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Clear Brackets

Allure Ortho has introduced Essence G2, the second generation of its popular Essence Crystal Clear Brackets, which the company claims is the strongest and lowest-friction clear bracket on the market. According to the company, the Essence G2 is the easiest bracket to debond, with no risk of shattering. The updated bracket features more space under the tie wings for easier ligation and a state-of-the-art base for improved retention.



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Eco-Conscious Aligner

Using new 4D Shape-Shifting Technology, K Line Europe recently introduced ClearX Aligners, which can be activated to change their shape after one week of use, reducing plastic consumption by almost 50% without compromising clinical results. With fewer aligners required and reduced treatment times, ClearX offers faster, more transformative results, according to the company.



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Oral Rinse

OraCare has released Ortho Protect, a home-care mouth rinse formulated specifically for patients using braces or aligners. According to the company, Ortho Protect features four key ingredients: chlorine dioxide, which can kill decay-causing bacteria; poloxamer 407, which helps create a smooth tooth surface; calcium lactate, which makes calcium available to the patient's teeth; and xylitol, which assists with remineralization and elimination of bacteria.



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Safety Eyewear

Palmero's ProVision Safety Eyewear enhances eyesight protection for clinicians and patients alike. Dental professionals constantly perform tasks that place them and their patients at risk for exposure to blood and respiratory droplets. The company states that its safety eyewear protects against sprays and splashes for infection control, eliminates blue-light exposure, and guards against projectiles that can permanently damage the eye. The styles are comfortable enough to ensure patient and staff compliance.



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