Emergency Management of an Accidental Ingestion of a Dental Foreign Body in Pediatric Patient Using Rigid Esophagoscopy - A Case Report

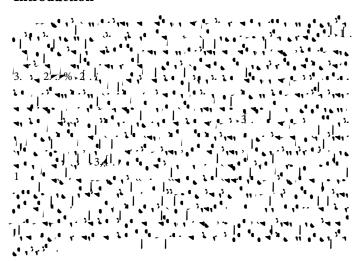
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In dental literature foreign body aspiration or ingestion is often experienced and documented in regard to partial

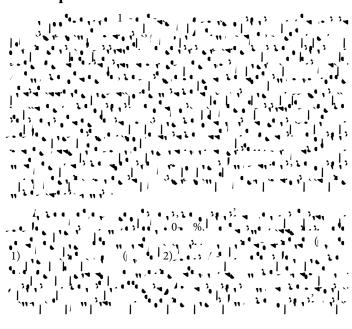
techniques, crown cementing failures, operator's negligence and patient's maintenance errors. We present a unusual operative mishap where a 16 year old boy during cavity preparation performed by a private dental practitioner accidentally swallowed the loosened catridge of a high speed hand airotor with a bur attached to it, which was treated in a multidisciplinary setting and successfully removed using rigid endoscopy. A search of the dental literature did not reveal any reported cases of such ingestions in pediatric dentistry.

Keywords

Introduction

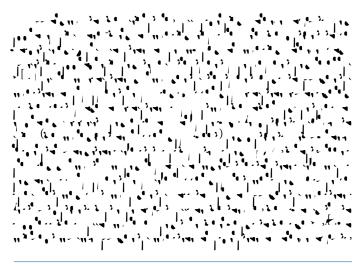


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