

## DA LI ZNAMO KAKO SE RAZVIJALA HIRURGIJA MAKSILARNOG SINUZITISA KROZ VEKOVE?

### DO WE KNOW HOW MAXILLARY SINUS SURGERY HAVE DEVELOPED THROUGH AGES?

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#### **Kratak sadržaj**

*U radu je dat kratak istoriografski prikaz razvoja hirurgije inficiranog maksilarnog sinusa. U preantibiotskoj eri, jedini način da se olakšaju bolovi i spreče ozbiljnije komplikacije bila je hirurška drenaža maksilarnog sinusa. Iako svoje poreklo ima još u starom Egiptu, hirurgija maksilarnog sinusa počinje da se razvija u XVII veku. Od tada su opisane različite hirurške tehnike, ali se uz određene modifikacije operacija po Caldwell-Lucu i danas često koristi. Sedamdesetih godina prošlog veka u hiruršku praksu uvedena je tzv. funkcionalna endoskopska hirurgija, i danas u razvijenom svetu predstavlja najznačajniju hiruršku tehniku za tretman inficiranog maksilarnog sinusa.*

**Ključne reči:** maksilarni sinus, hirurške tehnike

#### **Summary**

*The paper presents short historical development of the infected maxillary sinus surgery. In preantibiotic era, the only way to relieve pain and prevent serious complications was surgical drainage of the maxillary sinus. Although dating from ancient Egypt, the maxillary sinus surgery began to develop in XVII<sup>th</sup> century. Since then, various surgical techniques have been described, and, with some modifications, the Caldwell-Luc's operation is still used today. The seventies of the previous century were marked by the introduction of so-called functional endoscopic surgery, and today, in the modern world, it represents the most important surgical technique of the infected maxillary sinus treatment.*

**Key words:** maxillary sinus, surgical technique