

Orthognathic Surgery



We would like to invite you to complete a Quick Poll on orthognathic surgery. Its purpose is to identify knowledge and management of dentofacial deformities within the dental community.

What is your area of expertise:

- ☐ General dentist
- ☐ Periodontist
- ☐ Orthodontist
- ☐ Prosthodontist
- ☐ Endodontist
- ☐ Pediatric dentist
- ☐ Maxillofacial radiologist
- ☐ Orofacial pain specialist
- ☐ Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery (OMFS)

In the last 5 years, how many of your patients have undergone orthognathic surgery?

- ☐ <5
- ☐ 6-10
- ☐ 11-15
- ☐ 16-20
- ☐ 20+

When managing a patient with a clear dentofacial deformity or facial asymmetry, my primary

referral for further evaluation would be:

- ☐ Orthodontist
- ☐ Primary care physician/Pediatrician
- ☐ Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeon (OMFS)
- ☐ Plastic Surgeon
- ☐ Other

When managing a patient with a history of obstructive sleep apnea, my primary referral for further evaluation would be:

- ☐ Otolaryngology (ENT)
- ☐ Primary care physician
- ☐ Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeon (OMFS)
- ☐ Sleep medicine
- ☐ Dental sleep medicine
- ☐ Other

Please select which of the following that you strongly agree with: (Check all that apply)

- ☐ Orthognathic surgery is only indicated for dental malocclusions.
- ☐ Orthognathic surgery is an evidence-based treatment option for obstructive sleep apnea.
- ☐ Orthognathic surgery will require a patient's jaw to be wired shut.
- ☐ Orthognathic surgery can only be performed safely in teenagers and young adults.
- ☐ Orthognathic surgery is expected to significantly impact a patient's psychological sense of self image and well-being.
- ☐ Orthognathic surgery is expected to affect upper airway size or breathing.
- ☐ Orthognathic surgery to correct malocclusion is expected to positively affect speech, chewing, and long-term dental health.
- ☐ Orthognathic surgery is very risky in patients with a history of cleft lip/palate.
- ☐ Orthognathic surgery is only rarely covered by medical insurance.

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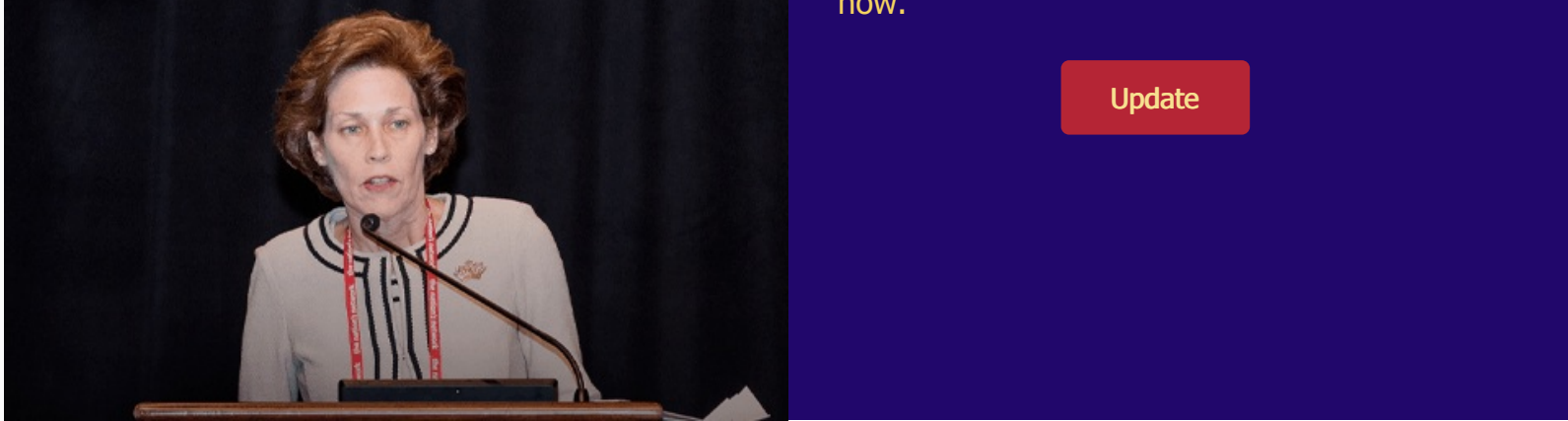
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