



P69. TOWARDS A COMMON ETIOPATHOGENESIS: PERIODONTAL DISEASE AND ENDOMETRIOSIS

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Background: Periodontal disease and endometriosis are seen to share a common pathogenesis. There is only one report suggesting the possible association between the two conditions.

Objective: To study the association between endometriosis and periodontal disease

Materials and methods:

Periodontal screening was carried out in 25 women with endometriosis and 25 women without endometriosis. Severity of periodontal disease was classified based on the extent of loss of attachment

Results:

The proportion of women with severe periodontitis was seen to be higher among women with endometriosis (70%).

Conclusion:

The results of the present study indicate the existence of a relationship between endometriosis and periodontal disease. However, further studies among larger cohorts of endometriosis may provide evidence about the association

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