

Review

Is There a Bidirectional Association between Polycystic Ovarian Syndrome and Periodontitis? A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis

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Supplementary material

Table 1. List of excluded articles

	Number	Reference	Reason for exclusion
2019	1	Varghese, Arun, A. Julie Christy, B. Pratheeba, P. Saraswathy, and Sumathy Ravi. "Salivary Interleukin-6 Levels among Polycystic Ovary Syndrome (Pcos) Patients with and Without Chronic Periodontitis-A Comparative Study." International Journal of Innovative Research in Medical Science 4, no. 09 (2019): 534-to.	Unrelated group
2017	2	Deepti, Tewari S, Narula SC, Singhal SR, Sharma RK. Effect of Non-Surgical Periodontal Therapy Along With Myo-Inositol on High-Sensitivity C-Reactive Protein and Insulin Resistance in Women With Polycystic Ovary Syndrome and Chronic Periodontitis: A Randomized Controlled Trial. J Periodontol. 2017;88(10):999–1011. doi:10.1902/jop.2017.170121	No control group
2017	3	Akcalı A, Bostancı N, Özçaka Ö, et al. Gingival Inflammation and Salivary or Serum Granulocyte-Secreted Enzymes in Patients With Polycystic Ovary Syndrome. J Periodontol. 2017;88(11):1145–1152. doi:10.1902/jop.2017.170043	No periodontitis group
2017	4	Nair SD, Varma S, Suragimath G, et al. Prevalence of periodontal disease in women with polycystic ovary syndrome- A comparative descriptive study. J. Evolution Med. Dent. Sci. 2017;6(65):4733-4736, DOI:10.14260/Jemds/2017/1025	Sample size bias
2015	5	Akcalı, A., Bostancı, N., Özçaka, Ö., Öztürk-Ceyhan, B., Gümüş, P., Tervahartiala, T., Husu, H., Buduneli, N., Sorsa, T., & Belibasakis, G. N. (2015). Elevated matrix metalloproteinase-8 in saliva and serum in polycystic ovary syndrome and association with gingival inflammation. Innate	No periodontitis group

		immunity, 21(6), 619–625. https://doi.org/10.1177/1753425915572172	
2014	6	Asnani, K. P., Hingorani, D., Kheur, S., Deshmukh, V., & Romanos, G. E. (2014). Expression of nuclear receptors of gingiva in polycystic ovarian syndrome: a preliminary case study. Australian dental journal, 59(2), 252–257. https://doi.org/10.1111/adj.12176	Case report
2012	7	Özçaka, Ö., Ceyhan, B. Ö., Akcali, A., Biçakci, N., Lappin, D. F., & Buduneli, N. (2012). Is there an interaction between polycystic ovary syndrome and gingival inflammation?. Journal of periodontology, 83(12), 1529–1537. https://doi.org/10.1902/jop.2012.110588	Repeated sample

Table 2. Case-control studies bias assessment using the Newcastle-Ottawa Scale (NOS)

Study.	SELECTION				COMPARABILITY Comparability of cases and controls of design or analysis?	EXPOSURE			RoB Score
	Is the case definition adequate?	Representativeness of the cases?	Selection of controls?	Definition of controls?		Ascertainment of exposure?	Same method of ascertainment for cases	Non-response rate?	
Dursun et al. 2011	a	b	c	a	a/b	a	a	a	7
Ozçaka et al. 2013	a	a	a	b	a/b	a	a	a	8
Porwal et al. 2014	a	a	a	a	a/b	a	a	a	9
Akcali et al. 2014	a	b	a	a	a/b	a	a	a	8
Rahiminejad et al. 2015	a	a	a	b	a/b	a	a	a	8
Hameed et al. 2017	a	b	a	a	a/b	a	a	a	8
Najah et al. 2017	a	b	a	a	a/b	a	a	a	8
Saglam et al. 2018	a	b	a	a	a/b	a	a	a	8
Tong et al. 2019	b	a	a	b	a/b	a	a	a	7
Varadan et al. 2019	a	a	a	a	a/b	a	a	a	9
Isik et al. 2020	a	a	a	a	a/b	a	a	a	9
Saljoughi et al. 2020	a	a	a	a	a/b	a	a	a	9