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TREATMENT NEED INDEX translated to English
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OBJECTIVE INDEX				MALOCCLUSION
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			4	CLP (cleft lip and palate) and syndromes
				Sagittal
			4	Extreme postnormal (Class II) occlusion
1				Postnormal (Class II) occlusion without other anomalies
			4	Extreme prenormal (Class III) occlusion
		3		Prenormal (Class III) forced bite
1				Prenormal (Class III) occlusions with little negative overjet
				Vertical
		3		Deep bite with gingival irritation
	2			Deep bite with gingival contact but without gingival irritation
1				Deep bite without gingival contact
		3		Extremely open bite
1				Open bite with little frontal opening
				Transverse
		3		Crossbite causing transverse forced bite
1				Crossbite without transverse forced bite
1				Anterior crossbite of single teeth without forced bite
		3		Scissorbite interfering with articulation
				Space deviations
		3		Severe frontal crowding
	2			Severe crowding
1				Mild crowding
		3		Severe frontal spacing
	2			Severe spacing
1				Mild spacing
			4	Extensive aplasia
				Individual teeth
			4	Retained upper incisors
		3		Retained canines
	2			Aesthetically and/or functionally disturbing proclined incisors
	2			Aesthetically and/or functionally disturbing retroclined incisors
		3		Aesthetically and/or functionally disturbing rotations
	2			Moderate frontal rotations
1				Mild rotations of only little aesthetic and/or functional significance
	2			Infraocclusion of deciduous and permanent teeth

The objective treatment need is weighed together with the subjective treatment need, which reflects the patient's and/or the parents' perception of the need for treatment. Graded from 4 (very urgent need) to 1 (little need).