CASE REPORT: CONCURRENT PERIPHERAL OSSIFYING FIBROMA AND CYST OF THE PALATINE PAPILLA.

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Abstract

Peripheral ossifying fibroma (POF) is considered to be a reactive soft tissue tumor-like growth. It is widely accepted
that this lesion originates from the periodontal ligament cells(1). Clinically, POFs favor the anterior maxillary region,
with a strong female predilection, especially in the second decade of life. In spite of the reported recurrence rate,
POFs exhibit a benign biological behavior

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