

Dislocation Of Both Interphalangeal Joints In The Same Finger – Clinical Image

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Abstract

Although isolated proximal interphalangeal (PIP) and distal interphalangeal (DIP) dislocations are commonly seen in the emergency room, simultaneous dislocation is a rare occurrence.

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Key Clinical Message

Excelent results may be obtained after closed reduction, followed by a short period of immobilization and early finger motion in patients with simultaneous dislocation of both interphalangeal joints of a finger.

A 54-year-old female patient presented to the emergency room after a fall on an outstretched hand. On physical examination

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