# Online Supplemental Appendix 

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## Material and methods

## Covariates

Socio-demographic variables were obtained through health-related interviews. School education was categorized as <10/10/>10 years. Smoking was classified into never, former, and current smoking. Information on dental check-up during the last 12 months, tooth brushing frequency (</ $\geq 2$ times/day), and former orthodontic treatment were recorded. Anthropometric measurements were taken under standardized conditions using a weighing scale and a height measuring devices (SOEHNLE, Murrhardt, Germany). Waist circumference was measured to the nearest 0.5 cm . Abdominal obesity was defined as a waist circumference of $\geq 102 \mathrm{~cm}$ for men and $\geq 88 \mathrm{~cm}$ for women. Diabetes mellitus was defined as self-reported physician's diagnosis or antidiabetic treatment (Anatomical Therapeutic Chemical Classification System (ATC) code A10) or non-fasting glucose levels $\geq 11.1 \mathrm{mmol} / \mathrm{l}$ or glycated haemoglobin concentrations $\geq 6.5 \%$.

## Coronal caries examinations

Recording protocols were identical in SHIP-0 and SHIP-3, with the same side being examined. All examinations were conducted in an illuminated dental chair and without the use of aspiration or an air jet. Coronal caries was diagnosed visually using a periodontal probe (PCP-11, Hu-Friedy, USA) to touch the tooth surface softly. Coronal caries was examined excluding third molars on a surface level
in order to determine the number of sound, carious (including dentine caries only), missing and filled surfaces in a half-mouth design (alternating on the left or right side) after no statistically relevant rightleft difference was detected in the pilot phase of SHIP-0. The number of filled teeth was determined based on with a maximum of 7 permanent teeth (upper jaw only, excluding third molars) with (depending on the tooth type) 4 to 5 surfaces each, resulting in 32 surfaces being assessed in total.

In SHIP-0, dental examinations were performed by eight calibrated and licensed general dentists. In calibration exercises, Cohen's kappa reliability coefficients of 0.9-1.0 (intra-examiner) and 0.93-0.96 (inter-examiner) were attained. In SHIP-3, dental examinations were performed by six calibrated and licensed general dentists. In calibration exercises, Cohen's kappa reliability coefficients of 0.88-0.98 (intra-examiner) and 0.95-0.99 (inter-examiner) were attained.

## Tables and figures

Appendix Table 1. The predefined first-choice-reference-points.

| Point | Location | Description |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| S000 | anterior teeth | most labial point |
| S001 | Tooth 14 | medial in the central fissure |
| S002 | Tooth 24 | medial in the central fissure |
| S003 | Tooth 11 | on the palatinal fossa |
| S004 | Tooth 12 | on the palatinal fossa |
| S005 | Tooth 22 | on the palatinal fossa |
| S006 | Tooth 13 | on the palatinal fossa |
| S007 | Tooth 23 | on the palatinal fossa |
| S008 | Tooth 15 | medial in the central fissure |
| S009 | Tooth 25 | medial in the central fissure |
| S016 | most distal palatine ruga in the II. quadrant | medial end |
| S010 | Tooth 16 | Tooth 27 |
| S013 | Tooth 26 | median palatine raphe |
| S015 | intersection of central fissure and buccal fissure |  |

Appendix Table 2. Points of different choices defining the occlusal planes.

| Occlusal plane | Priority | Point 1 | Point 2 | Point 3 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 1. choice | 16 | 12 | 24 |
|  | 2. choice | 17 | 13 | 25 |
|  | 3. choice | 15 | 11 | 26 |
| 2 | 1. choice | 14 | 22 | 26 |
|  | 2. choice | 15 | 23 | 27 |
| 3 | 3. choice | 16 | 11 | 25 |
|  | 2. choice | 17 | 13 | 25 |
|  | 3. choice | 15 | 23 | 27 |
|  |  | 16 | 11 | 26 |

Appendix Table 3. Distances between occlusal planes and reference points in SHIP-0 and SHIP-3.

| Occlusal <br> plane | Reference <br> Point | N | Distance in <br> SHIP-0, mm | Distance in <br> SHIP-3, mm | 16 -year <br> change, mm | P-value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 14 | 133 | $13.32 \pm 2.83$ | $13.66 \pm 2.86$ | $0.33[0.28 ; 0.39]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 1 | 15 | 140 | $12.07 \pm 2.59$ | $12.41 \pm 2.58$ | $0.34[0.28 ; 0.40]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 1 | 16 | 140 | $12.22 \pm 2.42$ | $12.54 \pm 2.46$ | $0.33[0.27 ; 0.39]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 1 | All | 140 | $12.49 \pm 2.39$ | $12.83 \pm 2.41$ | $0.33[0.28 ; 0.39]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 2 | 14 | 133 | $13.44 \pm 2.78$ | $13.78 \pm 2.81$ | $0.34[0.28 ; 0.39]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 2 | 15 | 140 | $12.25 \pm 2.53$ | $12.59 \pm 2.54$ | $0.34[0.28 ; 0.39]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 2 | 16 | 140 | $12.20 \pm 2.33$ | $12.54 \pm 2.37$ | $0.33[0.28 ; 0.39]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 2 | All | 140 | $12.58 \pm 2.34$ | $12.92 \pm 2.37$ | $0.33[0.28 ; 0.39]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 3 | 14 | 133 | $13.24 \pm 2.70$ | $13.57 \pm 2.72$ | $0.33[0.27 ; 0.39]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 3 | 15 | 140 | $12.03 \pm 2.54$ | $12.36 \pm 2.53$ | $0.34[0.28 ; 0.39]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 3 | 16 | 140 | $12.19 \pm 2.41$ | $12.50 \pm 2.43$ | $0.32[0.27 ; 0.38]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 3 | All | 140 | $12.44 \pm 2.36$ | $12.77 \pm 2.37$ | $0.33[0.28 ; 0.38]$ | $<0.001$ |
| all | All | 140 | $12.51 \pm 2.31$ | $12.84 \pm 2.33$ | $0.33[0.28 ; 0.38]$ | $<0.001$ |

Values of point-to-plane distances are presented as mean $\pm$ standard deviation. Changes in point-to-plane distances between SHIP-0 and SHIP-3 are presented as mean [95\% confidence interval]. P-values were obtained by paired t-tests.

Appendix Table 4. Distances between occlusal planes and reference points in SHIP-O and SHIP-3, excluding participants with incident tooth loss.

| Occlusal <br> plane | Reference <br> point | N | Distance in <br> SHIP-0, mm | Distance in <br> SHIP-3, mm | 16 -year <br> change, mm | P-value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 14 | 106 | $13.35 \pm 2.95$ | $13.65 \pm 2.97$ | $0.30[0.24 ; 0.36]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 1 | 15 | 113 | $11.99 \pm 2.67$ | $12.30 \pm 2.67$ | $0.31[0.25 ; 0.37]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 1 | 16 | 113 | $12.25 \pm 2.45$ | $12.54 \pm 2.48$ | $0.29[0.24 ; 0.35]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 1 | all | 113 | $12.48 \pm 2.46$ | $12.78 \pm 2.48$ | $0.30[0.25 ; 0.35]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 2 | 14 | 106 | $13.49 \pm 2.89$ | $13.79 \pm 2.92$ | $0.30[0.24 ; 0.36]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 2 | 15 | 113 | $12.18 \pm 2.61$ | $12.48 \pm 2.62$ | $0.30[0.24 ; 0.36]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 2 | 16 | 113 | $12.24 \pm 2.37$ | $12.54 \pm 2.41$ | $0.30[0.24 ; 0.36]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 2 | all | 113 | $12.57 \pm 2.41$ | $12.87 \pm 2.44$ | $0.30[0.25 ; 0.36]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 3 | 14 | 106 | $13.26 \pm 2.77$ | $13.57 \pm 2.80$ | $0.31[0.25 ; 0.38]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 3 | 15 | 113 | $11.93 \pm 2.60$ | $12.26 \pm 2.59$ | $0.32[0.26 ; 0.39]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 3 | 16 | 113 | $12.22 \pm 2.39$ | $12.52 \pm 2.42$ | $0.30[0.24 ; 0.37]$ | $<0.001$ |
| 3 | all | 113 | $12.41 \pm 2.39$ | $12.72 \pm 2.41$ | $0.31[0.25 ; 0.37]$ | $<0.001$ |
| all | all | 113 | $12.49 \pm 2.37$ | $12.79 \pm 2.39$ | $0.31[0.25 ; 0.36]$ | $<0.001$ |

Values of point-to-plane distances are presented as mean $\pm$ standard deviation. Changes in point-to-plane distances between SHIP-0 and SHIP-3 are presented as mean [95\% confidence interval]. P-values were obtained by paired t-tests.


Appendix Figure 1. Directed Acyclic Graph excluding the association between tooth wear and periodontitis. Minimal sufficient adjustment sets: \{age, sex, education, number of filled teeth\} or \{age, sex, number of filled teeth, tooth wear\}.


Appendix Figure 2. Directed Acyclic Graph, including the association between tooth wear and periodontitis. Minimal sufficient adjustment set: \{age, sex, number of filled teeth, tooth wear\}.


Appendix Figure 3. Scatter-plots of change in mean probing depth (PD), extent PD $\geq 4 \mathrm{~mm}$, mean clinical attachment levels (CAL), extent CAL $\geq 3 \mathrm{~mm}$, and mean gingiva above cemento-enamel junction (CEJ) according to change in mean continuous eruption. A lowess smoother (blue line) and the corresponding 95\% confidence bands were added (grey shading).


Appendix Figure 4. Box-plots of 16 -year changes in continuous eruption according to occlusal planes.

