

CLEFT PALATE

- INDICATION: - Closure of the posterior cleft palate.
- MATERIALS NEEDED: - Gowns + gloves
- Linen for draping
- Basic Plastic Surgery Set
- Long scissors and forceps
- Mouth gag
- Mitchel trimmer or hooked freer
- Gauzes
- Diathermia, bipolar
- Suction
- Saline/adrenaline solution
- Syringe + small needle
- Knife 15
- Sutures
- EQUIPMENT: - Diathermia
- Suction unit
- PREPARATION PATIENT: - The patient is lying on the back.
- DISINFECTION: - Disinfect the head with Betadine solution.
- DRAPING: - Drape the head with a turban.
- OPERATION REPORT: - Placing mouth gag.
- Injection of saline/adrenaline solution on both sides of the cleft.
- Bilateral incision next to the cleft.
- Preparation with a Mitchel trimmer or hooked freer to mobilize the palate.
- Closure of the palate with Vicryl 4-0.
- BANDAGE: - None
- SPECIALITIES: - None