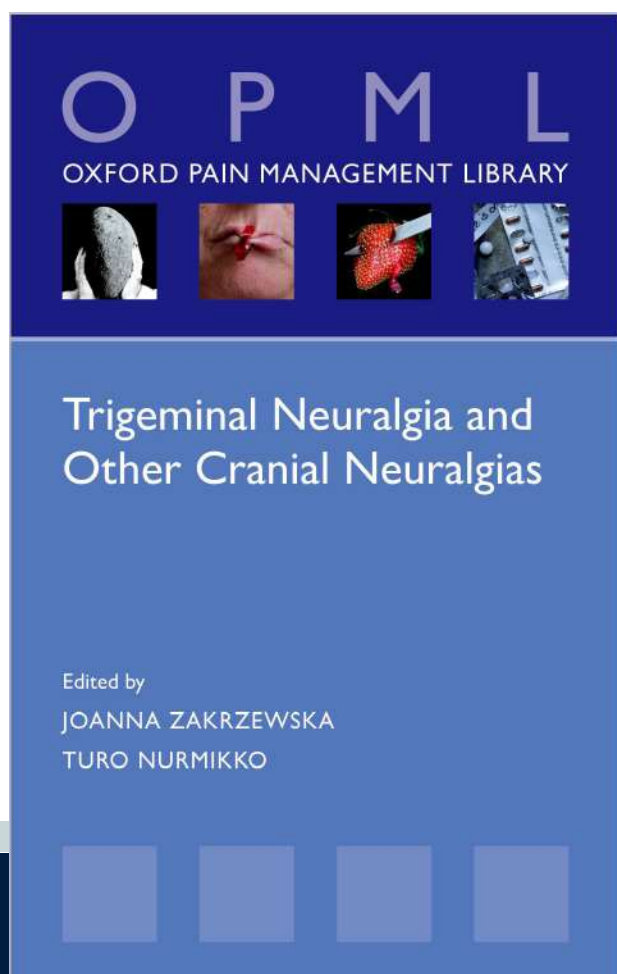


Trigeminal Neuralgia and Other Cranial Neuralgias

A Practical Personalised Holistic Approach

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Trigeminal neuralgia and other cranial neuralgias comprise a group of facial pain conditions, characterised by disabling pain attacks that selectively respond to specific treatments. Although not as common as migraine, they affect over 1% of the population and must be recognised and adequately treated in clinical practice. The spectrum of cranial neuralgias is wide and as a consequence the conditions are managed by a range of different specialists. Studies show that delayed diagnoses and mismanagement are common and can lead to depression and suicide.

Features

- Patient histories are used to illustrate the key features and management for each chapter
- All the medical and dental specialities are represented as well as psychologists, patients and a visual artist
- Each chapter is summarised with key points and ends with questions to test understanding

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