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Thesis title:

A Case Study of Physiotherapy Treatment of a Patient with Peripheral Facial Palsy

Thesis summary:

The thesis deals with the subject of peripheral palsy of the facial nerve. The theoretical part covers the characteristics and symptomatology of the diagnosis, and sets it into the frame of anatomy and neurology. Further, it lists the diagnostics and treatment, with emphasis on methods of physiotherapeutic treatment. The case study consists of the initial examination, treatment appointments, final examination and assessment of progress, and effectiveness of the treatment.

Key words:

peripheral nerve palsy, Bell's palsy, nervus facialis, facial nerve, case study, physiotherapy, the Kenny method