



Intercollegiate Specialty Fellowship Examination in Oral Medicine

Part B

Clinical Section

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The information below will be provided to candidates during assimilation.

Scenario

5 minutes assimilation/15 minutes examination.

A 67-year-old female patient is referred with persistent pain involving the URQ. The patient has a history of a dental abscess involving the UR6 and underwent root canal treatment 12 months ago. She described persistent localised throbbing pain after the root canal treatment. She was referred to an endodontist who re-root treated the tooth. Two days after the re-root canal treatment, she developed persistent pain on the right side of the face, radiating to the temporal region. She attended another dentist and had the UR6 extracted. The patient feels the pain has now moved to UR7.

Be prepared to discuss your management of this case.

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1. What is your differential diagnosis?
2. Outline your approach to the clinical examination of this patient.
3. On examination, there is evidence of hyperalgesia at the UR6 extraction site. There is pronounced scalloping of the lateral tongue. Outline your next investigations.
4. Outline your management options for this patient.
5. The patient tells you they now want an implant to replace the UR6. What is your advice in this case?