

Pain in the orofacial region

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Pain in the orofacial system is a common problem of a significant percentage of the population, and its causes vary. The issue of this topic is detected across the spectrum of medical disciplines, which makes its diagnosis and treatment difficult.

In clinical practice, we often encounter patients suffering from facial pain, but diagnosis is also complicated by the complexity of the orofacial landscape and the influence of psychosomatics. Optimal treatment is based on establishing the correct diagnosis; therefore, it is important to take a careful history, adequate examination of aspects, palpation, together with adequate radiological examinations and it is also necessary to exclude an organic cause. Oncological diseases and possible trauma must also be considered.

The care of such a patient is multidisciplinary and orthodontics with the correction of dental and jaw anomalies is one of the disciplines that can contribute to the solution of this problem.