

Review of: "Cleft Lip and Palate Repairs in X, "Sourire de l'Espoir" Humanitarian Missions' Experience: A Retrospective Study of 201 Consecutive Cases"

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The article titled "Review of: Cleft Lip and Palate Repairs in X, "Sourire de l'Espoir" Humanitarian Missions' Experience: A Retrospective Study of 201 Consecutive Cases" presents a 10-year retrospective series of missions. In my opinion, it serves as an excellent example of a robust project designed not only to provide treatment to patients but also to train local surgeons, enabling them to perform standard procedures independently without relying on foreign missions.

This article is deserving of publication as it can serve as an inspiration or model for other humanitarian missions. I would also encourage the team to extend their efforts to educate local surgeons on secondary procedures and sequelae, which are often overlooked and left untreated by the majority of missions.

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