

# Periodontal curettes, dental scalers and excavators —

## Part 3: Dental scalers —

### H-type

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

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