



Talk to your Orthodontist about

SmartClip™ SL3 Self-Ligating Braces.

Comfortable, stylish and unique in design and features, SmartClip braces are a great choice for your treatment.

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### IMPORTANT PATIENT INFORMATION

Your orthodontic provider is the single best source for information regarding your orthodontic treatment. Consult your orthodontist if you have any questions about your treatment.

Allergic reactions to braces have been reported in patients allergic to nickel or chromium. Call your orthodontist or a physician if you develop hives, skin rash or other symptoms of an allergic reaction.

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# GET THE 3M BRACES ADVANTAGE





## INNOVATIVE BRACES FOR A NEW GENERATION

SmartClip™ SL3 Self-Ligating Braces are the modern choice in Orthodontics. They are computer designed to make your treatment more comfortable, save time, and give you the result you want – a beautiful new smile.

Ordinary braces use "elastic bands" (technical name is "ligatures") to secure an archwire into a slot in each bracket. This is called ligation. The bands can become stained or stretched – requiring your Orthodontist to change them. They can also retain food pieces, making it more difficult for you to keep your braces clean. And, your Orthodontist will have to take these bands on and off to change or adjust the wire during your treatment. No fun.

SmartClip braces are different. They don't use ligatures to hold the archwire because they're *self-ligating*. Instead of elastic bands, SmartClip braces use small metal clips to hold the archwire into the bracket. So you can forget about the problems associated with elastic bands!



Ordinary Braces with "Elastic Bands"



SmartClip SL3
Self-Ligating Braces

### YOU HAVE OPTIONS

3M Self-Ligating Braces are also available in a ceramic version which blends in with your teeth and makes your braces less visible. Ask about Clarity™ SL Self-Ligating Braces and if they are the right choice for you.



# LOOK FORWARD TO A BEAUTIFUL SMILE

The number of patients choosing 3M Self-Ligating Braces is rapidly growing worldwide, proving that SmartClip™SL3 Braces are a choice you can trust to give you a great smile.

A beautiful smile doesn't have to be a dream anymore. The innovation behind SmartClip SL3 Self-Ligating Braces and the expertise of your Orthodontist will work together to make your dream a reality.

### THE 3M BRACES ADVANTAGE

Innovative Self-Ligating Technology

- · Enables faster treatment time
- · Allows for fewer & faster appointments
- . No more elastic bands
- . Easy to keep clean

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