**DESCRIPTION**

**DENTOFACIAL ORTHOPEDICS IN THE GROWING CHILD**

A clinical guide to understanding why malocclusions occur in children and how to diagnose and correct them early to reestablish normal growth using dentofacial orthopedics


The book addresses both class I, II and III malocclusions, and more complicated cases such as facial asymmetries and temporomandibular problems that develop in the primary dentition. Concise, highly illustrated chapters describe normal and abnormal craniofacial development, and how and why environmental factors can affect the growth pattern. Early diagnosis and treatment planning, long-term case resolution, complementary methods of diagnosis such as occlusion and cephalometric, and more are discussed.

- Provides clinicians with visual guidance on how to rapidly diagnose malocclusions
- Contains over 1,300 high-quality images of different Class I, Class II, and Class III malocclusions, including temporomandibular problems, both before and after correction, and long-term follow-ups
- Helps clinicians correct different malocclusions using the fewest number of appliances and in the least amount of time
- Includes tables of different cephalometric of before and after corrections for most clinical cases presented in the book
• Contains a chapter on how to communicate and bond with children as patients to help them understand the importance of wearing their appliances

Children are not young adults so diagnostic methods which are regularly used can often misguide the clinician. *Dentofacial Orthopedics in the Growing Child* is an invaluable reference that guides pediatric dentists, orthodontists, general dentists, and maxillofacial and craniofacial surgeons with treating children.

---

**ABOUT THE AUTHOR**

**Dr Marc Saadia** is a Paediatric Dentist. He completed his undergraduate program form the Universidad Tecnológica de México. His thesis presentation received an honorary mention. His postgraduate program in Oral Paediatrics was completed at Tufts University in Boston and his research project for this Master’s was done at the National Institute of Health in Bethesda, Maryland. He is currently Co-Editor-in-Chief of the *Journal of Clinical Pediatric Dentistry*.

**Dr Roberto Valencia** is a Paediatric Dentist; Professor of the Specialty in Paediatric Dentistry at Universidad Tecnológica de México; Professor of the Master in the Center for Higher Studies of Orthodontics CESO; President and Founding Partner of the Mexican Academy of Paediatric Dentistry Founder and Secretary of the Mexican Council of Paediatric Dentistry; He is editor of the RODYB Dental and Biomaterial Journal of the Latin American Association of Dental and Biomaterial Operative ALODYB.

---

To purchase this product, please visit [https://www.wiley.com/en-us/9781119720195](https://www.wiley.com/en-us/9781119720195)