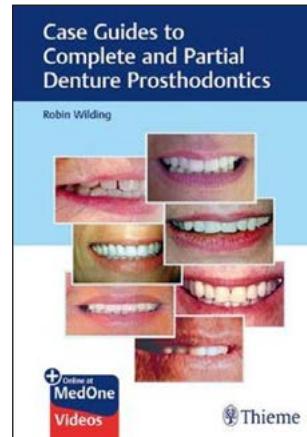


# Book Reviews

## Prikazi knjiga

Title <i>Naslov</i>	<b>CASE GUIDES TO COMPLETE AND PARTIAL DENTURE PROSTHODONTICS</b>
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Nowadays, the focus of most of dental medicine is on dental implantology and implant prosthetics, which most of new literature in dentistry closely follows. However, some patients with partial and complete edentulousness cannot or do not want to have dental implants. In some of these patients, it is necessary to fabricate a partial or complete removable denture, which is still an art.

Case Guides to Complete and Partial Denture Prosthodontics is new title (2020 year) by the prosthodontic specialist Robin Wilding, professor emeritus of the University of the Western Cape (South Africa). It consists of 137 pages with 229 illustrations. This title tries to present the fabrication of partial and complete removable dentures in a simple manner, with case guides, ie with different realistic scenarios that can be encountered in the dental practice. It starts with simpler case guides (anterior tooth replacement with acrylic removable partial denture) to more complicated ones. It has 11 chapters – The Acrylic-Based RPD Replacing Anterior Teeth; The Acrylic-Based RPD Replacing Posterior Teeth; Duplicating an Existing Complete Denture; Complete Maxillary and Mandibular Dentures; The Single Complete Denture Opposed by a Natural Dentition; Metal Framework Support for an RPD; Special Needs of the Elderly Denture Patient; The Alveolar Ridge with Advanced Resorption; Complete Dentures with Arch Size Discrepancy; Capturing the Essence of a Natural Smile; Implant-Supported Mandibular Overdentures. This title has also 12 appendices - the focus is on the presentation of case guides, and what is not directly related to case guides is placed in the appendices (physiology of tooth loss, anatomy, retention and stabilization of complete dentures, etc.).

This title is intended primarily for students – the simplicity of writing can help in easier understanding of the problem of partial and complete dentures, and better readiness for practical work. In addition, the title is intended also for specialists and practitioners who want to renew or expand their knowledge in fabrication of partial and complete removable dentures.

Danas je fokus najvećeg dijela dentalne medicine usmjeren na implantologiju i implantoprotetiku te najveći dio nove literature obraduje te teme. Ipak, dio pacijenata s djelomičnom i potpunom bezubošću ne može ili ne želi ugraditi dentalne implantate. Za njih je potrebno izraditi djelomičnu, tj. potpunu protezu, što je još uvijek umijeće.

Case Guides to Complete and Partial Denture Prosthodontics nova je knjiga (2020. godina) protetičara Robina Wildinga, profesora emeritusa Sveučilišta Western Cape (Južnoafrička Republika). Sastoji se od ukupno 137 stranica te sadržava 229 slika. U knjizi autor nastoji jednostavno prikazati izradu djelomičnih i potpunih proteza i to na temelju prikaza slučajeva, tj. različitih realnih scenarija koji se mogu dogoditi u ordinaciji dentalne medicine. Kreće se od jednostavnijih slučajeva (nadoknada prednjih zuba djelomičnom akrilatnom protezom) prema komplikiranijima. Ima 11 poglavља – Djelomična akrilatna proteza za prednje zube; Djelomična akrilatna proteza za stražnje zube; Kopiranje proteze; Gornja i donja potpuna proteza; Potpuna proteza nasuprot prirodnog denticij; Djelomične proteze s metalnom bazom; Posebne potrebe starijih pacijenata; Sanacija alveolarnog grebena s uznapredovalom resorpcijom; Potpune proteze kod nerazmjera gornjega i donjega bezubog grebena (malokluzije); Postići prirodni osmjeh; Pokrovne proteze na implantatima. Knjiga ima i 12 dodataka – fokus se nastoji držati na prikazu realnih slučajeva izrade proteze, a ono što nije izravno vezano za taj postupak uvršteno je u dodatke (fiziologija gubitka zuba, anatomija, retencija i stabilizacija potpunih proteza itd.). Na kraju se nalazi indeks pojmova, čime se olakšava pretraživanje i snalaženje u knjizi.

Knjiga je uglavnom namijenjena studentima – jednostavnost teksta može pomoći u lakšem razumijevanju problematike djelomičnih i potpunih proteza te boljoj spremnosti za praktičan rad. Osim studentima, knjiga je namijenjena i specijalizantima te kolegama praktičarima koji žele obnoviti ili proširiti svoja znanja o izradi djelomičnih i potpunih proteza.

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