



**MARIN ORTHO**  
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## **BIONATOR**

This special appliance, known as the Bionator, works mainly by bringing the lower jaw and teeth forward to reduce the overbite and improve the bite of the back teeth. This growth enhancement to the lower jaw provides a better balance with the rest of the facial, skeletal and profile development.

**THE BIONATOR NEEDS TO BE WORN AT LEAST 14 OUT OF EVERY 24 HOURS.** If you wear it only twelve hours, the jaw growth will be encouraged during that time but will tend to rebound during the twelve hours you are not wearing it. So any hours over twelve that you wear it are the most important. **WEARING IT ONLY AT NIGHT IS JUST NOT ENOUGH.**

The Bionator should fit loosely in your mouth. This looseness helps encourage you to close your jaws together in their new relationship. When you remove the Bionator in the morning, brush it thoroughly with your toothbrush and toothpaste when you brush your teeth. This will keep the Bionator clean and fresh. We recommend soaking the appliance in mouth wash or Efferdent retainer cleaner at least once a week to help prevent an odor or bad taste from developing.

**ALWAYS PUT THE BIONATOR IN ITS CASE WHEN YOU ARE NOT WEARING IT.** Please keep the Bionator away from dogs as they love the smell and will chew it up, even when it is in the case. Your Bionator has been designed specifically for your orthodontic problem and is difficult and costly to make.

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