

Alveolar osteitis: Clinical features and etiology in fifty nine patients attending Dental School Clinic, Benghazi-Libya

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In this prospective clinical study fifty nine patients who attended the Benghazi Dental school & hospital oral surgery clinic, complaining of post extraction Dry socket, were noted for the etiology, gender, age, habits like smoking, medications taken, associated factors, skill of the operator, time of the execution of the procedure, compliance with post extraction instructions, and post procedure habits, the sample studied showed more incidence in the lower third molar tooth more than any tooth, females taking contraceptive pills more than others, in our sample smoking didn't have any significant difference