

Odontogenic myxoma

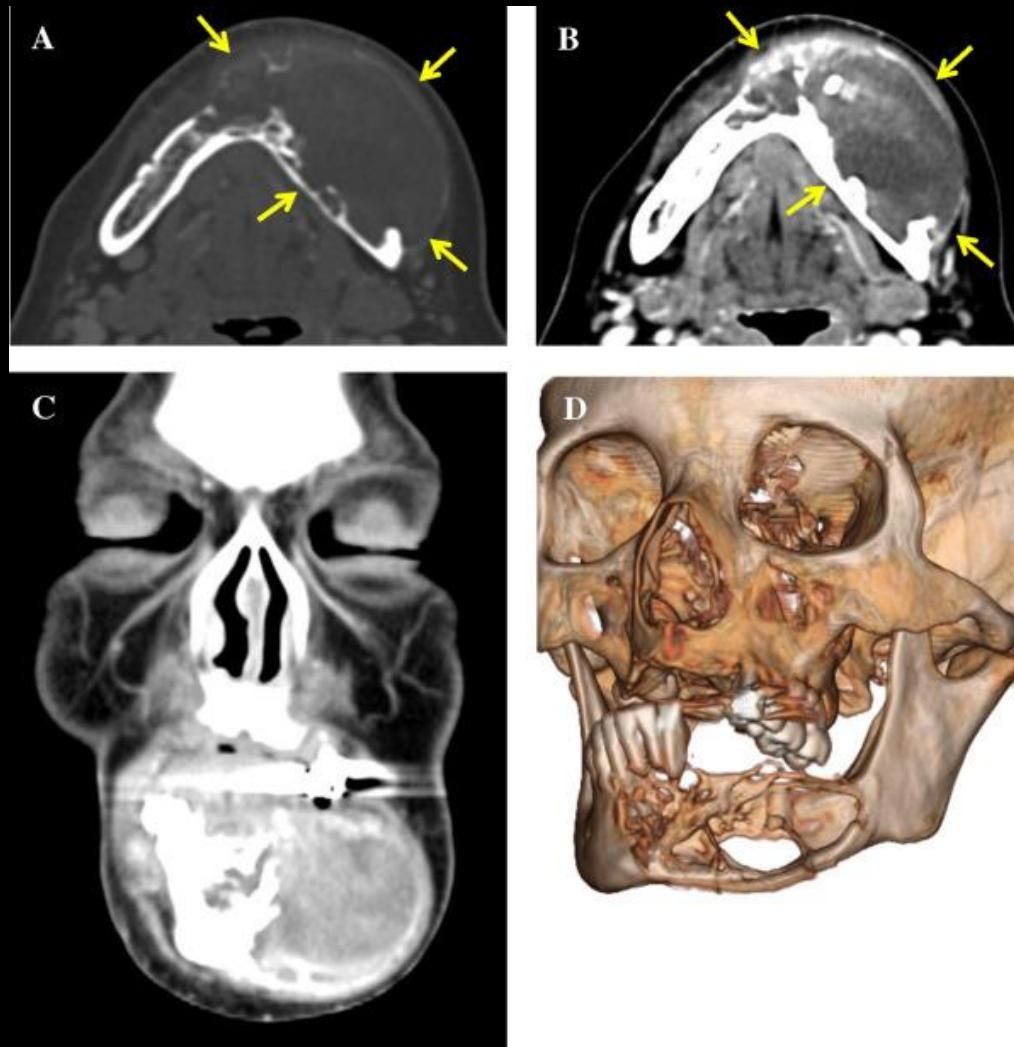
(odontogenic myxofibroma or fibromyxoma)

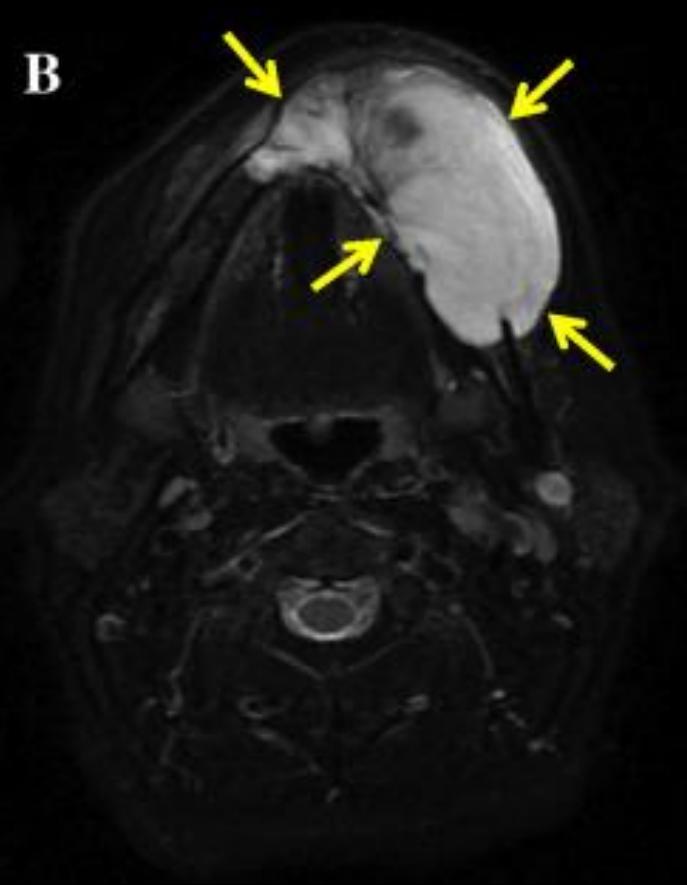
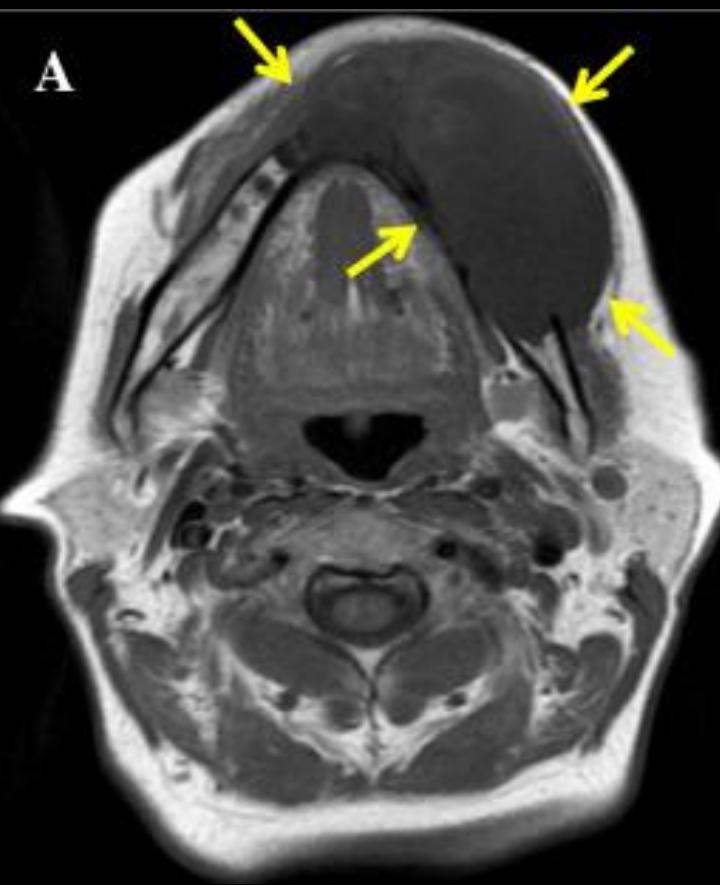
- Uncommon tumor that has the potential for extensive destruction of the jaws.
- Benign, but locally aggressive neoplasm.
- 75% of odontogenic myxomas occur in patients around 23-30 years of age with a slight female predilection
- Varies from small unilocular lesions between roots of teeth to large multilocular tumors displacing teeth and resorbing roots of teeth.
- equally in the maxilla and mandible with a slight predilection for the posterior mandible.

Odontogenic Myxoma of the Maxilla



Rapidly expanding odontogenic myxoma of the mandible







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