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"Mechanical Strain to Maxillary Incisors during Direct Laryngoscopy"

The topic seems attractive and useful in clinical practice but there are some points and questions that should be answered before final decision:

1- Title: well written.
2- Background: well written.
3- Methods: well written, but it is too long.
4- Results: date should be presented in just one format: text, table or figure. There are a lot of redundancy in presented data. Format of tables are not appropriate.
5- Discussion:
   - line 29 "tooth" should be corrected to "tooth".
   - These results cannot be applicable in different situations like edentulous patients, difficult intubation and children.
6- References: appropriate.
Regard

Sussan Soltani Mohammadi

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