

# Review of: "Primary Surgical Treatment of Cleft Palates in the Algerian Hospital Environment"

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A good analytical comparative study.

Excellent insight into the use of aero phonoscope.

However I have the following queries:

1. Why was muscle repositioning not carried out with VWK palatoplasty since its a well known fact that without intravelar myoplasty there will be a compromise in the velum function
2. There is a mention of replacement joint in the following sentence "Therefore, this surgery procedure ought to be undertaken in the first year of life before the development of a replacement joint". Could the authors elaborate on this.