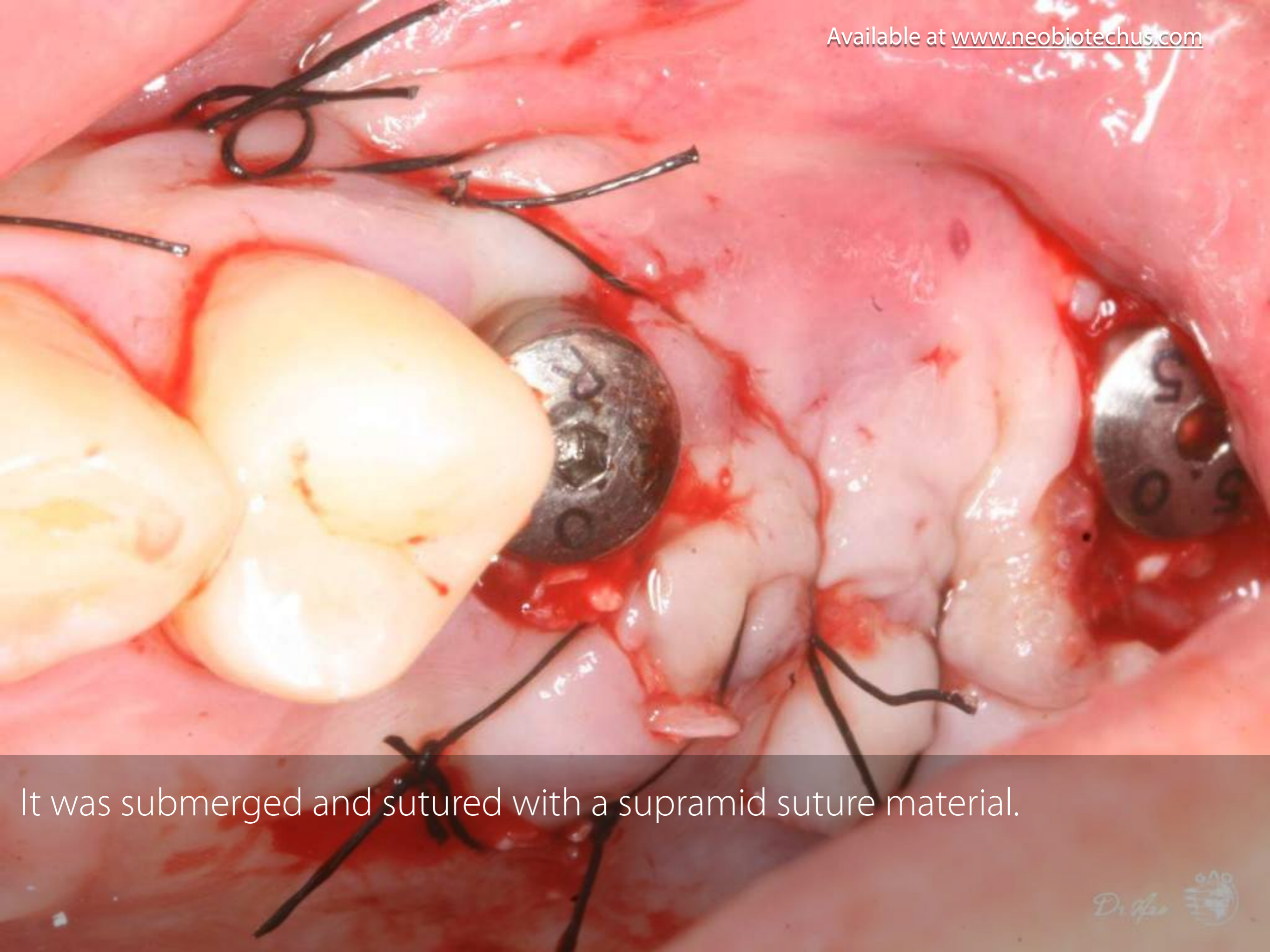




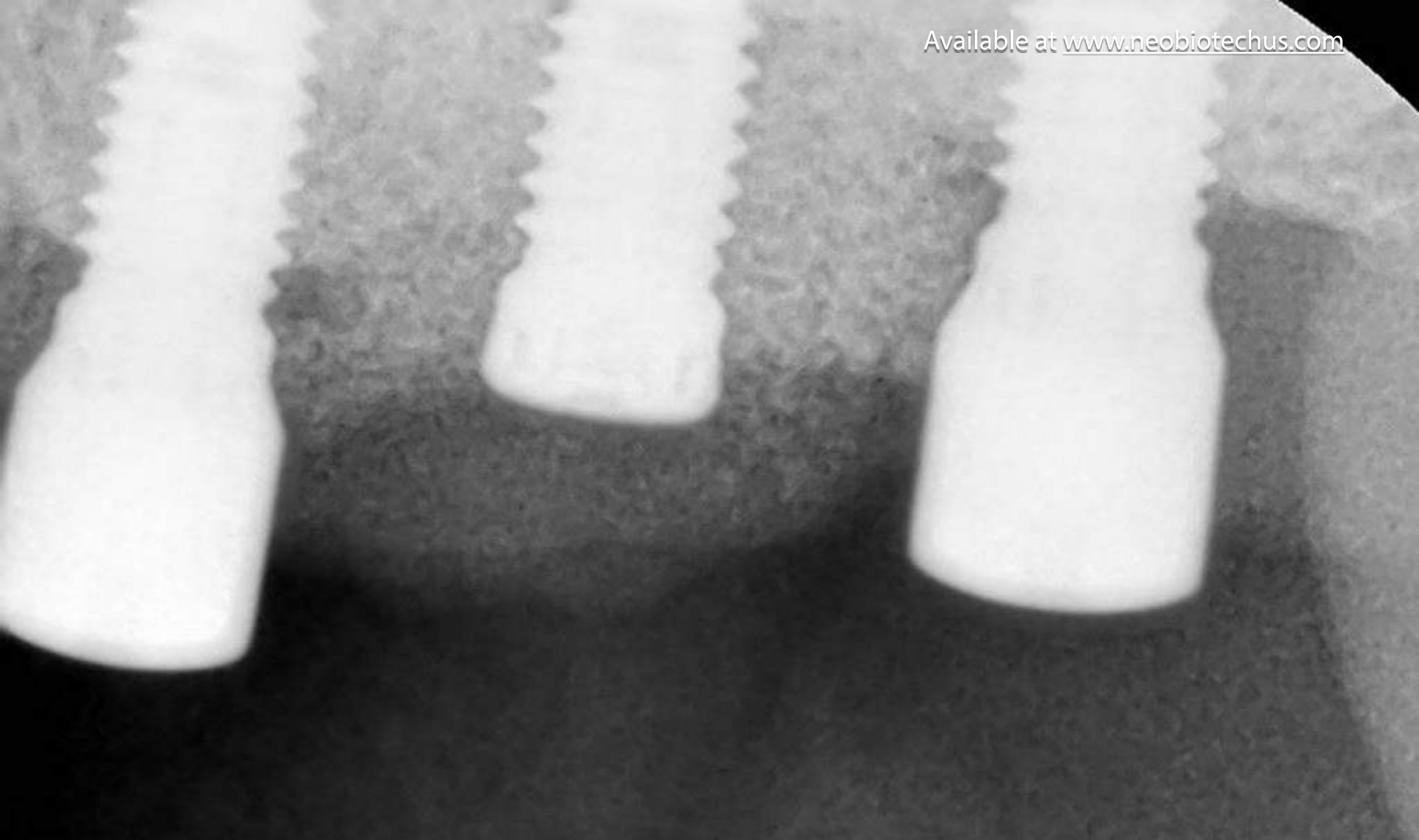
An allogeneic graft (RegenOss) was used to graft the large defect. The implant itself could be a space maintainer.



A collagen membrane was used to cover the graft material.



It was submerged and sutured with a supramid suture material.



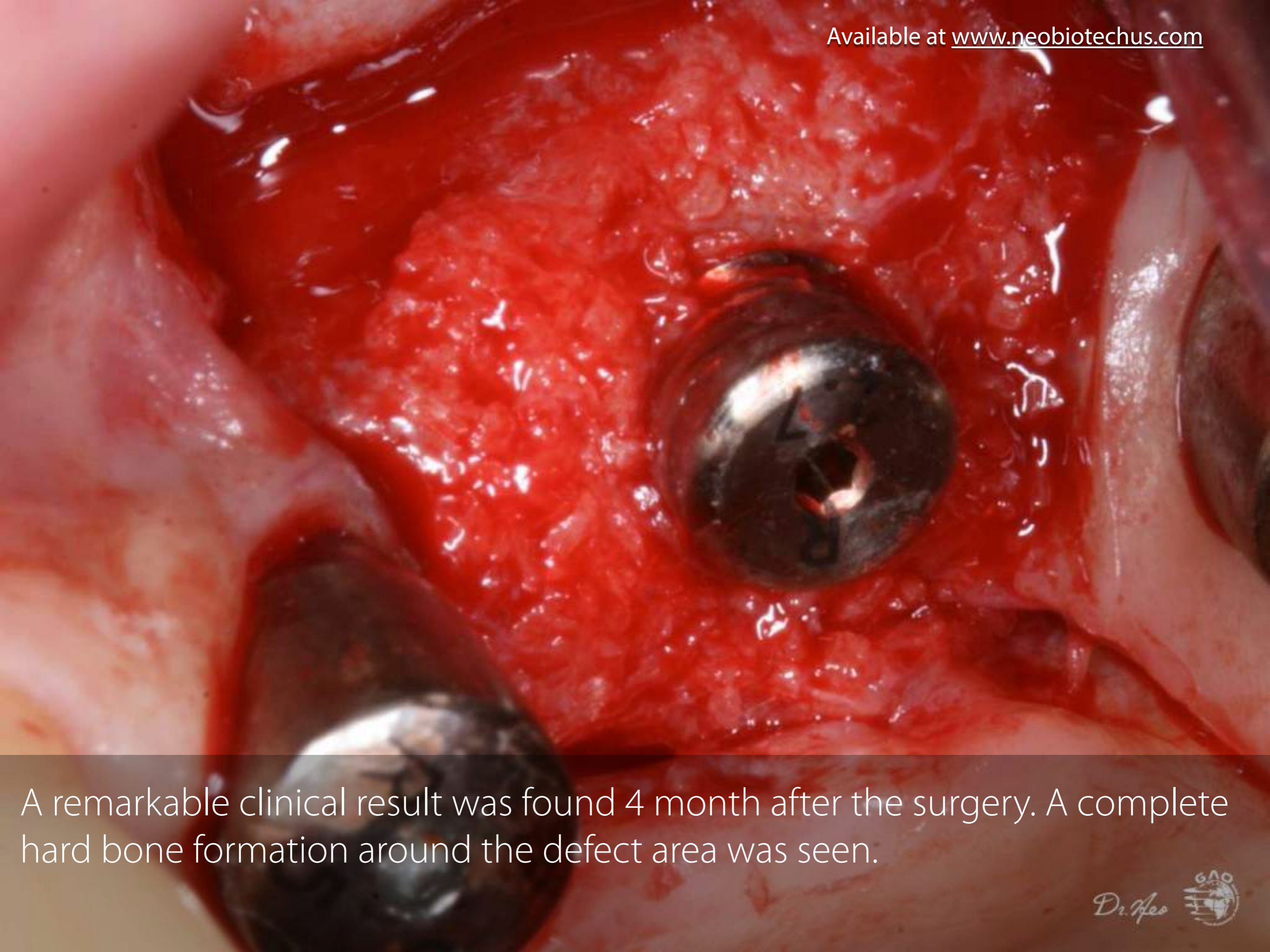
A radiograph right after the surgery.



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Radiographic view 4 month after the surgery.



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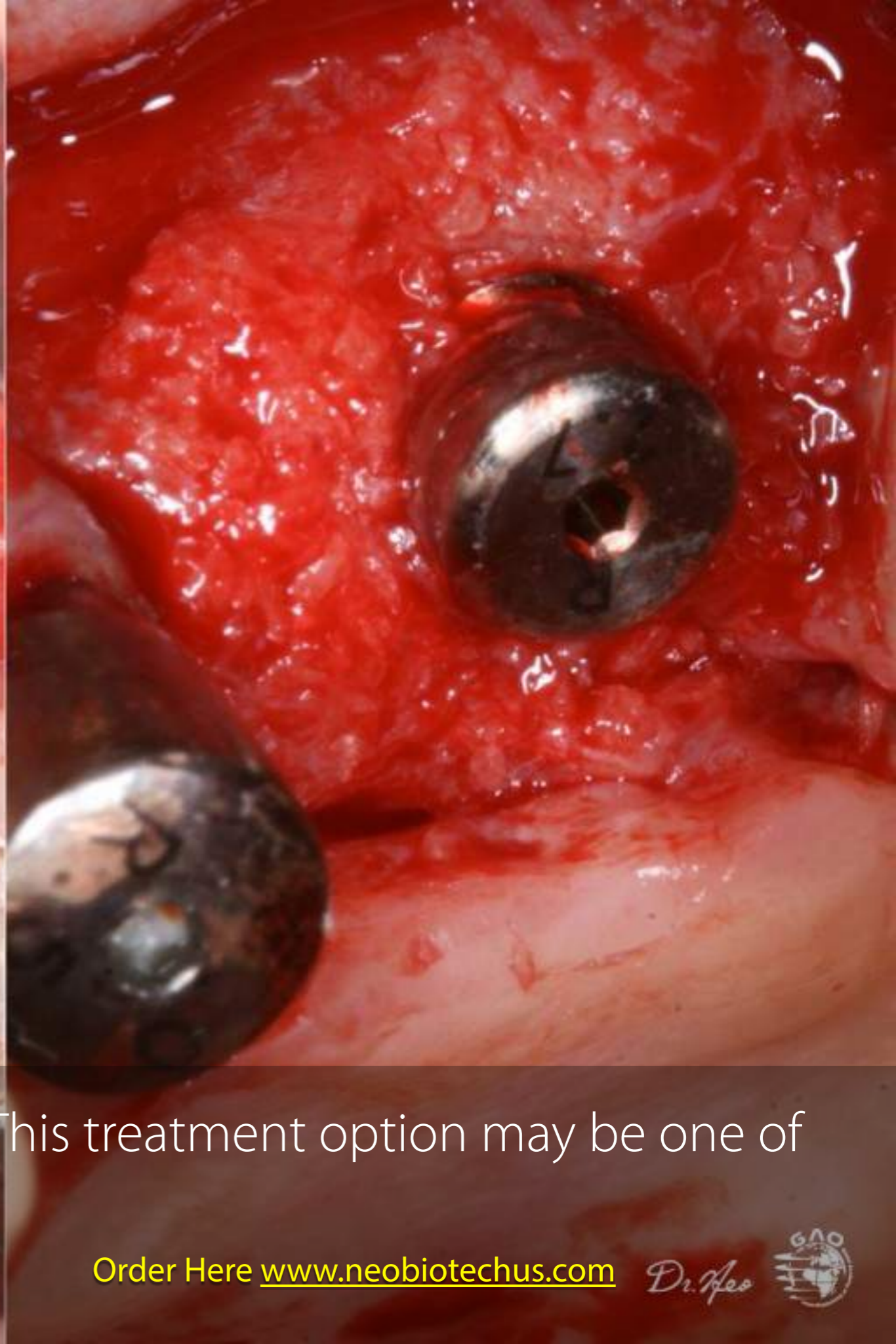
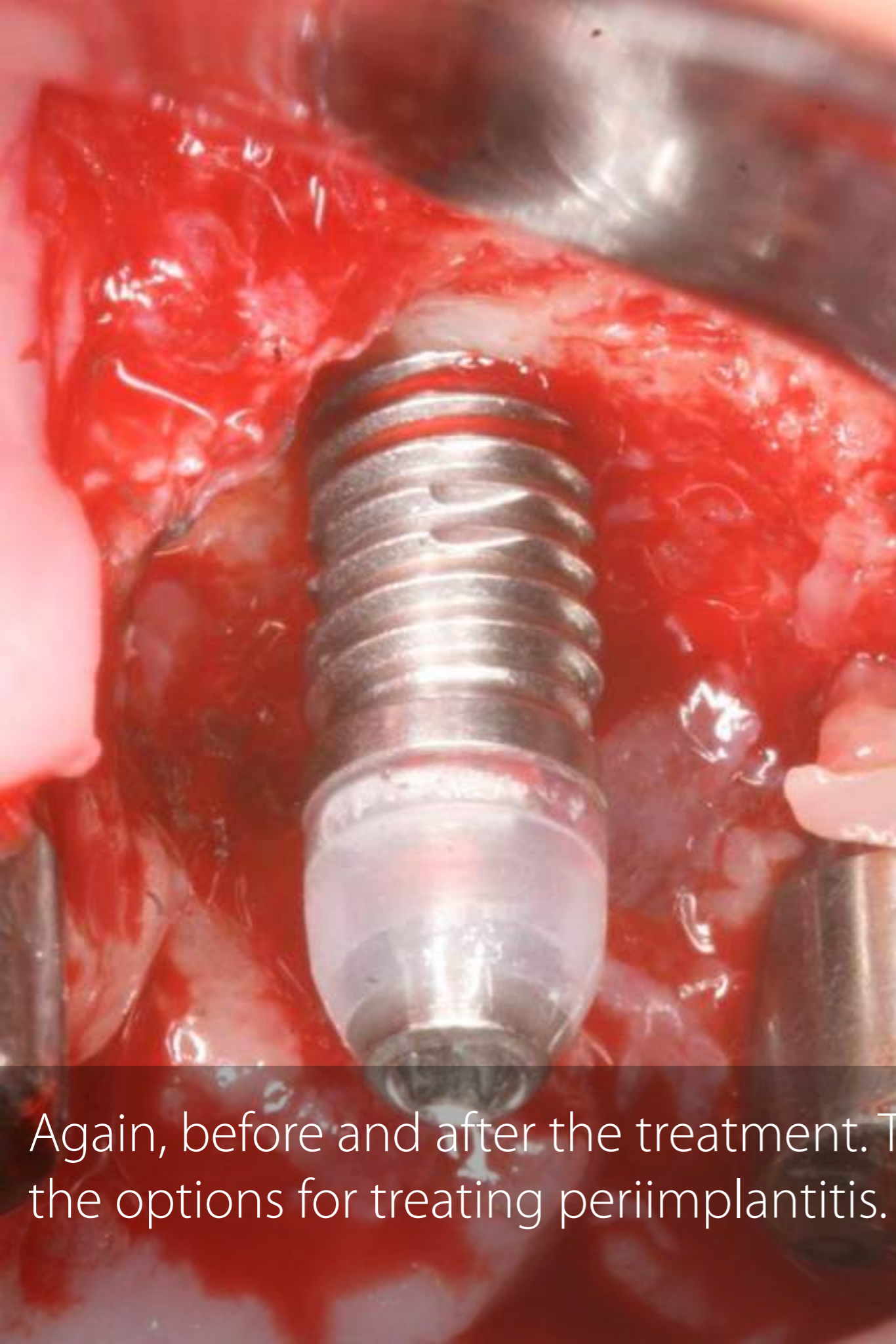
Buccal view at 4 months after delivery of the old SCR. The gingiva looks healthy.



Periapical radiograph shows the result of regeneration of the bone around the periimplantitis area 4 months after the surgery.



8 months follow-up.



Again, before and after the treatment. This treatment option may be one of the options for treating periimplantitis.

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