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## Stability of Mandibular Intercuspid Width After Long Periods of Retention

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### ABSTRACT

This is a long-term study of treated cases, with observation periods averaging more than 12 years. Final observations were 4 to 6 years out of all retention. All cases showed a postretention reduction in intercuspid width regardless of whether that width was increased in the course of treatment, but a significant part of therapeutic increases remained.

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