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excavators —**

Part 1:
General requirements

*Curettes parodontales, instruments dentaires pour détartrage et
excavateurs dentaires —*

Partie 1: Prescriptions générales



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- *Part 1: General requirements*
- *Part 2: Dental curettes — Gr-type*
- *Part 3: Dental scalers — H-type*
- *Part 4: Dental excavators*

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