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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This article reports a case of a patient that underwent orthodontic treatment with a general dentist and that ended losing one teeth because of a displaced elastic. It calls attention to the fact of unprepared professionals doing orthodontics and having bad results, and the importance to inform the population about the risks. The only issue I think that deserves consideration is about the differential diagnosis between severe and progressive periodontal disease and the presence of the elastic in the pocket, which was not identified. The early identification of it would avoid tooth loss. Thus, the authors should call attention to the fact that the dentist did not noted the elastic and this is the real cause of the tooth loss, although it was there because of the orthodontic treatment.

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This is a very good case report, which describes a severe periodontal destruction caused by an orthodontic elastic displacement. The case report alerts the danger of "DIY" orthodontics. There are only several minor comments 1. Teeth "1.6 and 1.7" seems neither FDI nor Universal tooth numbering systems. 2. Page 5: There is an extra space after "interest". 3. Differential diagnosis: According to 1999 AAP world workshop about classification, it should be "aggressive periodontitis" instead of "aggressive periodontal disease". 4. Pathological diagnosis: "Loos" is a typo. 5. The format of reference #17 is different from that of others.