The use of myofascial techniques (dry needle) for the treatment of maintained muscle contraction in peripheral facial palsy sequelae

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Introduction: Based on the clinical and neurophysiologic similarities between the myofascial pain and the facial palsy's maintained muscle contraction, we considered treating the latter with dry needling the trigger points found in the physical examination. ...

Middle ear problems in children with cleft palate: A cross-sectional study

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Background: Cleft lip and/or palate is the most common congenital craniofacial anomaly. Otitis media with effusion is almost universally present in young children with a cleft palate. OME results in a conductive hearing loss and -if persistent- often requires the placement of ventilation tubes or adjustment of hearing aids in selected cases. ...

Long-latency auditory evoked potentials: Normalization of protocol applied to normal adults

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The clinical audiologist gained a strong ally in the diagnostic process of central auditory alterations from the association between electrophysiological and behavioral methods. The auditory evoked potentials refer to a series of electrical changes that occur from the inner ear to the cerebral cortex in response to sound stimulation [1], occurring in time (ms) and ...

Correction of maxillary hypoplasia using modification of Anterior maxillary distraction device in a patient with Binder’s Syndrome- Case report

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This is the case report of a 20year old female, affected by Binders Syndrome reported to our hospital and was operated for maxillary hypoplasia using modifications of the standard Anterior Maxillary Distraction (AMD) device. This helped in rehabilitation of the patients anterior and lateral profi les; thereby giving a satisfactory cosmetic appearance to the patient. ...

Choristoma of the vestibular nerve: Should it influence our management of vestibular Schwannoma- Case report and review of the literature

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Background and Importance: Choristomas of the internal auditory canal and cerebellopontine angle are rare, non-neoplastic lesions that mimic vestibular schwannomas and may subsequently be subject to treatment by surgical resection or radiosurgery. ...
Paraneoplastic Neurological Syndrome with Demyelinating Polyradiculoneuropathy in Tonsil Cancer patient

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Objective: To describe a rare case of a paraneoplastic neurological syndrome associated with tonsillar squamous cell carcinoma. Design: Case report. ...

Woakes’ syndrome: Report of a rare case

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Woakes’ syndrome, fi rst described by Woakes in 1885, also better known as ethmoiditis, is a rare condition causing disfigured facial appearance by extensive nasal polyposis growth in the nasal cavity and paranasal sinuses. The etiology remains poorly understood. Severe nasal polyposis can exert chronic pressure and eventually cause deformities of the nose and face ...

Toxicity in the vestibular system: A literature review

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The objective of this study was to systematically review the bibliographies dealing with vestibular toxicity, its morphological and functional damages. This review was carried out with a search in the electronic databases Virtual Health Library (VHL), Medical Literature Analysis and Retrieval System Online (MedLine) with the tool PubMed, Latin American and Caribbean ...