



AESTHETIC AND COSMETIC DERMATOLOGY (LASERS SEPARATE CATEGORY)

CREATING AND RESTORING VOLUME IN PATIENTS WITH CHIN RETRUSION USING AN INNOVATIVE HYALURONIC ACID FILLER.

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Introduction: Chin profile and projection are important components of appearance that affect facial balance and harmony. Deficiency in chin projection could be related to genetics and aging and it is considered unattractive and a sign of weak personality. The chin and jaw area treatment with hyaluronic acid may obviate a non-invasive medical alternative to surgical for the correction of aesthetic defects of this area of the face.

Objective: to demonstrate the safety and clinical benefit of hyaluronic acid filler to restore and create volume in the lower third area.

Materials and Methods: Adults with chin retrusion were treated in the chin/jaw area. A filler developed using VYCROSSTM technology platform, formulated using a combination of high and low molecular weight hyaluronic acid with a unique cross linking, was used to restore and create facial volume in the chin and jaw area.

Results: Mean change in facial angle from baseline were obtained. No serious adverse reactions to the injected filler have been reported.

Conclusions: The use of a hyaluronic acid, with specific chemical and physical properties, for this treatment is critical to obtain quality and stability of the result. The proposed treatment has proved to be safe, repeatable, predictable and well tolerated by patients. The results were durable and fully in line with patient's expectations.

