

Pictorial Quiz

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A 60 year old male patient reported to the OPD with the complaint of pain in lower left first mandibular molar for 3 days. The pain was continuous, dull and radiated to the ipsilateral jaw and ear, it aggravated on chewing and was relieved by analgesics. He was a known diabetic and hypotensive and was on medication. Patient was habitual of betel quid and smoking since a long time. Past dental history showed a partial denture on lower anteriors.

On examination, the tooth was grossly carious and required extraction. Along with that an asymptomatic mass was evident on left side of tongue. On inspection, it was rounded, pea sized, pink in color, well-circumscribed mass having smooth surface. On palpation, the mass was soft, pedunculated with regular round margins, non-tender and had no bleeding or pus discharge. In the light of history and examination findings, list out your differential diagnosis.

What is your diagnosis?



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