

# DynaCleft® + Nasal Elevator

Evidence-based pre-surgical treatment of cleft lip and palate, and nasal deformity

Proven as effective as NAM in pre-surgically approximating unilateral cleft lip and palate\*

Developed in collaboration with Plastic Surgeons, Orthodontists, and Cleft Palate Teams, DynaCleft + NE System gently guides bone and soft tissue while supporting nasal alar cartilage; improve nasal symmetry and better positions a cleft lip and palate for optimal surgical results.

## DynaCleft Clinical Benefits\*

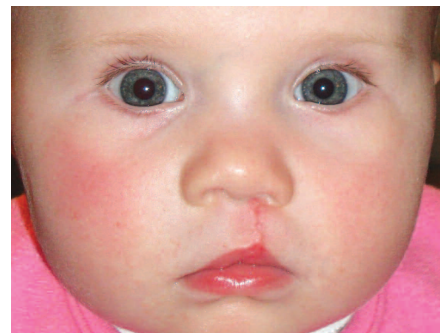
- Controlled force re-positions prolabium, premaxilla and alveolar segments for best possible surgical results
- Can be used alone or in conjunction with NAM, or any intra-oral plate
- Easy to apply and manage, increasing parental compliance with treatment
- Significant cost savings compared to NAM

## Nasal Elevator Clinical Benefits\*

- Improves nasal symmetry
- Lengthens and straightens the columella
- Reduces need for primary nasal surgery
- Reduces length & extent of primary nasal surgery
- Facilitates nasal breathing
- Easy for parents to manage at home
- Can be used with DynaCleft tapes, NAM or any intra-oral plate

## Baby and Parent Benefits

- Pre-surgical positioning of lip and palate optimizes cosmetic and functional outcomes
- Easy at-home treatment minimizes clinical visits - no professional adjustments necessary
- Does not interfere with feeding
- Non-invasive treatment maximizes comfort for baby - expands & contracts as baby's mouth moves



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