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Ameloblastoma – A Diagnostic Challenge

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Abstract

Ameloblastoma is a true neoplasm of odontogenic epithelium and is known for its local aggressive nature. There are mainly two varieties of ameloblastoma –Intraosseous and Peripheral variety. The unicystic ameloblastoma especially the Plexiform variant is a rare entity that mimics the dentigerous cyst radiographically and makes it a diagnostic challenge. The treatment options for unicystic ameloblastoma consist of conservative and radical methods depending on the histopathology. A rare case of ameloblastoma is presented in this paper.