



Dr. Brian Hornberger
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Case of the Month

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Before



After



This 72 year old male was referred for endodontic evaluation of asymptomatic tooth #12. Previous endodontic treatment was inadequately sealed and large periapical pathology was present. #12 had been heavily restored, using a pair of threaded posts in the buildup under the crown.

Endodontic periapical surgery was recommended and performed. Surgical exposure demonstrated solid bone along the coronal 2/3rds of the root with no obvious root fracture noted. Treatment included curettage of granulomatous tissue, beveling of root apices, retro-prepping each canal space and placing retrofillings of IRM in each. This tooth has since successfully healed.



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