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Treatment and rehabilitation of patients with temporomandibular joint ankylosis

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ABSTRACT

Introduction: The cases that involve this pathology promote discussions about diagnosis and treatment, generating numerous ways to treat this pathology. **Objectives:** To describe the treatment and rehabilitation of patients with temporomandibular joint ankylosis. **Methodology:** The information contained in this article results from the combination of research on patients and treatments involving TMJ ankylosis as well as its applications. **Results:** It was verified that there is no common therapeutic procedure for all patients, so there are several forms of treatment. **Conclusion:** It is necessary to have a multi professional team that is directed and committed in the diagnosis and treatment of the patient, as well as a line of research that facilitates the diagnosis.

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