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NOTEWORTHY—

★ UNIQUE THUMB COVER WITH LOCK BAND TO DETER CHILD FROM THUMBSUCKING

- 1. PRODUCT NAME: **T-GUARD**
- 2. COMPANY NAME, ADDRESS, & TELEPHONES: Med et al
1226 Mann Drive, Suite 200 Telephone: 704-321-0211
Matthews, NC 28105 USA FAX: 704-248-0944
- 3. COST: per Kit. (2 Thumb covers, 50 bands, instructional video, & safety scissors for removal)

4. EVALUATION SUMMARY:
Safe, kind, low cost way to help children overcome thumbsucking. CRA evaluation shows high success (90%) so far with test group. Advantages: (A) Difficult for child to remove once placed, which is necessary feature, (B) Adaptable to almost all childrens' hands, (C) Multicolored bands add "fun" to procedure. Main disadvantages are cooperation of child & parents needed for successful habit change & device can abrade skin on thumb. Rated excellent or good & purchase recommended by 83% of Evaluators.

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