Stabilized Stannous Fluoride dentifrices are toothpastes of choice: Middle East dental consensus

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Dubai, UAE: On 02-03 November 2017, a selected panel of ME elite dental academicians gathered for a two-day scientific consensus to discuss recommendations for best choice of toothpaste. This unique assembly took place at The Address Hotel Dubai Marina, UAE. The results were presented live on stage at the 9th Dental Facial Cosmetics International Conference which took place at KKH Dubai Festival City on 03-04 November 2017.

The consensus was led by Professor Hien Chi Ngo, Dean of College of Dental Medicine of the University of Sharjah and Dr. Elias Berdouses, Board Member of Emirates Pediatric Dental Club. The consensus was achieved by the Delphi methodology, which can predispose to periodontitis, there is evidence that a toothpaste with Stabilized Stannous Fluoride has distinctive advantages in restoring and maintaining gingival health by reducing plaque and calculus deposition.

Tooth Health
There is emerging scientific evidence supporting the anti-inflammatory action of Stabilized Stannous Fluoride in patients with gingivitis, which can predispose to periodontitis. In addition, there is evidence that a toothpaste with Stabilized Stannous Fluoride has distinctive advantages in restoring and maintaining gingival health by reducing plaque and calculus deposition.

Over the two days, the consensus culminated in the above recommendations which are agreed and signed off by the expert panel:

Prof. Hien Chi Ngo – Moderator, Dean of College of Dental Medicine, University of Sharjah, UAE
Dr. Elias Berdouses – Moderator, Board Member Emirates Pediatric Dental Club, UAE
Prof. Crawford Bain – Chairman Periodontics Department, Hamdan Bin Mohammed College of Dental Medicine, UAE
Dr. Arwa Al-Sayed – Chairman of the Consensus Group; Standing from left to right Dr. Eleftherios Kaklamanos, Prof. Khaled Bako, Dr. Elias Berdouses, Prof. Crawford Bain, Prof. Hien Chi Ngo, Dr. Ajay Juneja, Dr. Montaser Al-Qutub. Sitting from left to right: Dr. Samira Al-Osailan, Prof. Nada Naaman, Prof. Arwa Al-Sayed, Dr. Nafil Al-Mousa

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