

# A New Look at Lingual.

Even for the inexperienced lingual user, the advanced technology of the STb Light Lingual System makes lingual treatment remarkably easy-to-use and more effective than ever.



Developed with Drs. Giuseppe Scuzzo and Kyoto Takemoto, the STb appliance is small, comfortable and efficient. The system is designed to utilize light forces, provide excellent 3-D control and eliminate the need for patient compliance.

The complete STb Light Lingual System is ideal for 7-7 cases, while STb Social 6™ corrects minor-to-moderate anterior crowding or spacing within a few months.

## STb Bracket Improvements

- ◆ Improved bracket ligation notch facilitates a more passive system for lower friction in larger diameter archwires
- ◆ All brackets feature a hook (option on anteriors and bicuspid)
- ◆ Anteriors – single tie-wing design at the incisal edge offers greater patient comfort; gingivally offset pad allows for more incisal bracket placement
- ◆ Bicuspid – wider tie-wing for improved rotational control and patient comfort
- ◆ First molars – now a tube for greater patient comfort



The reduced profile and rounded contours of the STb bracket minimize tongue discomfort and pronunciation challenges.

## The Truly Invisible Aligner Alternative



- ◆ Treats minor-to-moderate anterior crowding and spacing with maximum control
- ◆ Completes most cases in 6 weeks to 4 months
- ◆ Simple two-wire sequence quickly unravels and aligns teeth; most cases finish with just one wire
- ◆ Indirect bonding through AOA lab makes bracket placement fast, simple and accurate – at a cost that's 80% less than a full case of removable aligners



## Quality

- ◆ Treat a wide range of cases with maximum 3-D control, delivering optimal results
- ◆ Confidently predict treatment times
- ◆ Eliminate compliance issues and misplaced aligners

## Patient Comfort

- ◆ Low 1.5 mm bracket profile and rounded contours provide maximum comfort
- ◆ Patients regain proper pronunciation within just a few days
- ◆ Light-force mechanics are designed to make treatment more gentle to the tissues

## Efficiency

- ◆ Passive ligation design and optimal-force wires designed to reduce friction and accelerate treatment
- ◆ Small and narrow bracket design reduces occlusal interference and increases interbracket distance for lighter forces
- ◆ Bracket base bonds securely to tooth surfaces

## Simplicity

- ◆ Standard indirect setup in your own practice or through AOA Lab makes bracket placement fast, simple and accurate
- ◆ Most cases do not require a TARG or CLASS setup, making STb nearly half the cost of other lingual setups
- ◆ Easy for doctor and staff members to learn and use
- ◆ Available in single patient kits

Without the compliance issues and limited 3-D control of aligner treatment, the STb System delivers the aesthetics and comfort your patients will love and the clinical ease and results you demand. **It's lingual like you never seen before.**



Passive ligation notch at the top of the bracket prevents ligature from binding the archwire against the slot base for reduced friction.



STb brackets sit securely on the flat surface of the teeth close to the incisal edge, for easier case setup.

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Light Lingual System

