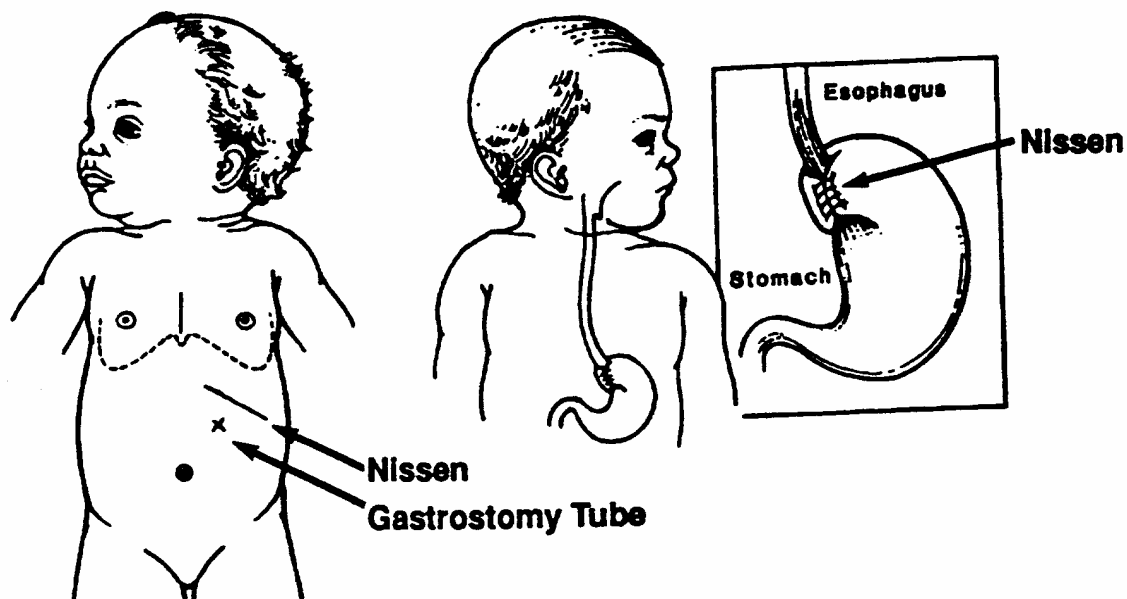




WHAT IS A NISSEN FUNDOPLICATION

- This surgical procedure tightens the valve between the esophagus (tube connecting the mouth and stomach) and your baby's stomach.
- Part of the baby's stomach is wrapped around the esophagus, like a scarf is wrapped around the neck.



- It helps stop formula and stomach juices from sloshing up into the feeding tube or esophagus. This is called reflux.
- Reflux can make your baby spit-up often, irritate the esophagus, have breathing problems (apnea or spells) or cause formula and stomach juices to get into the baby's lungs.