

Bilateral Pneumothorax and Pneumomediastinum after Orthognathic Surgery

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Abstract

The occurrence of postoperative complications after various orthognathic surgery procedures is rare but all of them might be life-threatening complications. We report a case of a 22-year-old female patient who underwent a bimaxillary orthognathic surgery procedure and developed bilateral pneumothorax and pneumomediastinum.

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