

Before: The lower canine teeth have linguoversion. This means that they are growing in too narrow and are stabbing into the delicate soft tissues of the palate and creating a painful sore. If not corrected, the adult teeth will follow the same course and can create even more severe trauma that may result in having to pull the large canine teeth to alleviate pain.



After: Composite extensions are bonded to the teeth to create a smooth rounded surface that no longer is causing pain and trauma to the roof of the mouth. Every time the puppy closes his mouth he is pushing the teeth outwards gently and retraining the jawbone so that his adult teeth will have a new path to follow. The owners reported immediate pain relief after placement of the canine tip extensions.