

Review of: "Italian Position Paper (SIPMO-SICMF) on Medication-Related Osteonecrosis of the Jaw (MRONJ)"

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This is a very well written paper that summarises and outlines the current knowledge around MRONJ and recommends management strategies and algorithms. As the authors quote correctly accept, there are several grey areas and controversies, particularly around the treatment of these patients. I am not satisfied that the literature supports flap bone reconstruction in this cohort of patients; the hallmark of surgical treatment has always been soft tissue coverage of the ONJ bone. Perhaps this controversy could be discussed a bit further in that section, and the authors should cite evidence about number of bony free flaps performed in ONJ patients, success rate, etc.

Furthermore, I would recommend a summary table with all the recommendations outlined at the beginning of the article.

Happy to accept this paper pending the revisions above. I want to congratulate the authors for an outstanding piece of work.