

READ FREE BRACES A CONSUMERS GUIDE TO ORTHODONTICS

Braces

Life is Like a Tootsie Roll Lollipop: The Adventures of Sib and Bib is a memory book of my childhood growing up in the segregated South during the 50s and 60s. Sometimes serious and sometimes humorous, I look back on my childhood with memories that define all that is wondrous and enchanting about this fleeting period of time. Each of the twelve creative nonfiction stories is a unique celebration of some aspect of childhood that I hope will spark a special remembrance for each reader.

Braces

Do you have questions about getting orthodontic treatment for yourself or your child? Smiling For Success is a consumer's guide to orthodontics. It goes through all the reasons to get braces or Invisalign and what you can expect when you get started. It answers many of the most frequently asked questions such as \"why is it important to have straight teeth\" and \"what are the signs my young child needs braces?\" Many people don't realize the effect of a smile on self-confidence and self-esteem. This book explores all the psychological, dental, and health benefits of having a sensational smile.

Smiling for Success

Get The Smile You've Always Wanted Often people hear myths about orthodontics from their friends or family and accept them as facts. Maybe they've heard that adults can't get braces, or that they'll have to wear the same bulky, metal braces that were popular decades ago. Maybe they're afraid that braces will cause them pain during treatment. However, like all medicine, orthodontics have come a long way. Dr. Thais Booms and Dr. Kelly Giannetti wrote Beyond Braces: A Consumer's Guide to Orthodontics to dispel the myths and rumors about orthodontics. In this book, you'll learn how everything about how orthodontics work in today's world, including: -how your bite was formed and why it matters, -what preventative treatment is available for children, -how orthodontics help snoring and sleep apnea, and -the different type of treatments available for adults. If you've ever been on the fence about orthodontic treatment for you or your child, don't hesitate to learn how your life can be changed--pain free!

Beyond Braces

Whether you are a patient, parent, or dental healthcare professional, The Consumer's Guide to Invisalign is your blueprint to achieving a beautiful smile with Invisalign. Don't miss this trusted resource! Dr. Dustin Burleson is a speaker, teacher, author and orthodontic specialist. He is an Assistant Clinical Professor at the University of Missouri - Kansas City School of Dentistry, the Attending Orthodontist at the Children's Mercy Hospital and Director of the Leo H. Rheam Foundation for Cleft and Craniofacial Orthodontics. Author of Stop Hiding Your Smile! A Parent's Guide to Confidently Choosing an Orthodontist, Dr. Burleson mentors not only patients and their parents but also orthodontic specialists from all over North America. In his private coaching groups, Dr. Burleson lectures and teaches his orthodontic peers how to create patient-centered practices focused on changing lives and supporting the community. Through his efforts, hundreds of orthodontists across the nation have committed to providing orthodontic care to children who desperately need but cannot afford orthodontic treatment. Dr. Burleson is the nation's largest provider of free orthodontic

treatment to children in need and is the president and founder of Burleson Orthodontics & Pediatric Dentistry, a large multi-doctor, multi-clinic specialty practice in Kansas City, Missouri where he resides with his wife and three children.

The Consumer's Guide to Invisalign

In this informative book, *Beyond Straight Teeth*, author, lecturer and seasoned orthodontist, Dr. Paul White, reviews the important things to contemplate when considering having orthodontics. In simple to understand terms, Dr. White discusses the benefits of straight teeth, how to tell if you need braces and how to find the "right" orthodontist should the need arise. Because Dr. White believes that quality orthodontic treatment is a great investment for anyone, he even recommends ways to pay for braces. If you or someone you care about is considering orthodontics, this book is a must read!

Beyond Straight Teeth

Your child needs an expander. Most people need permanent tooth extractions. You're too old for orthodontics. You'll be in treatment for about two years. Orthodontics is painful. Lies, lies, lies, lies and yes, more lies. *The Truth About Orthodontics: A Consumer's Guide to a Beautiful Smile* gives you the information you need to make the best decisions for your orthodontic care. Written by a doctor who is both an orthodontist and a physician, this fact-filled and entertaining book walks you through the basics, explaining old treatments versus new developments, and debunking the lingering lies that tend to feed people's fear of orthodontics, preventing them from enjoying the benefits a beautiful smile can provide. Discover how the current understanding of tooth movement has transformed smile design into a process that can be shorter and more comfortable. Now, you can be prepared with the knowledge you need to find the treatment that will most benefit your smile. Engaging, humorous, and easy to read, this book about orthodontics will actually give you something to smile about.

The Truth about Orthodontics: A Consumer's Guide to a Beautiful Smile

Written specifically for the dental patient, this resource provides practical information about dental health and treatment options. Readers can access easy-to-understand information about solutions to their dental problems and about how to maintain a healthy smile for life.

A Consumer's Guide to Dentistry

Whether you are a patient, parent, or dental healthcare professional, *The "Unofficial" Consumer's Guide to Invisalign Treatment* is your blueprint to achieving a beautiful smile with Invisalign. Don't miss this trusted resource! Dr. Dustin Burleson is a speaker, teacher, author and orthodontic specialist. He is an Assistant Clinical Professor at the University of Missouri - Kansas City School of Dentistry, the Attending Orthodontist at the Children's Mercy Hospital and Director of the Leo H. Rheam Foundation for Cleft and Craniofacial Orthodontics.

The Unofficial Consumer's Guide to Invisalign Treatment

Discusses new technology, treatment options, and costs, tells how to select an orthodontist, and includes recipes designed for people who wear braces

Adult Braces in a Gourmet World

This guide to fixed appliance-based orthodontics is designed to serve as a comprehensive 'how to' manual. With the aid of a wealth of superb illustrations, instruction is provided on all aspects of fixed appliance

treatment, including bracket placement and positioning, archwire selection and engagement, use of auxiliaries, placement of fixed retainers, and wire bending. The supporting text presents important information underpinning the selection of attachments and mechanics, emphasising the relative merits and demerits of the various approaches with appropriate use of key referencing. It will offer detailed support on the use of fixed orthodontic appliances for undergraduates and postgraduates and those starting with practical orthodontic treatments, while providing a valuable refresher and reference for more experienced clinicians.

Fixed Orthodontic Appliances

Accelerate Life With Orthodontics Your child's smile is important. Poorly aligned teeth or jaws can affect your child growing up around peers--and they can even impact his or her careers later in life. Significant medical problems can also occur due to a lack of a straight smile, including chronic migraines, gum disease, and infections. So, what's the solution, then? Where does an orthodontist come into play? **Accelerate Your Smile & Success: A Consumer's Practical Guide to Orthodontics** will teach you all you need to know about the inner workings and recommendations of an orthodontist, including: - signs you or your child need to see an orthodontist - how orthodontic treatment can impact your child's social life - what you can expect from an initial consultation and exam - the best treatment options for your child's problems - the cutting-edge six-month or less AcceleSmile braces system There is nothing more joyful than a child's smile--learn what you can do to help yours obtain a great smile they can carry forever!

Accelerate Your Smile and Your Success

Explains the process of straightening teeth, including a short history of this branch of dentistry and a glimpse of possible advancements.

So You're Getting Braces

Refresh, Restore, Replace. Dental implants can transform your life! Learn the latest options so you can make an informed decision and feel great about the way you smile. With many years of experience in the exciting field of implant dentistry, Dr. Williams has helped countless patients change the way they feel about dentistry, and most importantly gain their confidence and well-being back. In **The Consumer's Guide to Dental Implants**, you'll learn: Be in the know on which teeth to save and which to replace The #1 way you can save money on dental care What to do if you are terrified of the dentist The condition in 1/3 of adults that destroys teeth and implants, and how you can avoid it The different implant options available to you today The questions you should ask when considering an implant dentist Why now is the best time ever to explore implants and Cosmetic Dentistry How long you should expect your new implants to last Why \"cheap\" dentistry may cost you a lot more in the long run How to know if you should consider other aspects of cosmetic dentistry such as clear braces, veneers, etc. Take a free self assessment of your smile Gain free access to bonuses and extras

The Ultimate Guide to Getting Braces

Why is your child's smile so important and why do kids need braces? Dr. Dustin Burleson, Speaker, Teacher and Author offers clear explanations to parents on the difference between a dentist and an orthodontist. You'll discover why most orthodontists don't offer guarantees and why you should think differently, if you want peace of mind. His self-professed \"boring little book\" about orthodontics can actually save you a lot of money and headaches if you're searching for the best braces or Invisalign treatment for your son or daughter. Plus, Dr. Burleson covers the timely topics of teen bullying and suicide, more prevalent in today's society and made far worse by social media. See how your child's smile can impact his or her social development and give your family a lifetime of confidence when you discover the New Orthodontics in this quick and easy-to-read book by a trusted authority in the orthodontic profession.

The Consumer's Guide to Dental Implants: 3 Keys Every Adult Needs to Know About A Smile Transformation

Surviving Braces contains all of the information a person - child or adult, patient or parent - needs to breeze through orthodontic care. It is written in a fun, easy-to-read format and includes advice, recipes, an elastics tracker, an orthodontic diary and more. It is co-authored by an orthodontic technician with 32-years of experience and edited by an orthodontist. Surviving Braces is a must have for anyone taking the journey of orthodontics.

Don't Ask Them to Hide Their Smile

This book is a practical guide for both dental students and practitioners to designing, fitting and adjusting removable orthodontic appliances and retainers. The book offers step by step instructions with clear illustrations on the key areas of clinical practice. In each case, information is provided on indications for use, principles of design, fitting, activation and trouble shooting. Further chapters coach students to deal effectively with their patients and to manage the treatment plan in question.

Surviving Braces

This evidence-based book, featuring contributions from world-renowned experts, discusses in detail the functional anatomy of the temporomandibular joint as well as the aetiology, diagnosis, treatment and medicolegal implications of patients with temporomandibular disorders (TMD). Despite advances in our understanding of the aetiology of TMD and in developing current treatment rationales, a number of issues remain controversial. These include the extent to which the temporomandibular joint should be a central focus of orthodontic diagnosis and treatment, as well as the role that occlusion and malocclusion play in precipitating TMD symptoms. Indeed, few subjects in dentistry and the specialty of orthodontics are open to as many interpretations or misinterpretations as TMD. This textbook provides clinical orthodontists with essential information and guidance that will assist them in understanding and effectively managing this complex multilayered problem. Throughout, clear clinical guidelines are presented on the basis of current scientific and clinical evidence. TMD and Orthodontics will be a highly valuable chairside resource for orthodontists everywhere.

Orthodontic Retainers and Removable Appliances

Debonding and Fixed Retention in Orthodontics An accessible and thorough guide to debonding and fixed retainer bonding Debonding and Fixed Retention in Orthodontics: An Evidence-Based Clinical Guide reviews the protocols, materials, and techniques required at two key stages of orthodontic treatment. The book has been written as a reference guide and the chapters introduce the best-supported and most efficient approaches to each stage of debonding and fixed retainer bonding treatments, from choice of material through to final results. The book includes relevant procedures including orthodontic appliance removal, appliance debonding, the use of rotating instruments, and enamel cleaning. The authors also provide guidance on topics such as the failure and adverse effects of fixed retainers, enamel structural defects, periodontal effects, and aerosol production, to aid in positive result retention. Readers will also find: Two extensive sections covering debonding and fixed retainer bonding Evidence-based guidelines for each stage of treatment Summaries of the side effects of procedures on hard and soft dental tissues Tips to avoid potential unfavorable sequelae Detailed lists of existing methods and their clinical implications Debonding and Fixed Retention in Orthodontics is written for orthodontic specialists, clinicians, and postgraduate dental students looking to build knowledge and ensure the best results during these two stages of orthodontic therapy.

TMD and Orthodontics

Is your child hiding his or her smile? Are you worried about how his or her (crooked) smile might affect his future? If so, speaker, teacher and author Dr. Dustin Burleson has a message for you and your child: "Stop Hiding Your Smile!" Stop Hiding Your Smile is a guide for parents who are unfamiliar with orthodontics. Maybe you never had braces as a child, but you want to provide this important investment for your children. Like any unfamiliar endeavor, the initial steps can be overwhelming. Giving you the confidence to make decisions about the timing of your child's orthodontic treatment is the basic goal of this publication. In fact, this book answers two dozen of the most commonly asked questions about orthodontics. Stop Hiding Your Smile is easy to read and will serve as a quick reference and valuable resource in the journey of improving your child's smile.

The Tooth, the Whole Tooth, and Nothing But ...

Robert F. Garrison, DMD, PA has more than 30 years of experience as an orthodontist. He works diligently to help patients achieve beautiful and healthy smiles through braces and a wide array of orthodontic treatments. A lifelong South Carolina resident, Dr. Garrison takes after his father who was a general dentist in Columbia, SC. Once he was old enough to choose his profession, he knew that he would be going into dentistry and ultimately decided that orthodontics was where he belonged. Starting his career in the Columbia and Lexington areas, he owned a successful orthodontic practice in Lexington for decades, where he put braces on more than 10,000 patients, including the daughter of former Governor of South Carolina and former United States Ambassador to the United Nations, Nikki Haley. In 2016, Dr. Garrison sold his orthodontic practice in Lexington with the idea of retiring in Bluffton. However, it didn't take him long to realize that starting a new orthodontic practice made sense in so many ways. (Our passion never leaves us!) With his new practice well underway, Bluffton Orthodontics, Dr. Garrison is bringing his many years of experience and passion for orthodontics to the Lowcountry - creating a unique atmosphere that not only provides patients and families the highest quality of experienced orthodontic care and outstanding results, but offers a fun environment and stress-free journey to a beautiful smile. A graduate of the University of South Carolina with a BS in Biology, he earned his Doctor of Medical Dentistry degree at the Medical University of South Carolina in Charleston and his degree in orthodontics from the Medical College of Georgia. Aside from Dr. Garrison's amazing credentials, he is a member of the Southern Association of Orthodontists, American Association of Orthodontists, American Dental Association, SCAO (South Carolina Association of Orthodontics), and the South Carolina Dental Association. He offers a complimentary consultation and he and his team go above and beyond to cater to every individual need.

Debonding and Fixed Retention in Orthodontics

Almost half the people in the United States are missing one or more teeth. Sports injuries alone knock out another two million teeth every year. A reliable technology exists that can help many of these individuals recover from the disaster of tooth loss. No longer an experimental procedure, dental implants are now a dependable and effective way for people to return to their original state of wholeness - eating, speaking, and smiling without feeling self-conscious. Dr. Babbush describes the entire process in easy-to-understand language, complete with success stories and numerous photographs, X-rays and illustrations. Highly recommended..." - Library Journal "An upbeat, 'patient-friendly' guide... Full color photographs illustrate a quite practical discussion." - Midwest Book Review

Stop Hiding Your Smile! a Parent's Guide to Confidently Choosing an Orthodontist

Tells how to select a dentist, discusses dental care for children, HMOs, x-rays, fees, malpractice, braces, and root canals, and includes tips on home tooth care

Embrace the Journey & Leave Smiling

This innovative atlas provides an advanced, step-by-step approach to specifically and efficiently diagnose

and treat orthodontic cases through the use of over 500 color illustrations and over 50 line drawings. Presents the latest treatment techniques that are based on the latest research of diagnosis, cephalometrics and clinical applications. Offers information to guide in the utilization of light, the reducing of patient discomfort, shortening treatment time and minimizing the potential risk of iatrogenic root resorption.

As Good as New

Seek a Healthier, Happier Future As orthodontists, we know there are a lot of options for straightening teeth and creating a beautiful smile. But there's also a lot of confusing information when it comes to orthodontics. How do you know where to turn? In *The Orthodontic Answer Book: A Guide to the Most Common Patient Questions*, Dr. Samuel "Jack" Burrow III, Dr. Samuel "Sam" Burrow IV, and Dr. Britney Welchel provide all you need to know about orthodontics and how you can get the smile you've always deserved. You'll learn about: Don't wait for things to get worse--whether you're considering starting treatment or at the end of your journey, learn about your next steps by reading this book, and take steps toward a healthier future. - the different types of braces and what they can treat, - how to know if you or your child needs braces, - life after braces and the importance of retainers, and - how to find the best orthodontist to treat your family. Burrow & Welchel Orthodontics are proud of their unrivaled expertise, excellent quality, and a wide variety of orthodontic treatment. The practice is comprised of award-winning doctors with over 20 years of combined experience with state-of-the-art facilities in three locations. Come and see what the "Best in Charlotte" have to offer for your orthodontic treatment!

Handbook of Orthodontics

Selecting a dental insurance plan for your family can be a confusing experience. In *A Consumer's Guide to Dental Insurance*, Dr. Warren A. Brill outlines the steps you need to take in order to help maximize your family's dental health. The various types of dental plans are described in detail and the questions you need to ask when evaluating these plans are posed and answered. Many aspects of dentistry and dental treatment are discussed, including a glossary of technical dental terms that you need to know when reading your dental benefits package.

The Oral Report

BRACES A Consumers Guide to Orthodontics is written in plain language that anyone can understand. All procedures that a new patient might encounter in an orthodontic office are explained, including finances, records, expectations and special situations. Illustrations are included to demonstrate typical problems and solutions. The section on Symptoms you can see has a number of illustrations showing teeth you might see in your child's mouth. It helps you decide if there is a problem which requires orthodontic treatment (braces). Chapter One lists and explains the ten most important questions to ask your orthodontist. If you don't know what to ask, here are your questions. Chapter Two discusses treatment and Chapter Three covers growth, school, athletics and appointments. Chapter Four is involved with cleft palate treatment, extractions and facials. Chapter Five is concerned mostly with adult orthodontics. All the forms you might be expected to sign are shown in Chapter Six. Surprise contracts do not increase your comfort level. Chapter Seven tells you how to find an orthodontist. There is a glossary of orthodontic terms at the end of the text. The book is easy to read and told like a story from beginning to end. If you or your child are considering braces, both of you should read this book. It will help you and the orthodontist.

Atlas of Advanced Orthodontics

Learn What New Orthodontics Can Do For Your Child Your child's smile is important. Poorly aligned teeth or jaws can affect your child growing up around peers--and they can even impact his or her careers later in life. Significant medical problems can also occur due to a lack of a straight smile, including chronic migraines, gum disease, and infections. So, what's the solution, then? Where does an orthodontist come into

play? The Ultimate Guide to Braces: A Parent's Guide to the New Orthodontics will teach you all you need to know about the inner workings and recommendations of an orthodontist, including: -signs you or your child need to see an orthodontist -how New Orthodontics can not only impact your child's social life, but overall health -what you can expect from an initial consultation and exam -the best treatment options for your child's problems There is nothing more joyful than a child's smile--learn what you can do to help yours obtain a great smile they can carry forever!

The Orthodontic Answer Book: A Guide to the Most Common Patient Questions

Richly illustrated and in full colour throughout, the new HANDBOOK OF ORTHODONTICS presents the subject of orthodontics in an accessible, easy-to-read manner. Whilst maintaining a strong clinical focus throughout, this new volume provides the reader with a firm understanding of the problem of malocclusion and its management and addresses the controversies in modern orthodontics by taking an evidence-based look at current clinical practice. The book also presents a clear explanation of the basic sciences of relevance to the orthodontist, including an up-to-date look at craniofacial development, growth and syndromic conditions that affect this region. Offers comprehensive coverage of clinical orthodontics, from diagnosis and treatment planning through contemporary removable and fixed appliances to cleft lip and palate Helps the reader develop a critical approach to the different philosophies of treatment by addressing controversies in orthodontics and looking at current clinical practice in an evidence-based manner Covers the scientific basis of orthodontics in detail with particular focus on embryology, craniofacial development, growth and the biology of tooth movement Numerous clinical examples clearly illustrate the theory described Succinct writing style and rich use of pedagogy - almost 400 illustrations and tables together with 'pull-out boxes' - to help make learning easy Ideal for use as a textbook or as a reference manual Suitable for senior dental students, postgraduate trainees and residents in orthodontics

A Clinical Guide to Orthodontics

This book is the Course Manual for Academy of Fixed Orthodontics (AFO) courses in Orthodontics for the general dental practitioner and has been written exclusively for the general dentist who wants to incorporate fixed orthodontics into their practice. Towards this goal the course manual is a concise treatise on the study and practice of fixed orthodontics in general and explains in particular, the technique of MBTTM prescription of preadjusted edgewise appliance system (Straight Wire™). Within about 100 pages of text amply illustrated with color photographs and line drawings, the reader is introduced to the basics of orthodontic theory and practice. Biomechanics of tooth movement and the theory behind the preadjusted appliance system is given in brief. Basic instruments and materials for the fixed orthodontic practice is presented with photographs. Diagnosis and Treatment planning using Clinical tools, Cephalometrics and cast analysis is explained in enough detail. Banding and Bonding of the appliance and wire changes through planned sequence are presented succinctly. Each type of clinical cases (malocclusion) and the extraction and non-extraction methods to be followed is explained in detail. The chapter on Standard Operating Protocol gives the reader the entire steps in practice of straight wire fixed orthodontics in just 3 pages. Four pages of sample Cast Analysis form allows for a thorough practice and at the end of the book few blank pages are given so that the reader can write any notes if needed. All these features make this a unique handbook and desktop reference for the dentist who would like to lean fixed orthodontics. As this is a course manual, it is highly recommended to take up the entire Academy of Fixed Orthodontics course, which is supported by Videos and Lectures and effective post course mentoring. The concepts and implementation of this course will allow the participant to choose the content and period of study that best suits her practice. The course also teaches the latest in fixed orthodontic treatment mechanics including Tip-Edge, Lingual Orthodontics, Orthodontic Mini-Screws and the Self Ligating systems. The course is designed in such a way that the participant can easily understand the basics and will confidently be able to incorporate fixed orthodontics in the general practice. This is a handbook for the clinical practice of fixed orthodontics and is not a textbook on the subject.

A Consumer's Guide to Dental Insurance

A comprehensive overview of modern orthodontic treatment using self-ligating bracket systems - with evaluations of systems currently available Promising numerous advantages in design, treatment efficacy, and reduced treatment time, self-ligating brackets have become a major part of modern orthodontic practice. Self-Ligating Brackets in Orthodontics: Current Concepts and Techniques summarizes contemporary information and clinical studies on these popular systems, integrating them with the authors' practical, hands-on experience. Encompassing all aspects of treatment with self-ligating fixed appliances from biomechanics to material properties, including diagnostic and therapeutic principles, this book provides a step-by-step visual guide to this groundbreaking field. Special Features: Provides more than 1,500 outstanding color photographs that show the sequence of steps for all procedures involving self-ligating brackets from start to finish Objectively evaluates the advantages and disadvantages of commercially available self-ligating bracket systems to help you make the best choices for your patients Covers the full scope of treatment, including oral hygiene, adhesive techniques, biomechanics, aesthetic choices, retention and stability, and more Includes multiple case studies as well as information on risks and pitfalls, practical tips, and clinical pearls that aid in decision-making and reinforce the treatment concepts Written by a team of international specialists, this book is essential for all practitioners who want to keep up with the latest developments in self-ligating brackets, expand their services, and offer state-of-the-art treatment techniques. It is a useful introduction to newcomers to self-ligation as well as a guide for experienced orthodontists on how to successfully incorporate this highly popular technique into their practices.

My Baby My Baby!

An essential guide to the theoretical and practical clinical information on different aligner techniques in orthodontics Aligner Techniques in Orthodontics is filled with the theoretical and practical clinical information on the popular aligner techniques with a focus on Invisalign. Written by practicing orthodontists and noted experts on the topic, the book is designed to help practitioners develop their skills in using aligners in orthodontics. The authors describe in detail the clear and simple methods for treating patients using different aligner techniques, as well as material on treating any given malocclusion. The book is filled with descriptive illustrations and includes helpful suggestions and ideas for implementing the various aligner techniques. This important guide: Provides theoretical and practical clinical information on different aligner techniques including Invisalign Offers clear and simple methods to treat patients using different aligner techniques Explains how to use clear aligners to treat a given malocclusion Written by two renowned experts in Align and Invisalign technology Written for practicing orthodontists and general dentists, Aligner Techniques in Orthodontics provides an invaluable resource for practicing orthodontists.

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