

Table 1: Miller's Classification of Marginal Tissue Recession

CLASSIFICATION	CRITERIA	ANTICIPATED ROOT COVERAGE
I	Marginal tissue recession which does not extend to the MGJ. There is no periodontal loss (bone or soft tissue) in the interdental area.	100%
II	Marginal tissue recession which extends to or beyond the MGJ. There is no periodontal loss (bone or soft tissue) in the interdental area.	100%
III	Marginal tissue recession which extends to or beyond the MGJ. Bone or soft tissue loss in the interdental area is present or there is malpositioning of the teeth.	Partial
IV	Marginal tissue recession which extends to or beyond the MGJ. The bone or soft tissue loss in the interdental area and/or malpositioning is severe.	Cannot be anticipated, though is occasionally obtained