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Happy New Year from all of us here at Montgomery Pediatric Dentistry! We have some exciting news for the start of 2019! We will now be offering our patients the benefit of the best laser technology for pediatric dental frenectomies: **the LightScalpel® CO_2 laser!**

Though the CO_2 laser is a new addition to our office, we have extensive experience with pediatric frenectomies since opening our doors in 2014. Most commonly we are performing the procedure on newborn infants, sometimes only a few days old, to help nursing mothers achieve breastfeeding success. Previously, Dr. Ciano performed the procedure in the traditional way with surgical scissors, however a tongue-tie release done with a CO2 laser requires less time, is less invasive, and has significantly less bleeding and post-operative pain for the patient.

Dr. Ciano has been performing frenectomy surgery since completing her Pediatric Dental Residency at New York Presbyterian Hospital/Columbia University in 2012. In 2013, she completed a laser certification course by The Academy of Laser Dentistry and has over 40 hours of continuing education on the use of dental lasers. In that time, she learned about the superiority of the CO_2 laser over the diode laser for soft tissue surgery and decided the CO_2 laser would be the best choice for our family of patients.

As always, we wanted to thank you for your trust in our pediatric dental care and for thinking of us for the dental care of your smallest of patients. Please feel free to call our office at 609-454-3722 and ask to speak with Dr. Ciano with any questions.

Sincerely,

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