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Rehabilitation of Edentulous patient with severe cleft of hard and soft palate- A Case report

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Abstract

The rehabilitation of an edentulous patient having a severe palatal defect is a challenging task for a Prosthodontist. Total loss of teeth will have psychological impact. Compromised speech, diet will further deteriorate the health of the patient. It will be difficult to obtain adequate retention and stability for the prosthesis. In this report, a completely edentulous cleft palate patient rehabilitated with palatal obturator in order to improve speech, mastication and swallowing.

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