

CREATING QUALITY PROTOCOLS FOR FINE CHEILOPLASTY RESULTS.



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Cleft lip and palate is the most common alteration presented in the congenital orofacial anomalies around the world. In Mexico 1 of every 750 babies is born with cleft lip and palate, around 3000 per year. Children with this anomaly undergo multiple procedures throughout their life. Cheiloplasty is the first procedure performed between 3 to 6 months. There still are many diagnostic and technical aspects around this surgery that are controversial; different techniques have been described with their advantages and disadvantages, We believe that every cleft should be treated at the right time, with the indicated surgical technique, caring for the quality of the material used; always giving the right importance to the post surgical follow up. Comprehensive care of our patient will leads us to obtain the best outcomes, to provide correct function and aesthetics.



This Project is about creating quality control protocols for cheiloplasty in every center. At Iniciativa UVA, we follow 6 important things that produce a good result in cheiloplasty; achieving an inconspicuous scar.

- 1.- Right presurgical orthopedics.
- 2.-Trained hands (soft tissue management)
- 3.-Right Technique for the type of cleft
- 4.-Quality of materials (Sutures).
- 4.- Correct postsurgical management of the wound.
- 6.- Follow up.



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