

Solutions for

Anal Abscess / Fistula Surgery

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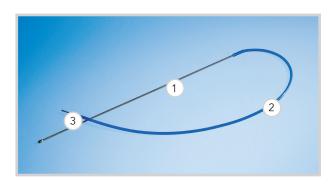




Abscesses / Fistulas

Convincingly simple

The Comfort Drain is extremely simple to use. Containing a flexible probe, silicone drain and unique closure, the sterile set is delivered fully pre-assembled and makes the surgeon's work in the OR not only easier, but also more efficient. In particular the simple closing mechanism, which needs no knots or additional suture material, makes a very noticeable difference: In this case, less is definitely more.



Simply convincing

Not only are surgeons convinced by its comfort, but patients as well. For patients, long-term drainage of anal fistulas can represent a considerable impairment to everyday life. The average adult spends 11.5 hours of each day in a sitting position, and this is where the Comfort Drain really comes into its own: thanks to the miniaturization of the drainage system and the absence of extra sutures and knots, patients enjoy less skin irritation and a heightened level of comfort, especially when seated.

The Comfort Drain consists of 3 components:

1) Metal probe 2) Silicone drain 3) Polypropylene closure

Intended for the treatment of inter-, trans-, and suprasphincteric fistulas, the Comfort Drain is the first medical device approved specifically for these applications. The soft silicone drain is positioned with the probe, and the two ends are then joined to form a closed ring. This serves to promote fibrosis in the fistula tract, providing a safe means of preparation for subsequent fistula surgery. Long-term drainage plays a very important role in the treatment of Crohn's fistulas, for which the Comfort Drain is ideally suited.

Example: Implantation of the Comfort Drain and removal after 8 weeks



Locating the fistula tract with the probe



Knot-free closure of the Comfort Drain



Two Comfort Drains in place



Site showing no abnormalities eight weeks later, immediately prior to fistula surgery

Comfort Drain at a glance:

- First medical device approved for this purpose
- Fully-closed ring: the first knot-free drain
- Less inflammatory skin irritation during preparation for fistula surgery
- Greatly increased comfort for the patient



To facilitate the closure of the Comfort Drain, the Comfort Drain Grasper can be used as a helpful instrument to connect the polypropylene closure with the cut / trimmed drain during the implantation of a Comfort Drain.



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FiXcision: Convincingly simple

The FiXcision instrument enables the circumferential tissue removal to treat simple anal fistulas. This is done in just a few simple steps:

- Probing of the fistula tract
- Compression of the affected tissue by insertion of the guide
- Tissue removal of the complete circumference of the fistula tract by cutting alongside the guide

A circular excision of the fistula epithelium is possible for simple anal fistulas with a length up to 5 cm. The FiXcision instrument is provided as a complete, sterile instrument set, which consists of the following:

1) Guide

Enables the tissue compression around the fistula tract and controls the circular blade

2) Circular blade

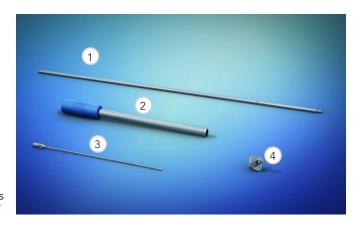
Enables consistent, circumferential cutting of the fistula tissue by a high-precision guidance



1. Insert the guide with the probe through the anal fistula.



2. Disconnect probe from guide. Connect the base plate with the inserted guide.



3) Probe

Enables location of the fistula tract and subsequent insertion of the guide

4) Base plate

Provides resistance to ensure the complete transection of the fistula tissue at the end of the fistula canal



3. Circular excision of the fistula epithelium by rotating and pushing the circular blade forward.



4. Remove the base plate, and pull out the guide and circular blade from the anal fistula.



Order Code	Product	Technical Details
CDS2001	Comfort Drain Long-term drainage for treatment of anal fistulas	Set consists of silicone drain with polypropylene closure and metal probe Delivered sterile 10 units / box
CDS2010	Comfort Drain Grasper Facilitates the closure of the Comfort Drain	Delivered non sterile 1 unit
FIX2001	FiXcision Instrument set for circular excision of anal fistulas	Set consists of: - Circular blade - Guide - Probe - Base plate 10 sets / box, delivered sterile



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