

Pixel^{CO}₂

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Technology with
Maximum Versatility

**For Dermatology
& Aesthetic Procedures**



ALMA's Pixel CO₂

Alma Pixel CO₂ is a highly flexible system for **tissue ablation, excision, incision and coagulation of soft tissue**. Using the power of the carbon dioxide CO₂ laser, the optimal mix of ablative and thermal effects and an array of applicators and treatment modes for highly tailored procedures, providing some of the most dramatic, age-defying results in the treatment of challenging skin imperfections.

Alma Pixel CO₂ opens the door for new possibilities in dermatological and surgical treatments. These include scars, skin laxity, excision of benign and malignant skin and oral lesions, skin resurfacing and the treatment of striae and more. The platform also extends its use for Gynecology, Otolaryngology (ENT) and other medical fields using advanced, breakthrough applicators.

MODES OF OPERATION

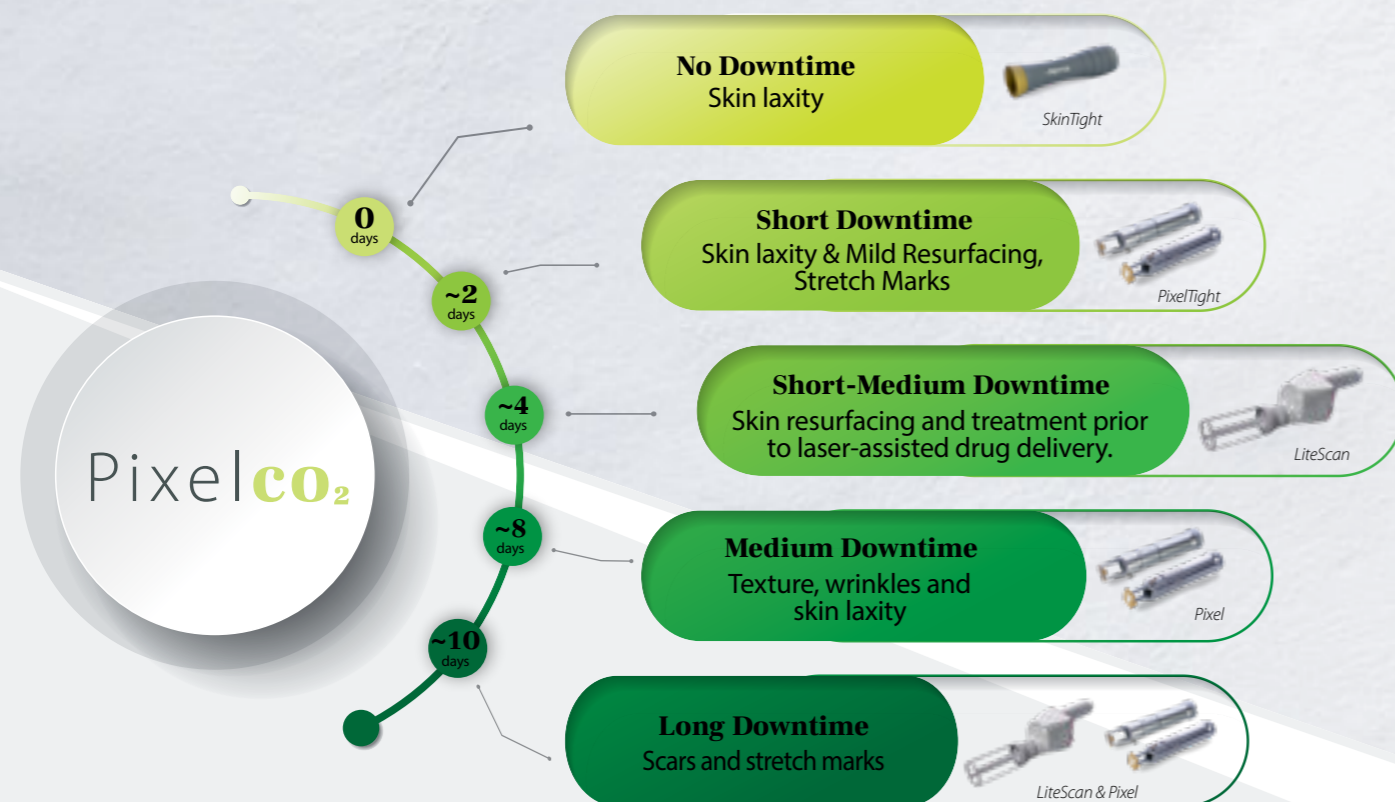
The CO₂ laser system offers 4 modes of energy delivery:

CW Mode for continuous and consistent wave laser energy

Pulse Mode for single use and more supervised and accurate energy delivery

Repeat Mode for a series of either short or long pulses

Super Pulse Mode which provides the highest peak power with the shortest pulse duration



A Full Range of Treatment-Specific Applicators

The Fractional Laser Method

Unlike traditional ablative laser resurfacing which removes the entire top layer of the skin, Alma Pixel CO2 deploys a fractional delivery method which creates pixel-sized perforations in the skin, leaving the surrounding tissue intact. The preservation of undamaged skin between the perforations allows for faster healing while the wound healing process promotes accelerated re-epithelization, generation of new collagen, tissue regeneration and contracture of existing fibers.

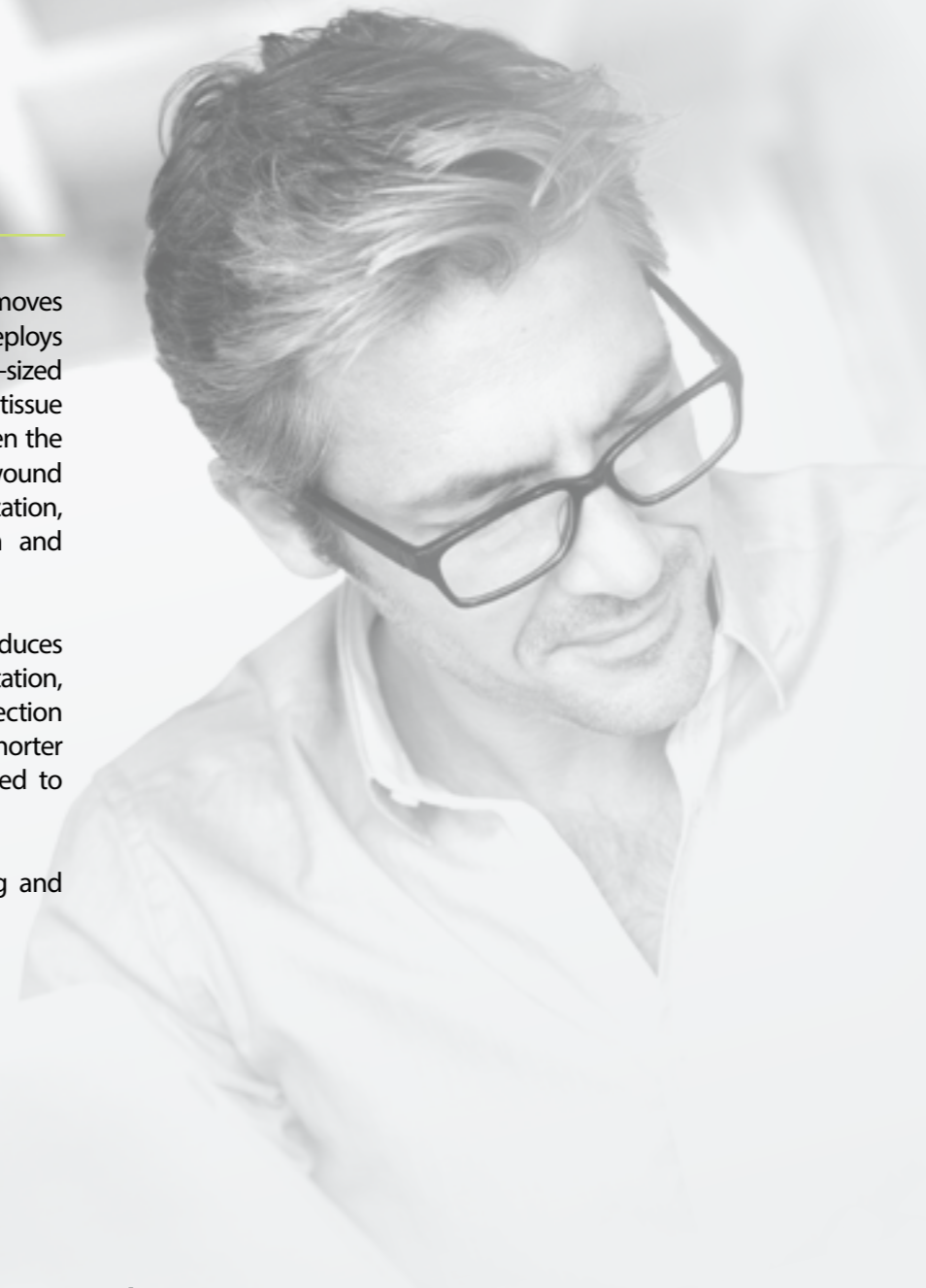
Fractional treatment controls and significantly reduces the risk of adverse side effects such as hypopigmentation, scarring, post-inflammatory hyperpigmentation, infection and persistent erythema. Patients also benefit from shorter downtime and increased patient comfort compared to traditional resurfacing.

The fractional method is ideal for skin resurfacing and revival treatments, including scar treatment.



Alma's Pixel CO2 technology achieves excellent results for skin rejuvenation. The deep thermal effect of the pixel applicator stimulates collagen renewal, making it ideal for treating fine lines and wrinkles. The iPixel roller offers high speed capabilities, allowing us to treat larger areas far more quickly, easily and effectively.

Dr. Acky Friedman, MD., Dermatologist, iSkin Clinic



Pixel Applicators

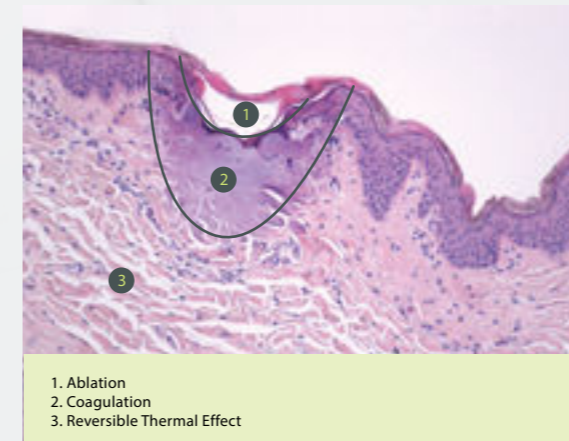
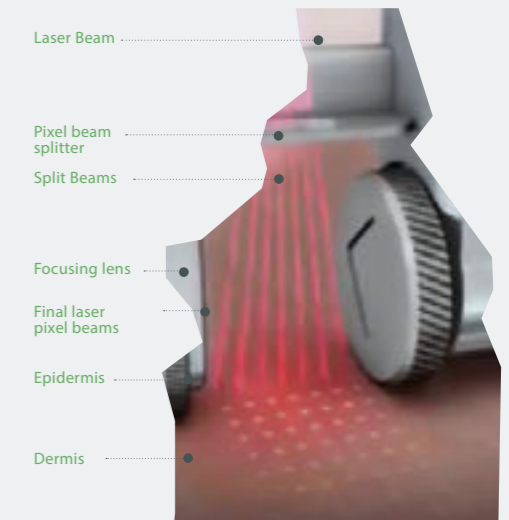
Major thermal effect, short downtime, ideal for deep wrinkles and skin laxity



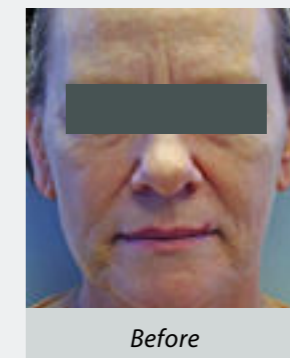
The Pixel CO2 7x7 and 9x9 stamping applicators deliver CO2 laser energy to the skin through a DOE (Diffractive Optical Element) which pixelates the beam to energy equaled 49 or 81 pixels, creating simultaneous microscopic columns of micro-ablative damage. The energy is delivered in a square pattern with an 11x11mm spot size.

This unique technology approach enables the use of much higher energy levels via longer pulse durations, creating a greater coagulation and thermal effect with minimal ablation and significantly reduced patient downtime.

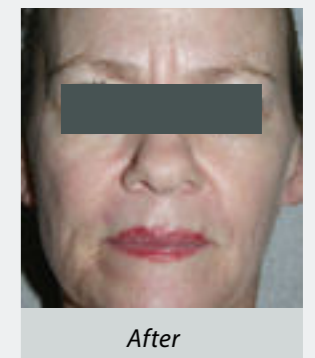
The deep thermal effect of the Pixel applicator makes it ideal for skin revival and treating wrinkles.



Ex vivo (porcine skin) histology of Pixel beams



Before



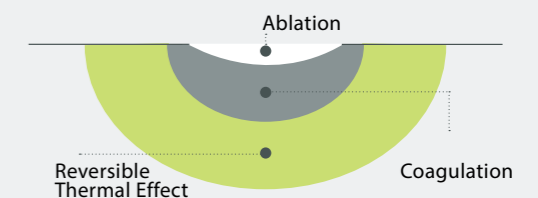
After

Courtesy of Dr. Michael Gold, Medical Director, Gold Skin Care, Nashville TN

New

Pixel-Tight Treatment

New mode of action of the Pixel 7x7 and Pixel 9x9. Minor ablation effect, major thermal deposition for collagen remodeling and skin contraction, with minimal downtime.



Significant coagulation and thermal effect with a micro-ablative effect.

iPixel Roller

Pixel roller for fast, ablative treatments - ideal for larger areas



The iPixel Roller releases a 7 sequential laser pixel beams as it is rolled across the skin, enabling fast treatment of large areas. The movement of the roller triggers a series of laser pulses, of seven, energy equaled, evenly-spaced thermal and ablative channels.

The treatment achieves effective tissue remodeling and skin resurfacing with the benefit of faster healing time associated with the fractional treatment method. It is ideal for skin revival and treating skin pigmentation* in larger areas.



Before

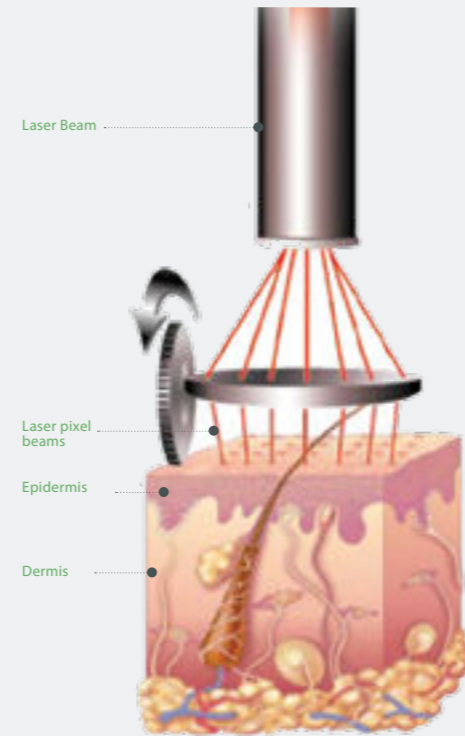


After

Courtesy of Dr. Michael Shochat, MD, Dermatologist.



Moderate ablation with extensive coagulation and thermal effects.



Significant coagulation and thermal effect with a micro-ablative effect.

SkinTight

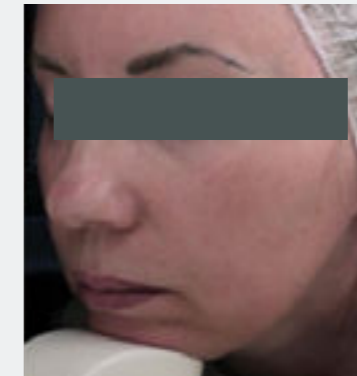
Non-ablative laser with zero downtime, for skin tightening



The new and uniquely designed SkinTight applicator is a CO2 probe created specifically for skin tightening. It features a large, 6mm spot size and uses a defocused low fluence laser beam to gently heat tissue without ablation; effectively heating the dermal layer and triggering neocollagenesis. Energy is applied to the skin without contact and is suitable for treating fine lines, wrinkles and for skin tightening of the face, neck and décolleté.



Before



After

Courtesy of Dr. Dinko Kaliterna, Dermatologist, Poliklinika Poliderma, Zagreb, Croatia



Alma's Pixel CO2 is one of my favorite platforms; I have been using it in my clinic for several years now. The LiteScan applicator is spectacular – an ideal combination of great clinical results and a high-speed procedure

Prof. Dr. Uwe Paasch, MD, Jesewitz OT Gotha, Germany



Focusing Applicators

Cut & Coagulate with perfect control, ideal for surgical applications



Alma's Focusing applicators combine cutting and coagulation into a single setting, allowing physicians to perform both actions without having to switch applicators or parameters during procedures. To perform pure cutting, the applicator is placed on the surface where the laser is at its most focused position. Cutting at this point will be of high ablation and low thermal ratio. For effective and swift coagulation, simple defocussing is needed to stop any bleeding that may occur during the cutting phase.

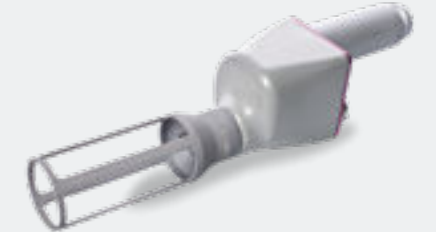
This sequential-action allows physicians to achieve optimal tissue incision or excision cutting with minimal bleeding as well as reduced patient downtime. Fixed Focusing applicators of the two spot sizes allow for precise and accurate soft tissue cutting.



Courtesy of Dr. Dinko Kaliterna, Dermatologist, Poliklinika Poliderma, Zagreb, Croatia

LiteScan

Versatile fractional scanner for efficient ablative procedures, ideal for skin texture and pigmentation*



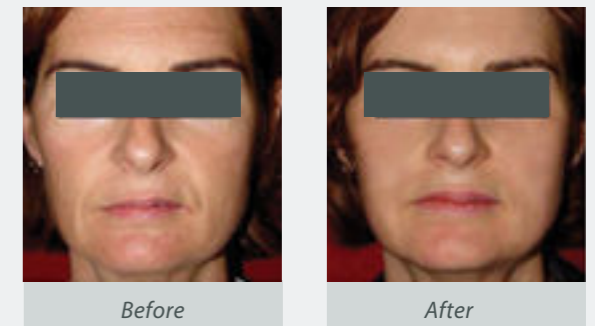
LiteScan is a handheld microprocessor-controlled laser scanner for char-free ablative procedures that allows for rapid coverage of large areas. It is designed for use in a variety of dermatological, aesthetic and surgical applications. Multiple scanning options are available including square or circle, in a spiral, grid pattern as well as straight or curved lines.

LiteScan optimizes treatment efficacy by providing higher energy output per pixel in shorter pulses for ablative procedures. The galvanometric scanning motor delivers energy more quickly per scanning area than the CO2 Focusing applicators, for faster and more efficient coverage of large surface areas.

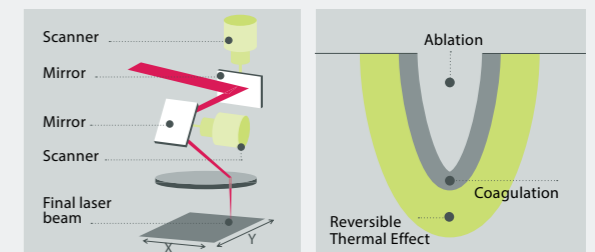
Paint Brush Mode

In "paint brush" or random mode, LiteScan delivers energy in a dispersed, randomized pattern with quick pulses and variable pulse durations. This approach creates a more natural ablative pattern, smoothing out the edges of the treatment area and avoiding the undesirable "checkerboard" appearance. Physicians can control treatment power by moving either slower, for higher density pixels, or faster, for lower density pixels- adapting the treatment to the specific needs of different areas of the face.

Random mode can achieve either deep or superficial ablative and thermal effects, while minimizing the risk of hyperpigmentation. It is ideal for skin resurfacing of large areas with the least amount of downtime.



Courtesy of Dr. Mario A. Trelles, MD, PhD, Instituto Medico Vilafortuny, Tarragona, Spain



Automated scanning apparatus that creates a rapid sequence of aligned, focused beams. High-powered ablation with moderate coagulation and a mild thermal effect.

Combined Modalities Scar Treatment

LiteScan and Pixel provide the ideal combination for effective scar treatment

The combined power of the LiteScan and the Pixel applicator achieves excellent results for the treatment of scars; Pixel applicator provides a deep thermal effect while LiteScan offers a powerful ablative effect. This combination triggers a healing process that replaces scar tissue with healthy regenerated skin.



change to: Courtesy of Prof. Dr. Uwe Paasch, MD, Jesewitz OT Gotha, Germany



FRACTIONAL & NON-FRACTIONAL APPLICATIONS

- ✓ Skin Resurfacing
- ✓ Skin Revival
- ✓ Skin Laxity
- ✓ Scar Treatment
- ✓ Skin Lesions
- ✓ Skin Texture

EXTENDING CLINICAL PERFORMANCE WITH SUPERIOR RESULTS

- ✓ Multiple dermatological & aesthetic surgery indications
- ✓ Versatile applicators for targeted procedures
- ✓ Adjustable treatment patterns
- ✓ Exclusive non-ablative mode*
- ✓ Unique Pixel Technology
- ✓ Safe for delicate areas
- ✓ Precise & Fast treatment
- ✓ Versatile for high ROI

VALUE ADDED SYSTEM FEATURES



System Endurance

Pixel CO2 uses a Coherent RF-excited tube with a high quality laser beam and extremely long span time.



Purge-Air System

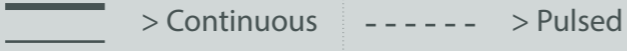



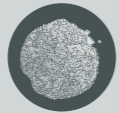


The purge-air flow system is designed to remove laser-generated smoke from the treatment area and keep the lens clean. It consists of an air compressor and a medical-grade sterilizable silicone tube that extends along the articulated arm to the applicator.



Smart, User-friendly interface

The Alma Pixel CO2 is designed with smart, user-friendly features and quick set-up capabilities. A color touch screen LCD display provides step-by-step operating instructions and indicates correct scanning patterns for each treatment objective. The system optimizes procedures by offering pre-set operation and laser delivery parameters and allows users to configure custom parameters and patterns of lasing for specific indications. These settings may also be saved for future procedures.

CO2 Applicators Footprint

Applicator	Footprint
Focusing 50/100mm	 > Continuous > Pulsed
LiteScan Aesthetic Mode	
LiteScan Surgical Mode*	
iPixel Roller	
SkinTight	 * thermal effect only
Pixel	7x7  9x9 

* ROW only



Pixel CO₂ with the Roller applicator is an unbeatable combination when treating scars and stretch marks.

Dr. Tania Meneghel, MD, Dermatologist, Brazil



Alma Pixel CO₂ Specifications

System Specifications	
Laser Type	Coherent Inc. Sealed-off, RF-excited CO ₂ laser
Wavelength	10,600 nm
Laser Power	70/30 Watts
Operational Mode	CW, Repeat, Pulse, Super Pulse
Electrical	120 VAC, 8A, 50/60 Hz Single phase or 220/230 VAC, 4A, 50/60 Hz Single phase
Dimensions	(W*D*H) 18" x 19" x 52" (45cm x 48cm x 132cm)
Weight	135 lbs. (61 kg)

Focusing Applicators

Focal Distance	Spot Size
50 mm	100 μm (0.125 mm)
100 mm	200 μm (0.20 mm)

Pixel Applicators

Spot Density	Energy
49 Pixels (7 x 7)	Energy/Pixel: 10 to 150 mJ/Pixel
81 pixels (9 x 9)	

iPixel Roller

Spot Density	Energy
7 Pixels (7 x 1)	Energy/Pixel: 10 to 150 mJ/Pixel

LiteScan

30W System:
Energy/Pixel: up to 3840 mJ/Pixel

LiteScan

70W System:
Energy/Pixel: up to 7680 mJ/Pixel



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Change is a natural process, but it doesn't always go according to our plans.

That's where Alma's technology comes in and places the control back in our hands.

As a leading company in the field of medical aesthetics, we enable thousands of physicians to help millions of patients experience truly remarkable transformations. Alma enables you to provide the most effective, quick and safe treatment possible to each person that walks into your clinic. Clinical expertise, dedicated service and marketing support, as well as innovative technological developments: all these work together to create a comprehensive support system that benefits you. In a world that is constantly changing, one thing remains constant: patients need to know they are getting the best care possible – before, during and after their treatment. When our solution is in your hands - that promise becomes a reality.

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