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Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery: Current Clinical Practice and Future Trends

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Dear Colleagues,

With the rapid development of medical equipment, surgical techniques and biological materials, the field of oral and maxillofacial surgery has changed dramatically in recent decades. Digital surgery, including virtual surgery, has improved accuracy and safety in diagnosis and personalized craniomaxillofacial treatment and reconstructive surgery. Minimally invasive surgery, such as endoscopic surgery, has proved more advantageous than conventional open surgery methods in maximizing preservation of natural anatomy and minimizing postoperative complications. Functional surgery has minimized damage to maxillofacial vital tissues and organs, especially for patients with tumors. Advances in biological materials, stem cell and tissue engineering and regenerative medicine have improved therapeutic outcomes and promoted wound healing. Sustained development of evident-based medicine has allowed surgeons to make good decisions and modify traditional surgical procedures.

This Special Issue, entitled "Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery: Current Clinical Practice and Future Trends", aims to explore future trends in oral and maxillofacial surgery.













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