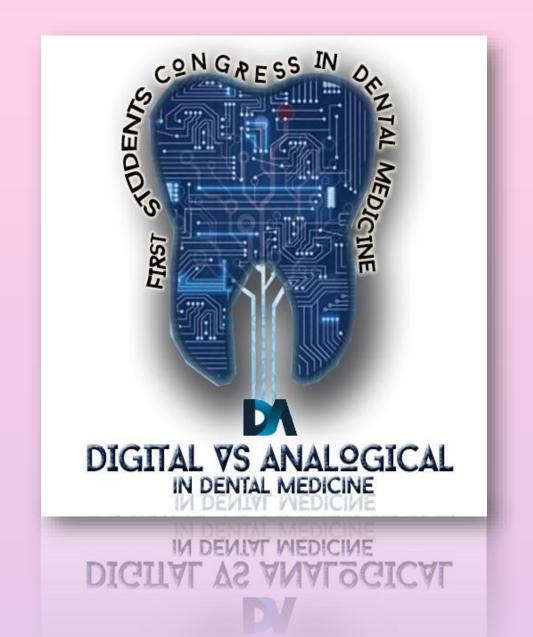


ORAL HEALTH RELATED QUALITY OF LIFE ON PATIENTS WITH PARTIAL REMOVABLE DENTURES



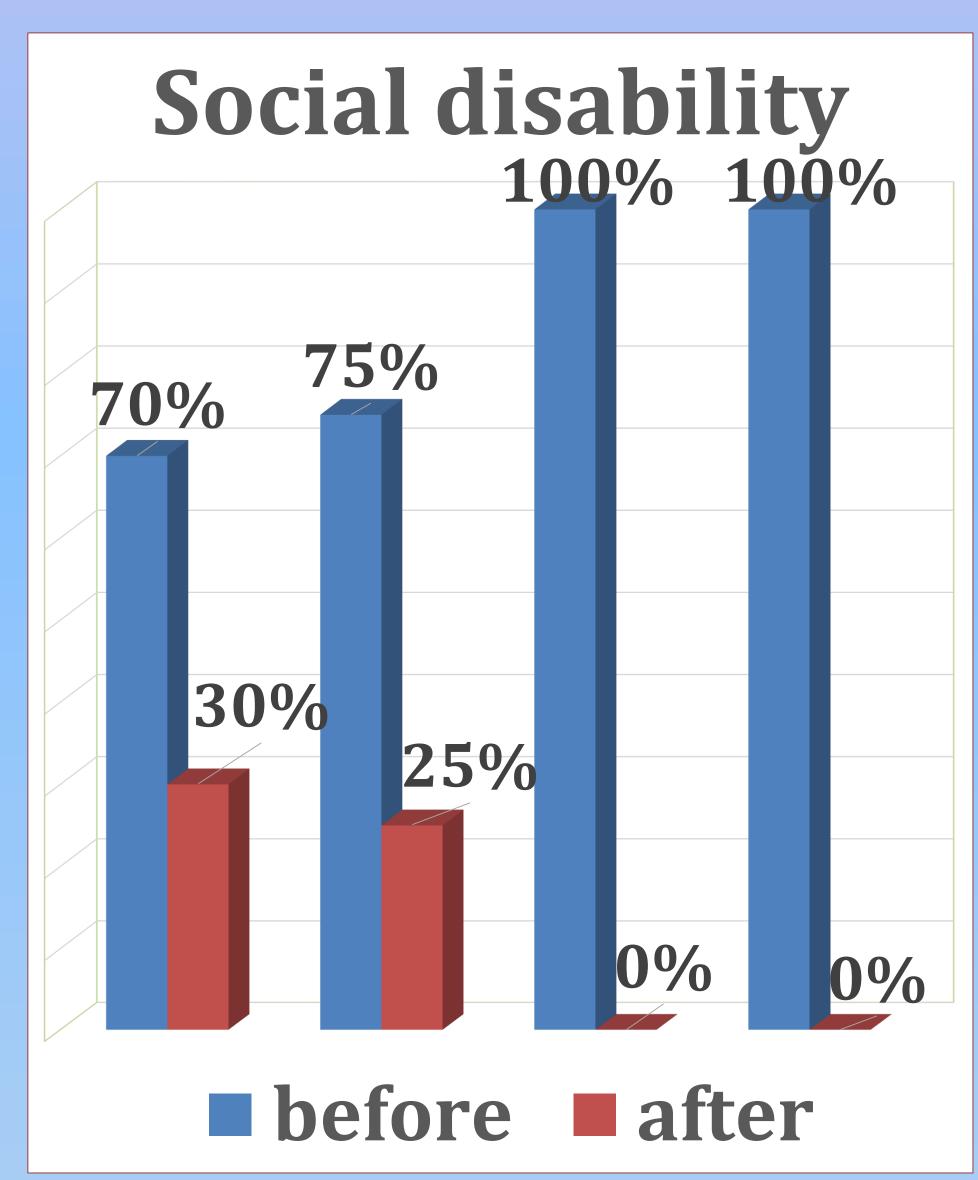
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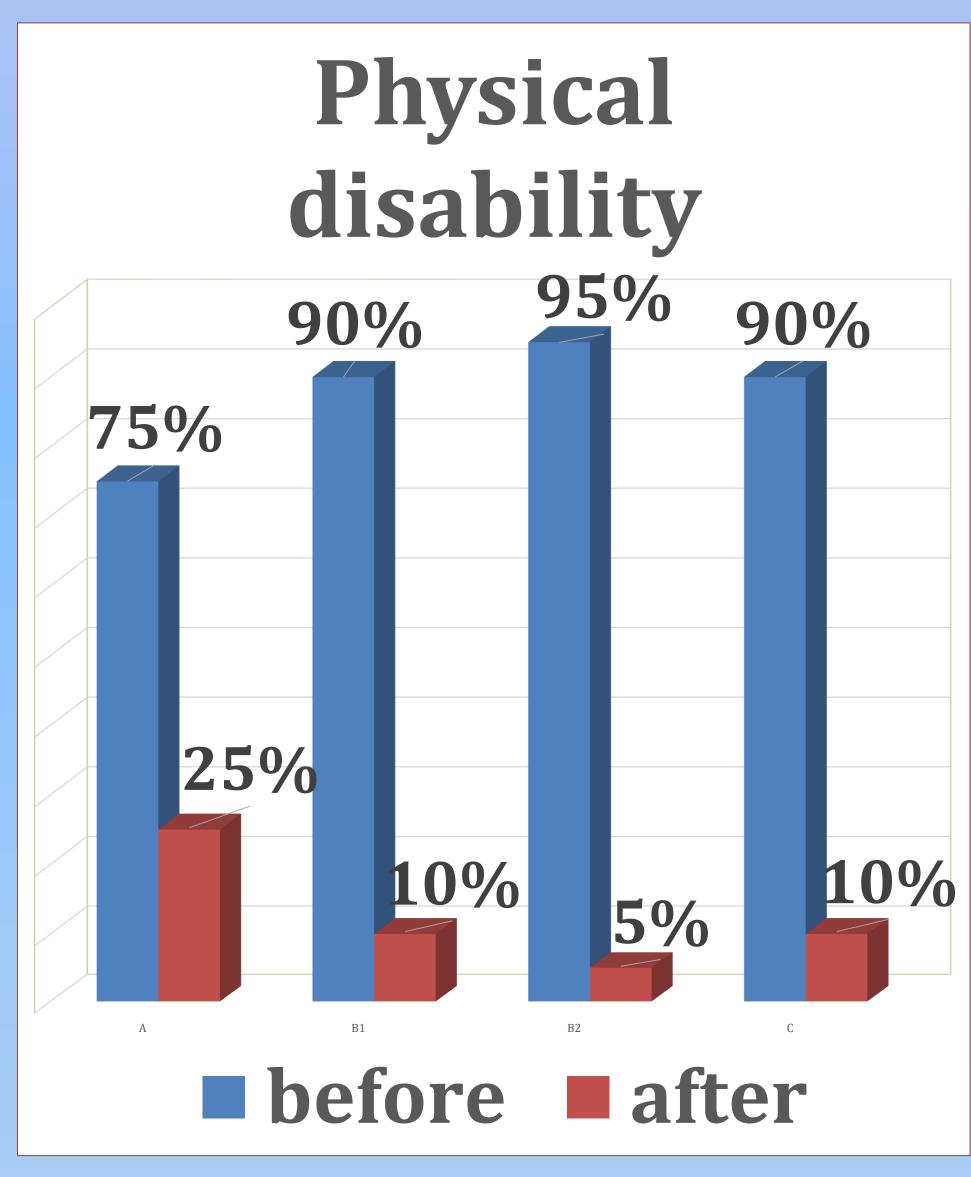
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Introduction

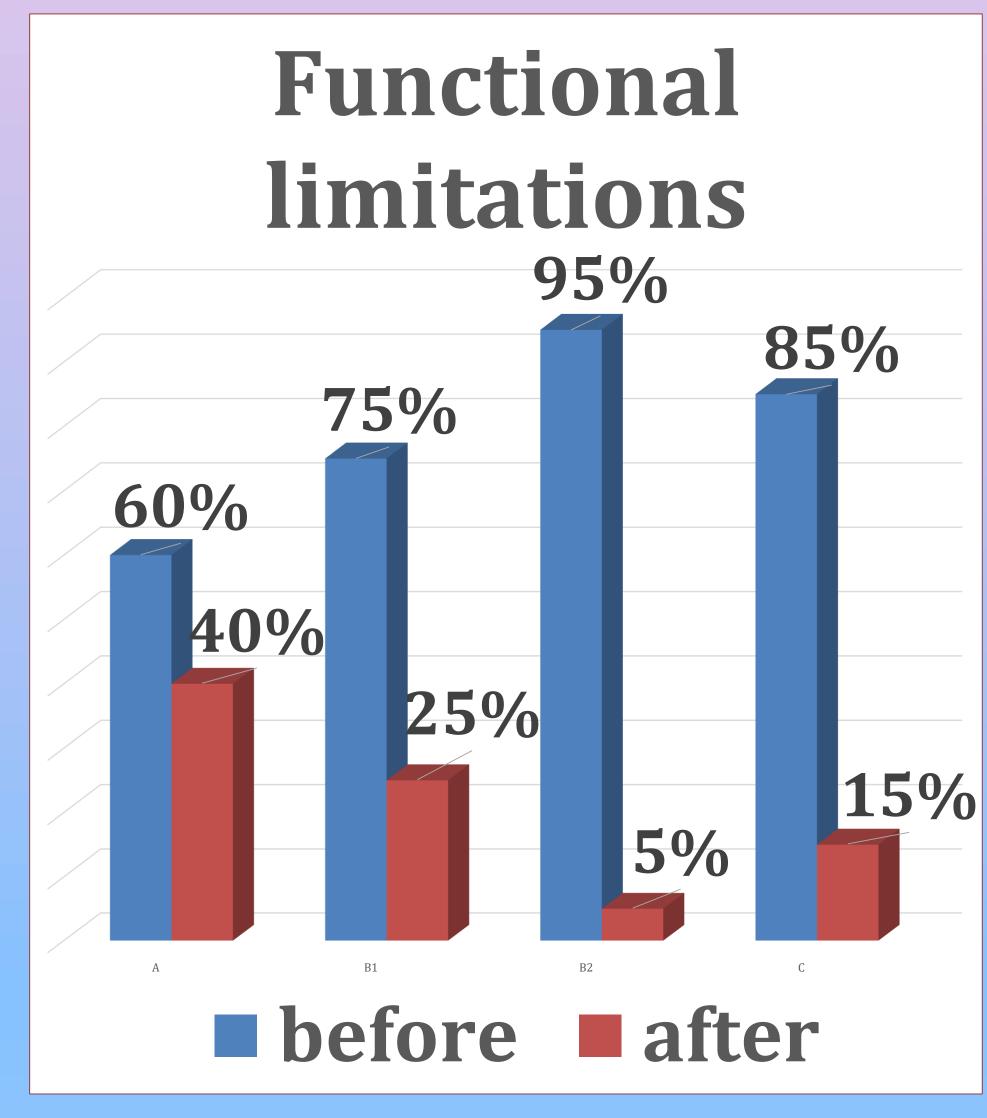
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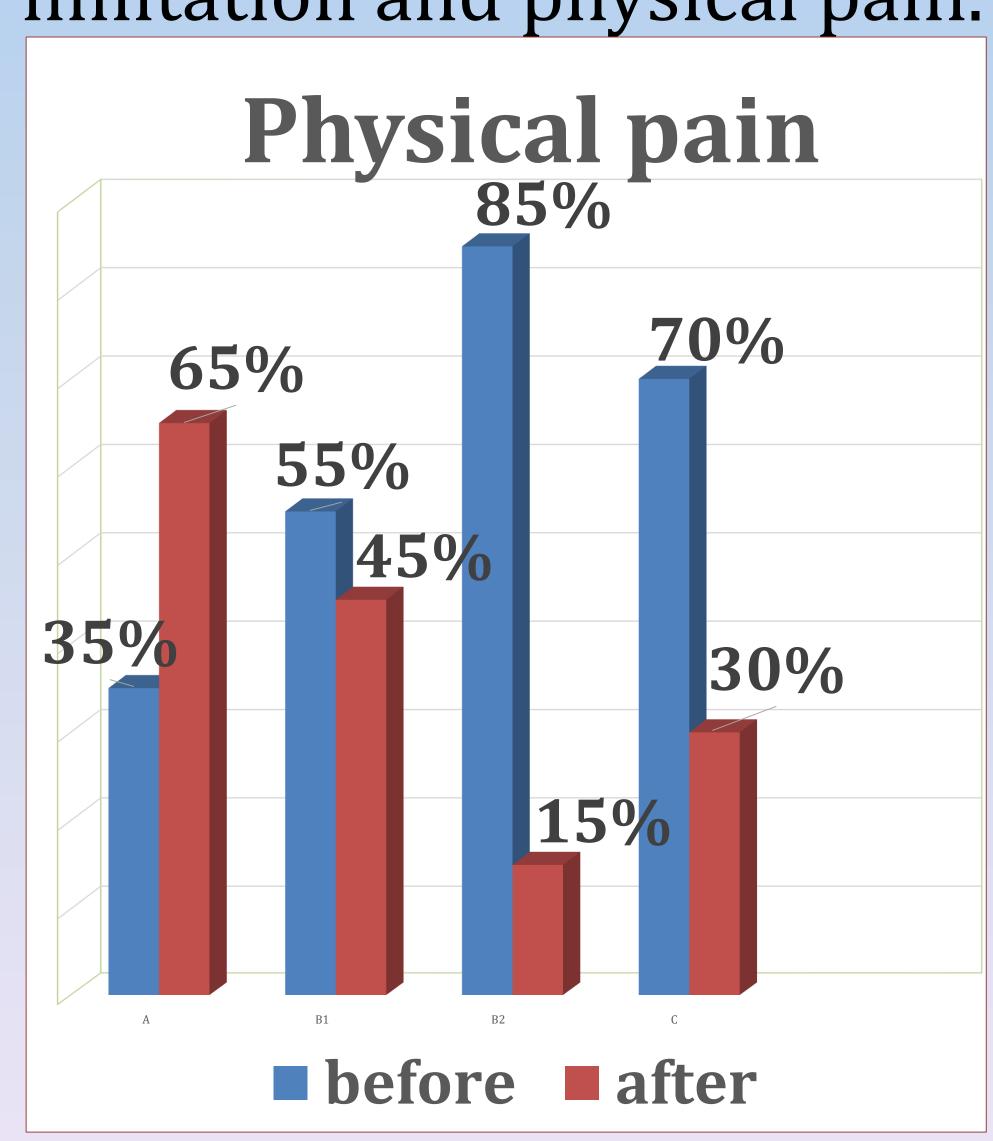
Material and Methods

This study included 80 respondents from Radovish. They were divided into 3 groups from which group B was divided into 2 subgroups, group A - patients treated with acrylic (classical) partial dentures, group B1 – patients treted with cast partial dentures with cast clasps, B2 - patients treated with cast partial dentures retinated with attachments, group C - patients treated with flexible partial dentures. For the purposes of this study, a questionnaire was made for the quality of life of patients: anamnestic data, data on physical, social and physiological disability, functional limitations, physical pain and personal satisfaction of the patient. An intraoral and extraoral examination was also performed. Patients were examined 1 year after treatment



Results

Patients from subgroup B2
and group C show at least
the adverse effects of
wearing their dentures.
Group A and subgroup B1
show the most of the
adverse effects primarily in
terms of functional
limitation and physical pain.



Conclusion

In general, the quality of life is improved with removable partial dentures.