Pathological external resorption caused by impacted tooth

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ABSTRACT

Tooth resorption can be associated with physiological or pathological loss of dental hard tissues. The process of resorption is usually asymptomatic and may lead to substantial tooth damage. We presented a case of pathological resorption of a molar tooth due to pressure from an impacted tooth. A considerable loss of hard tissues and impossibility to perform conservative treatment caused the loss of two molars. Key words: external resorption, impacted tooth