

### Maxillary Skeletal Expander

Invented by Prof. Won Moon UCLA School of Dentistry



#### Prof. Won Moon D.M.D. M.S

Dr. Won Moon is the Founder of the Moon Principles Institute ("the MoonLab") and a Co-founder of

BioTech Innovation. He served as the Thomas R. Bales Endowed Chair in Orthodontics for the orthodontic residency program at UCLA School of Dentistry (2013-020), and he currently holds two academic positions: Full-Professorship at Ajou

University, and Adjunct Professorship at Forsyth Institute. He has been a Diplomate of the American Board of Orthodontics since 2002. He completed his dental education at Harvard and orthodontic education at UCLA. He studied mathematics prior to dentistry,

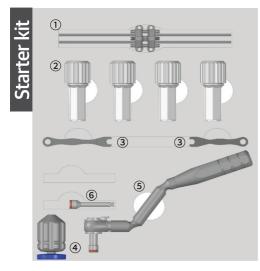
and his research topics include 3D image analysis utilizing surface mapping functions and Elliptical Fourier's Descriptors, Genomewide Association Study of Craniofacial Phenotypes, Finite Element Model (FEM) Development and Simulation, Applications of 3D Printing in Orthodontics, Orthopedic Correction, Airway Changes with Orthopedic Corrections, Accelerated Tooth Movement, Microimplant Design study, Digital Workflow, and Aligner System Development.

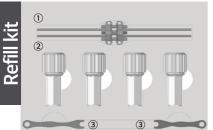
#### **BIOMATERIALS KOREA**

His work has been published in various journals, not necessarily limited to orthodontics because of his physical science background,

and he is a co-author of six textbooks. He has presented these findings in 37 countries, totaling over 450 presentations. He received multiple research grants during his tenure at UCLA, including the Groundbreaking Research Project Grant Award in 2014. Besides the numerous research and presentation awards over the years, he has received the "Faculty of the Year Award" more times than anyone at UCLA Orthodontic Program, and he was the recipient of the "Lifetime Achievement and Faculty Dedication/Excellence Award" in 2019. His current focus has been establishing protocols for orthopedic corrections with MI, improving the airway for patients with nasal obstruction, creating virtual patients utilizing image analysis and FEM, and developing a novel Moon Aligner System.

His interest in mid-facial expansion began in 2004 as micro-implant became available in the USA, and he is responsible for developing Maxillary Skeletal Expander (MSE), a unique micro-implant assisted rapid palatal expander (MARPE). He has been active in advocating non-surgical skeletal expansion in both children and adult patients, especially for those who may suffer from airway restrictions. His presentation in MSE has been widely accepted internationally and numerous peer-reviewed publications are available.





# Components

- ① MSE Expander (Available expansion sizes : 8mm, 10mm & 12mm) Choose an expander size according to a width of patient's palatal vault
- ② Micro Implant(M.I) (Ø 1.8mm X 11mm & 13mm Lengths are available) Choose M.I length according to the thickness of patient's palatal bone \*For MSE type 1, M.I is Ø 1.5mm and for MSE type 2, M.I is Ø 1.8mm
- ③ 2 Activation Keys (1 Short & 1 Long)
- ④ Mini Hand Driver

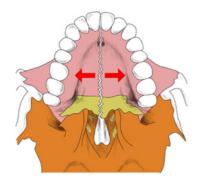
Use with initial insertion of M.I placement The best way is to use Mini Hand Driver for initial

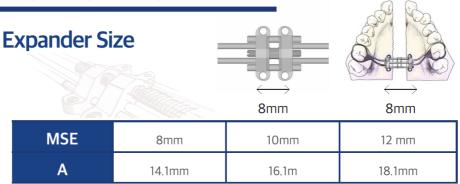
(5) Ratchet Wrench Driver

Inserting and Removing M.I

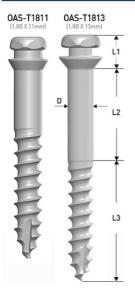
- 6 Short Engine Blade (Shaft) Attach to Mini Hand Driver
- ⑦ Safety Leashes With ③ activation key

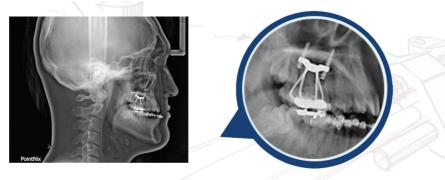
# **PRODUCT SPECIFICATION**





# **MINI SCREW**





Model	D(Diameter)	L1(Head part)	L2(Non-thread part	L3(Thread part)
OAS-1811	1.80	2.10	4.00	7.00
OAS-1813	1.80	2.10	6.00	7.00

### **LAB WORK**



# **INSERTION M.I**





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\* [Manual Driver]\_RW

## **ACTIVATION PROTOCOL**





2X / day (0.27mm / day) 4~6X / day (0.53~0.80mm / day) Min. 4~6X / day

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