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CE ARTICLE 1—PAGES 331-337

HOSPITAL-BASED EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT VISITS INVOLVING DENTAL CONDITIONS: PROFILE AND PREDICTORS OF POOR OUTCOMES AND RESOURCE UTILIZATION

- Which one of the following was the least frequently presenting condition among dental care–related emergency department (ED) visits in this analysis?
 - dental caries
 - pulp and periapical lesions
 - mouth cellulitis or abscess
 - periodontal lesions
- What percentage of patients with dental care–related ED visits were covered by private insurance plans?
 - 71 percent
 - 58 percent
 - 34 percent
 - 19 percent

3. What was the most common diagnosis among patients who died during dental care–related ED visits?

- A. dental caries
- B. pulp and periapical lesions
- C. mouth cellulitis or abscess
- D. periodontal conditions

4. What dental condition increased patients' ED charges to the largest degree?

- A. dental caries
- B. pulp and periapical lesions
- C. mouth cellulitis or abscess
- D. periodontal conditions

CE ARTICLE 2—PAGES 345-351

ASSOCIATION OF CALCIFIED CAROTID ATHEROMAS VISUALIZED ON PANORAMIC IMAGES AND AORTIC ARCH CALCIFICATIONS SEEN ON CHEST RADIOGRAPHS OF POSTMENOPAUSAL WOMEN

1. What is the reported sensitivity of panoramic imaging for identification of calcified carotid artery plaque (CCAP)?

- A. 80 percent
- B. 72 percent
- C. 64 percent
- D. 56 percent

2. Approximately what percentage of patients in this study who had satisfactory panoramic images were found to have CCAP?

- A. 16 percent
- B. 13 percent
- C. 7 percent
- D. 4 percent

3. What percentage of all patients in this study whose panoramic radiographs indicated CCAP also had aortic arch calcification (AAC), on the basis of a chest radiograph?

- A. 80.4 percent
- B. 67.9 percent
- C. 52.8 percent
- D. 44.4 percent

4. What percentage of all patients in this study who were 60 years or older and whose panoramic radiograph indicated CCAP also had AAC, on the basis of a chest radiograph?

- A. 78 percent
- B. 61 percent
- C. 54 percent
- D. 47 percent

CE ARTICLE 3—PAGES 352-354

ORAL CARE BEHAVIOR AFTER PURGING IN A SAMPLE OF WOMEN WITH BULIMIA NERVOSA

1. Which one of the following conditions was most frequently noted by participants in this study?

- A. dry mouth
- B. sensitive teeth or gingivae
- C. oral lesions
- D. erosion of enamel

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