

Wisdom Tooth- A Source of Stem Cells

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Abstract: Regenerative medicine has been looking for innovative ways to regrow human tissues that is diseased or damaged from birth defect or injury. They have turned to stem cells for starting material. Researchers have recently discovered a very smart way to use third molars as a source of stem cells that could one day help regrow and repair damaged tissue. Adult stem cells extracted from tissues like skin, bone marrow have certain limitations, since they usually generate only one or two type of cells out more than 200 types in the body.

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