

Mayo Clinic Medical Edge

Baby Bowel Surgery

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Intro with music	GIVING YOU THE EDGE ON HEALTHY LIVING, HERE'S MAYO CLINIC'S MEDICAL EDGE.
	VA-LAIR-EE-UH OSORIO WAS BORN IN HONDURAS WITH A SEVERE FORM OF HIRSHSPRUNG'S DISEASE. HER BOWELS DID NOT WORK AND SHE BECAME GRAVELY ILL. THEN, VALARIA'S MOM EMELDA SAYS A MIRACLE HAPPENED. SHE FOUND HERSELF NEXT TO THE FIRST LADY OF HONDURAS AT AN EVENT, AND SHE TOLD HER ABOUT VALERIA. THE FIRST LADY ARRANGED FOR THE DIRECTOR OF A CHARITY ORGANIZATION CALLED OPERATION BLESSING TO CONTACT DR. STEVEN ADAMSON

	AT MAYO CLINIC.
Steven Adamson, M.D.	“HE SAID STEVE, I NEED YOUR HELP. WE HAVE A BABY DOWN HERE THAT’S GOING TO DIE.” WITHIN DAYS VALERIA WAS IN THE OPERATING ROOM OF DR. CHRISTOPHER MOIR.
Christopher Moir, M.D.	“OUR JOB WAS TO REMOVE THE DISEASE AND THEN DO A RECONSTRUCTION SO SHE COULD LEAD A NORMAL LIFE.” THE RESULT IS A SYSTEM THAT ALLOWS VALERIA TO STORE WASTE AND ELIMINATE IT NORMALLY. DR. MOIR SAYS VALERIA WILL BE ABLE TO EAT ANYTHING SHE WANTS, AND SHOULD LEAD A FULL, PRODUCTIVE LIFE. FOR MEDICAL EDGE, I’M VIVIEN WILLIAMS.

