

New “scanbody” image catalogue introduced

A new “scanbody” image catalogue will be introduced with the Sirona Connect Software 4.5. This will change the workflow of the scanning process for implants compared with previous Sirona Connect Software versions.

What will change?

In order to record the position of the implant, ScanPost or TiBase must be recorded in the “scanbody” image catalogue. Ideally, the “lower jaw/upper jaw” image catalogue should no longer contain a scanbody. The “gingiva mask” image catalogue is no longer required for new cases. The gingiva information is taken directly from the “lower jaw/upper jaw” image catalogue.

What will this improve?

It eliminates problems that occasionally occur during bite registration caused by an excessively high ScanPost.

Recommended procedure

1. Start by scanning the jaw (without ScanPost or TiBase).
2. Then scan the antagonist and take a buccal scan in the terminal occlusion position.
3. Insert the ScanPost or TiBase for the scan. During this time, the models can already be calculated.
4. Now scan the ScanPost, ensuring that you scan part of the adjacent dentition in order to allow for a match with the preparation scan.

Note: We advise against scanning the entire situation with ScanPost or TiBase and then copying this information into the missing “scanbody” or “lower jaw/upper jaw” image catalogue. Otherwise the improvements described above will not work.