



Dr. Brian Hornberger
presents

Case of the Month

November 2010

Before



This patient was referred by his general dentist for persistent pain relating to tooth #29. The dentist had completed the root canal 4 months earlier, and it remained symptomatic. Examination revealed the likelihood of an additional root canal system that had not yet been located.

After



Upon instrumentation, 2 separate canal spaces were located, cleaned and sealed. Post-space was created per the dentist's request. The literature states that 12% of mandibular second premolars will have two canal systems with 2.5% of them resulting in two separate apical foramina. Careful pre-op assessment and diagnosis will help ensure your patient's endodontic result is successful.



Creating happy patients with experience & skill

3801 Lone Tree Way | Antioch, CA 94509
Phone: (925) 753-5810 | www.eastcountyendo.com