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A Correlation of Maxillary Dental Midline with various Facial Anatomical Landmarks – An Observational Study

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Abstract :

An observational cross-sectional questionnaire based study was undertaken to find out the correct position of dental midline in order to impart facial harmony and better esthetic look at the time of fabrication of complete denture prosthesis. Aim of this study was to evaluate whether any relation exists between maxillary dental midline with facial anatomical landmarks. About three hundred and thirteen subjects including male and female subjects were enrolled for the study and was examined by using a specially prepared questionnaire form. Data collected in the prescribed proforma was statistically analyzed. The results showed that maxillary dental midline is expected to coincide maximum with labial frenum followed by the midpoint of vermilion border of lip.

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