

Abstract:

Tooth decay is prevented by suppressing activity of intraoral fungi by providing on a toothbrush a product obtained by pulverizing shells having crystalline structural body of calcite type structure of calcium carbonate. A
5 handle (2) or bristles (3) of the toothbrush (1) are formed of synthetic resin mixed with the product obtained by pulverizing shells having crystalline structural body of calcite type structure of calcium carbonate.