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Rare complication following posterior superior alveolar nerve block for tooth extraction: A report of two cases and review of literature**Ramandeep Singh**

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Posterior Superior Alveolar Nerve Block (PSANB) is the most common nerve block given for maxillary posterior teeth in dentistry. The most common complication associated with this nerve block is hematoma. However, in reality ocular complications and facial nerve palsy are practically unheard of. When they occur, they can be extremely unnerving not just to the patient but also to the surgeon. Patients generally panic which makes it tougher for clinician to assess the situation. In this presentation one case of ocular complication and one case of facial nerve palsy following PSANB are discussed and its management guidelines are highlighted.

Biography

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