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Rehabilitasi pasien gigi tiruan penuh dengan ektodermal dysplasia (laporan kasus)

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Abstrak

Ectodermal dysplasia is a rare congenital disease that effects several ectodermal structures. This disease is usually tranmitted as an x-linked recesive trait in which the gene is carried by female and manifested in male. The orofacial characteristics of ectodermal dysplasia include anodontia or hypodontia, congenital teeth, underdevelopment of alveolar ridges and it is not uncommon for the face of an affected child to take on the appearance characteristic of old age, a prominent forehead, protuberant lips, a depressed nasal bridge, hypotricosis, and hypohidrosis. The treatment to manage orofacial disfigurement may afford the pasient some measure of confidence, esthetics, function and speech. This case report describes the diagnosis and treatment of ectodermal dysplasia in an 18 year patient. The treatment included removable complete dentures.