

Review of: "Comparative Study Between the Efficacy of 4% Articaine Infiltration and 2% Lidocaine Nerve Block as Local Anesthetic Agents for Painful Dental Procedures in Children Aged 6-18 Years"

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There are reference errors in the article. For example, in the introduction section, the paragraph starting with "Recent evidence..." may include a reference. The information that articaine has not been put into popular use may be valid for the researchers' own countries, but it is not universal. Pulp inflammation of the teeth in which anesthesia is applied (for example, hot tooth-irreversible pulpitis) is important in the response to be obtained. Inflammatory conditions of the teeth and surrounding tissues, preoperative pain were not taken into account. Patients' response thresholds may be different in injections made at different intervals.