

# NobelZygoma™ 0°

## Instructions for use



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#### Description:

##### Implant:

NobelZygoma™ 0° implants are made from biocompatible commercially pure grade 4 titanium with TiUnite® surface. It is a parallel walled implant with a 0° abutment head. The implant has TiUnite® up to the level of the platform.

The "Brånemark System®" restorative assortment is to be used in combination with this implant. Furthermore dedicated 45°/60° Multi-unit Abutments are also available.

##### Tooling:

Nobel Biocare Twist Drills and Pilot Drills are made of stainless steel with a DLC (Diamond Like Carbon) coating. Round Burs are made of stainless steel with no DLC (Diamond Like Carbon) coating. They should be used in conjunction with NobelZygoma™ 0° implants and are for single use only.

Zygoma Drill Guard, Zygoma Drill Guard Short, Zygoma Depth Indicator Straight and Zygoma Depth Indicator Angled are made of stainless steel. Zygoma Handle is made of aluminium alloy and stainless steel. They should be used in conjunction with NobelZygoma™ 0° implants and are intended for reuse.

The implant comes with a co-packed Cover Screw made of commercially pure grade 1 titanium.

#### Intended use:

NobelZygoma™ 0° implants are endosseous implants and are integrated in the zygomatic bone (osseointegration). They are intended to be used for anchoring or supporting tooth replacements to restore chewing function.

#### Indications:

NobelZygoma™ 0° implants are endosseous dental implants intended to be surgically placed in the bone of the upper jaw arches to provide support for prosthetic devices, such as artificial teeth, in order to restore patient esthetics and chewing function. These implants may be put into immediate function provided that stability requirements detailed in the directions for use are satisfied.

#### Contraindications:

NobelZygoma™ 0° implant is contraindicated for patients:

- who are medically unfit for an oral surgical procedure.
- with inadequate bone volume for conventional implants and zygoma implant(s).
- in whom adequate sizes, numbers or desirable position of implants are not reachable to achieve safe support of functional or eventually parafunctional loads.
- who are allergic or hypersensitive to commercially pure titanium grade 4 and grade 1 and stainless steel or DLC (Diamond Like Carbon) coating.
- who are to be restored with single unit constructions.

#### Warnings:

Failure to recognize actual lengths and direction of drills relative to radiographic measurements and surrounding anatomical structures can result in permanent injury to nerves or other surrounding vital structures.

Besides the mandatory precautions for any surgery such as asepsis, during drilling in the zygomatic bone, one must avoid damage to the nerves and vessels by referring to anatomical knowledge and preoperative radiographs.

In general the most notable risks associated with the Zygoma implants are sinusitis and fistula formations.

#### Cautions:

##### General:

One hundred percent implant success cannot be guaranteed. Especially, non-observance of the indicated limitations of use and working steps may result in failure.

Treatment by means of implants may lead to loss of bone, biologic or mechanical failures including fatigue fracture of implants.

Close cooperation between surgeon, restorative dentist and dental laboratory technician is essential for a successful implant treatment.

It is strongly recommended that NobelZygoma™ 0° implants are used only with Nobel Biocare surgical instruments and prosthetic components, as combining components that are not dimensioned for correct mating can lead to mechanical and/or instrumental failure, damage to tissue or unsatisfactory esthetic results.

It is strongly recommended that clinicians, new as well as experienced implant users, always go through special training before undertaking a new treatment method. Nobel Biocare offers a wide range of courses for various levels of knowledge and experience. For more information please visit [www.nobelbiocare.com](http://www.nobelbiocare.com).

Working the first time with a colleague, experienced with the new device/treatment method, avoids eventual complications. Nobel Biocare has a global network of mentors available for this purpose.

##### Before surgery:

Careful clinical and radiological examination of the patient has to be performed prior to surgery to determine the psychological and physical status of the patient. It is highly recommended to perform a medical CT scan or a CBCT (cone beam CT) analysis prior to the final treatment decision. The patient must have clinically symptom-free sinuses, no pathology in associated bone and soft tissue and completed all necessary dental treatment.

Special attention has to be given to patients who have local or systemic factors that could interfere with the healing process of either bone or soft tissue or the osseointegration process (e.g., cigarette smoking, poor oral hygiene, uncontrolled diabetes, oro-facial radiotherapy, steroid therapy, infections in the neighboring bone). Special caution is advised in patients who receive bisphosphonate therapy.

In general, implant placement and prosthetic design must accommodate individual patient conditions. In case of bruxism or unfavorable jaw relationships reappraisal of the treatment option may be considered.

With respect to pediatric patients, routine treatment is not recommended until the end of the jaw bone growth phase has been properly documented.

Pre-operative hard tissue or soft tissue deficits may yield a compromised esthetic result or unfavorable implant angulation.

All instruments and tooling used during procedure must be maintained in good condition and care must be taken that instrumentation does not damage implants or other components. Zygoma implants treatments could be performed under local anesthesia, IV-sedation or general anesthesia.

##### At surgery:

Care and maintenance of instruments are crucial for a successful treatment. Sterilized instruments not only safeguard your patients and staff against infection but are also essential for the outcome of the total treatment.

Because of the small size of components, care must be taken that they are not swallowed or aspirated by the patient.

NobelZygoma™ 0° implants may be tilted up to 45° relative to the occlusal plane. When used with angulations between 30° and 45°, the following applies: The tilted implant must be splinted; a minimum of 4 implants must be used when supporting a fixed prosthesis in a fully edentulous arch.

After the implant installation, the surgeon's evaluation of bone quality and primary stability will determine when implants may be loaded. Lack of adequate quantity and/or quality of remaining bone, infection and generalized diseases may be potential causes for failure of osseointegration both immediately after surgery, or after osseointegration is initially achieved.

Bending moments: Forces that cause bending moments are known to be the most unfavorable, as they can potentially jeopardize the long-term stability of an implant-supported restoration. In order to decrease bending moments, the distribution of forces should be optimized by cross-arch stabilization, minimizing distal cantilevers, having a balanced occlusion as well as decreased cuspal inclination of the prosthetic teeth.

##### After surgery:

To secure the long term treatment outcome it is advised to provide comprehensive regular patient follow-up after implant treatment and to inform about appropriate oral hygiene.

#### Surgical procedure:

1. To begin exposure of the lateral maxillary wall, a full thickness mucoperiosteal flap is reflected following a crestal incision with bilateral distal vertical releasing incisions over the tuberosity areas.

**Warning:** It is imperative to be aware of vital structures including nerves, veins and arteries during the surgical exposure of the lateral maxillary wall. Injuries to vital anatomic structures can lead to complications including injury to the eye as well as extensive bleeding and nerve-related dysfunction.

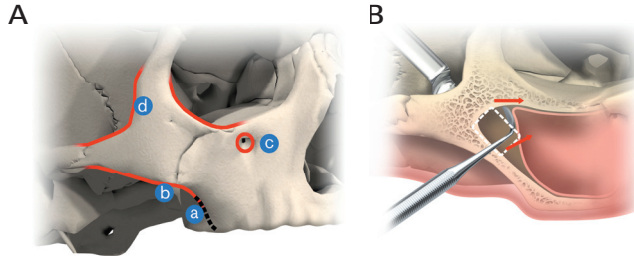
Image (A) highlights the following landmarks which may be used in keeping oriented during the anatomic dissection:

- a. Posterior wall of the maxillary sinus
- b. Zygomatic-maxillary buttress
- c. Infra-orbital foramen
- d. Fronto-zygomatic notch

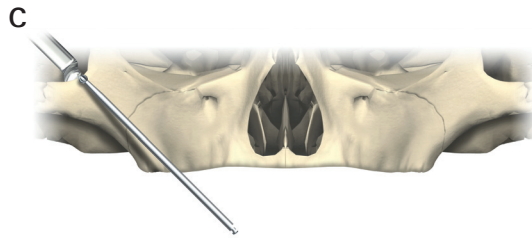
**Cautions:** It is essential to identify and protect the infraorbital nerve.

2. For direct visualization of the lateral maxillary wall as well as the fronto-zygomatic notch area, a retractor is placed in the fronto-zygomatic notch with lateral retraction exposing the areas highlighted (B).

- To assist in direct visualization of the drills during the preparation of the osteotomy, a "window" is made through the lateral maxillary wall as shown. Attempt to keep the Schneiderian membrane intact, if possible (B).

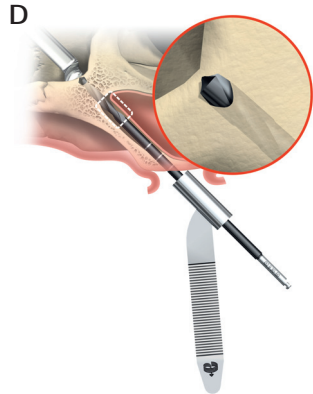


- Begin the trajectory of the implant at the first-second bicuspid area on the maxillary crest, follow the posterior maxillary wall and end at the lateral cortex of the zygomatic bone slightly inferior to the fronto-zygomatic notch (C).



- Drilling procedure: The ratio of the handpiece used is 20:1 at a speed of max. 2000 rpm. Drill under constant and profuse irrigation by sterile saline at room temperature.

**Caution:** The Drill Guard may be used during the preparation of the osteotomy to avoid contact of the rotating drill with the adjacent soft tissues (D). Injury to the tongue, corner of the lips and or other soft tissues may occur if the drill shaft is unprotected.



Depth measurement system: The parallel drills have a true depth measurement system. All drills and components are marked to prepare the site to the correct depth and obtain a secure and predictable position. Please see image E for drill reference lines.

**Caution:** Avoid lateral pressure on drills during implant-site preparation. Lateral pressure may cause drill fracture.

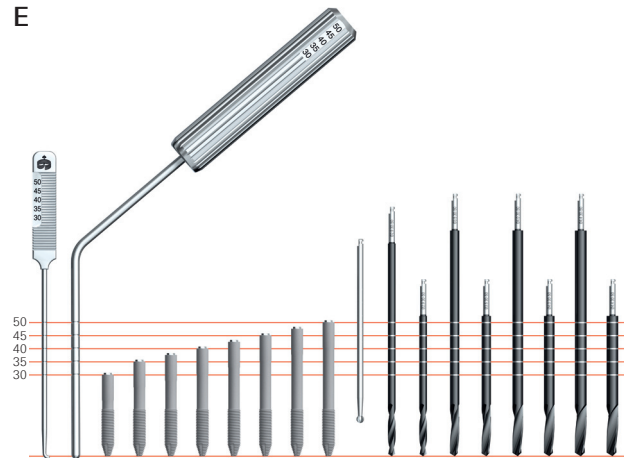
**Caution:** Verify that drills lock in the handpiece before starting any drilling. A loose drill may accidentally harm the patient or members of the surgical team.

**Caution:** Verify that all interconnecting instruments lock properly before intraoral use to prevent accidental swallowing or aspiration.

- Drilling Sequence: (Image E shows relation between drills and implants). The initial osteotomy is made using the Brånemark System® Zygoma Round Bur and the NobelZygoma™ 0° Twist Drill 2.9 mm, followed by the NobelZygoma™ 0° Twist Drill 3.5 mm and NobelZygoma™ 0° Twist Drill 4.0 mm. Finally the NobelZygoma™ 0° Twist Drill 4.4 mm is used.

**Caution:** Ensure correct angulation and avoid drill wobble, as this can inadvertently widen the preparation site.

**Caution:** If the sinus membrane cannot be kept intact during osteotomy preparation, carefully irrigate away debris when inserting the implant. Any mucosal remnants in the bone site may prevent osseointegration of the implant.



- Use the Z depth indicators to determine the length of the Zygoma implant to be placed. Copious irrigation of the sinus is recommended prior to implant placement.
- Plan to insert the implant as posteriorly as possible, with the implant head as close to the alveolar crest as possible (typically in the 2nd premolar region.) Anchorage of the implant will be achieved by entering the base of the zygoma bone (the posterior-lateral portion of the maxillary sinus roof), engaging through the lateral cortex of the zygoma below the frontozygomatic notch. Depending on the anatomy of the patient, the implant body may be positioned inside or outside the maxillary sinus.

**Note:** Adjustment to this implant placement may be considered due to anatomical variations in the maxilla as well as the maxillary sinus.

- Implant placement.

Insert implant with drilling unit:

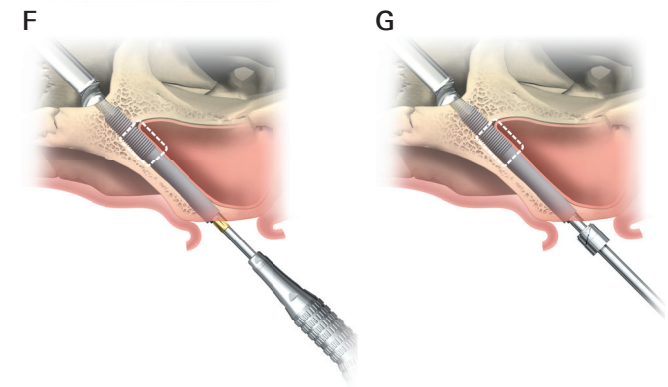
The implant may be inserted using the Implant Driver Brånemark System® RP and the drilling unit at 20 Ncm insertion torque. Increasing the insertion torque up to maximum 50 Ncm may be used for the complete seating of the implant (F). Once an insertion torque of 40 to 50 Ncm is reached, the Z Handle may be used. Disengage the implant driver with Handpiece. Now connect the Z Handle to the Implant Driver Wrench Adapter and insert into the implant (G). Rotate the Z Handle clockwise until the desired depth and head position are achieved.

Confirm through the "window" of the lateral maxillary wall the correct insertion angle of the implant while continuing through the sinus until the implant apex engages in the zygomatic bone.

Tighten manually:

Disengage the implant driver with Handpiece. Now connect the Z Handle to the Implant Driver Wrench Adapter and insert into the implant (G). Rotate the Z Handle clockwise until the desired depth and head position are achieved.

**Caution:** When using the Z Handle, applying excessive torque can distort or fracture the implant head.

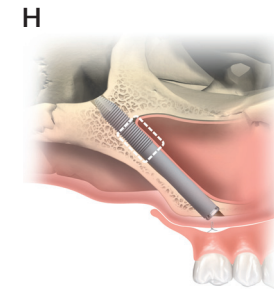


- Perform copious irrigation of the apical portion of the implant (the subperiosteal portion of the zygomatic bone) prior to the removal of the retractor from the fronto-zygomatic notch.

- The premaxillary, conventional implants are placed following the conventional protocol for placement of implants.

- Depending on surgical protocol of choice, place a cover screw or abutment and suture. For Immediate Function, the implants should be able to withstand a final torque between 35–45 Ncm. For two-stage protocol relieve the denture over the implants (H).

**Caution:** Use only Brånemark System® cover screws. There are dedicated Multi-unit Abutments 45°/60° available for this implant.



For additional information on surgical procedures please consult the Brånemark System® Zygoma "Procedures & products" treatment guidelines available at [www.nobelbiocare.com](http://www.nobelbiocare.com) or request latest printed version from a Nobel Biocare representative.

#### Materials:

NobelZygoma™ 0° implant: Commercially pure titanium grade 4.  
 Cover Screw: Commercially pure titanium grade 1.  
 Twist Drills: Stainless Steel with a DLC (Diamond Like Carbon) coating.  
 Round Bur: Stainless Steel.  
 Zygoma Handle: Aluminium alloy and stainless steel.  
 Zygoma Drill Guard, Zygoma Drill Guard Short, Zygoma Depth Indicator Straight and Zygoma Depth Indicator Angled: Stainless steel.

#### Cleaning and sterilization:

NobelZygoma™ 0° implant, NobelZygoma™ 0° Twist Drills and Cover Screw are delivered sterile and for single use only prior to the labeled expiration date.

**Warning:** Do not use device if the packaging has been damaged or previously opened.

**Caution:** NobelZygoma™ 0° implant and Twist Drills, Round Bur are single use products and must not be reprocessed. Reprocessing could cause loss of mechanical, chemical and/or biological characteristics. Reuse could cause cross contamination.

Round Burs are delivered non-sterile for single use. Prior to use clean, disinfect and sterilize the product using the recommended parameters.

Zygoma Handle, Zygoma Drill Guard, Zygoma Drill Guard Short, Zygoma Depth Indicator Straight and Zygoma Depth Indicator Angled are delivered non-sterile and are intended for re-use. Prior to use and re-use clean, disinfect and sterilize the products using the recommended parameters.

**Warning:** Use of non-sterile components may lead to infection of tissues or infectious diseases.

For USA: Seal single device in a pouch and steam sterilize at 270°F, max 279°F (132°C, max 137°C) for 3 minutes.

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Should there be no MR symbol on the product label, please note that this device has not been evaluated for safety and compatibility in the MR environment. This device has not been tested for heating or migration in the MR environment.

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#### **Storage and handling:**

The product must be stored in a dry place in the original packaging at room temperature and not exposed to direct sunlight. Incorrect storage may influence device characteristics leading to failure.

#### **Disposal:**

Disposal of the device shall follow local regulations and environmental requirements, taking different contamination levels into account.



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**Caution:** Federal law restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a licensed physician or dentist.

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Non-sterile



Caution



Consult instructions for use



Use-by date



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