

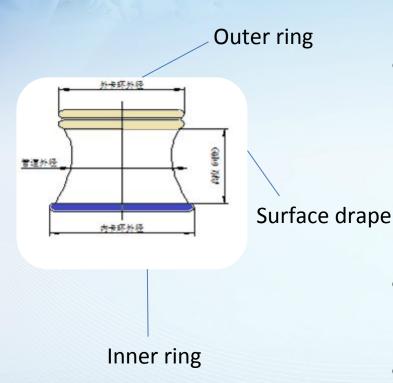
Content

Introduction of wound protector

Performance of traditional wound protector

ViClean Single Use Wound Protector

What is wound protector?



Structure:

 Wound protector is a bucket structure consisting of two elastic rings, waterproof membrane channel which has connecting and supporting function.

Main function:

- Prevent the direct pollution of waste liquid, which contains tumor cells and pathogenic microorganisms
- Flexibilly expand incision, maximize the surgical field.

Types of wound protector





- Thyroid surgery
- Breast surgery
- Thoracic surgery



Height-adjustable type:

- Caesarean Section
- Gastrointestinal surgery
- Hepato-pancreato-billary surgery



Defect:

surgical waste fluid can still pollute the incision through the gap between surface and outer ring.

Harm:

increase the risk of tumor cell seeding, pathogen infection and incisional infection.





Defect:

After surface and abdominal wall are contaminated, wounds need to be wiped clean before and after suture.

Harm:

The wound is vulnerable to be contaminated during wiping process.



Defect:

when conducting in vitro operation of viscera with large-amount hemorrhage, surgical effluent will flow out of the wound and contaminate the doctor's chest and operating room.

Harm:

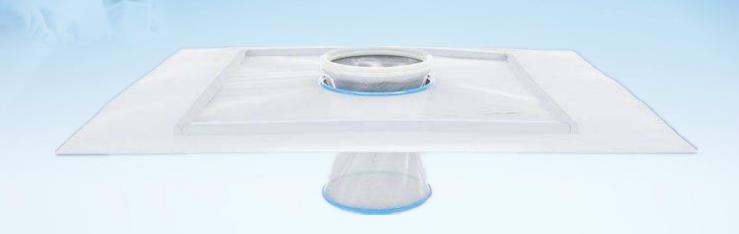
increase the risk of pathogen infection for surgeons, and risk of contamination for next patient.

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- ☐ The traditional wound protector can partially prevent the direct contamination from the surgical waste water.
- But it can not avoid the indirect contamination, and can not protect surgeons and operation room environment from waste liquid contamination.

The clinic urgently needs wound protector which can offer all-round protection.

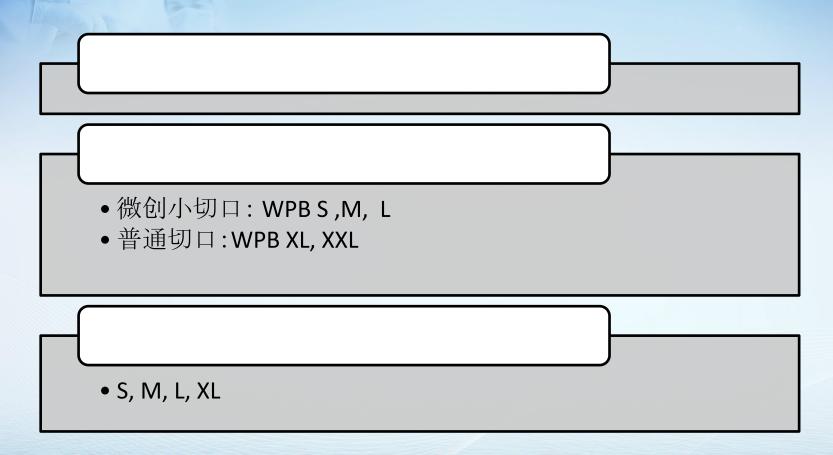
ViClean Single Use Wound Protector



On the basis of traditional wound protector, use one middle ring to connect upper ring and the waterproof membrane drape which waste collection bag is attached to.

Completely prevent wound from waste fluid contamination, which bleeds from abdominal cavity. Protect surgeons and operation room environments.

Models of ViClean Single Use Wound Protector



Remarks: The actual incision shape and size should be taken into account in the specific clinical use. Surgeons decide on their own.

Height-adjustable models: WPA and WPB



Model WPA Traditional Height-Adjustable Type



Model WPB Innovative Height-Adjustable type with drape and waste-collection bag

Туре	Size	Size of incision(cm)	Recommended application
WPA/WPB	S	2-6cm	Minimally invasive surgery
	M	5-9cm	Minimally invasive gastrointestinal surgery
	L	9-14cm	Open and minimally invasive gastrointestinal surgery and Caesarean section
	XL	14-20cm	Caesarean section and HPB surgery
	XXL	18-25cm	HPB surgery and open abdominal surgery for obesity

Height-adjustable models: WPA and WPB

Feature	Model WPA	Model WPB	Advantage
Adjustable channel heightTightly wrap tissue	; √	$\sqrt{}$	 Prevent bleeding and reduce infection Maintain moisture at the incision site Protect incision from instrument injury
• 360°circumferential atraumatic retraction	$\sqrt{}$	$\sqrt{}$	• Expand soft tissue incision
 Middle ring connects chan and waterproof membrane surface drape 		√	 Sealed protection, no back flow of waste fluid In-vitro operation of viscera, complete isolation
 Waste collection bag is attached to waterproof membrane surface drape 	×	$\sqrt{}$	• Effectively collect waste liquid,protect surgeons and operation room environment
 porous supporting strips fi on the edge 	xed ×	$\sqrt{}$	 Prevent upper and lower layers of waste collection bag from adhesion, ensure that waste water does not overflow

Guideline

*Strategies to Prevent Surgical Site Infections in Acute Care Hospital: 2014 Update;

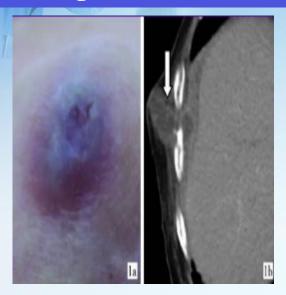
Use impervious plastic wound protectors for gastrointestinal and biliary tract surgery (quality of evidence: I).

A wound protector is a plastic sheath that lines a wound and can facilitate retraction of an incision during surgery without the need for additional mechanical retractors.

A recent meta-analysis of 6 randomized clinical trials in 1,008 patients reported that use of a plastic wound protectors was associated with a 45% decrease in SSIs.

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Clinical Significance of Incision Protection



Prevent tumor implantation metastasis to incision.

- The incidence of implantation metastasis to abdominal wall after normal colorectal cancer dissection was approximately 0.7%.
- The occurrence of implantation metastasis to abdominal incision after open operation is 0.6-1.6%.

Avoid secondary endometriosis after caesarean section

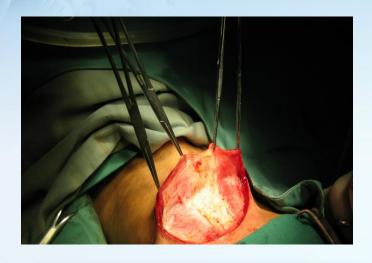
- The incidence of endometriosis after caesarean section is 0.03-0.47%.
- One-piece protection prevent incision from amniotic fluid contamination, reduce risk of amniotic fluid embolism.



^{*}Hughes ES,McDermott FT,Poliglase Al,et al.Tumor recurrence in the abdominalwall scar after large bowel cancer surgery[J].Dis Colon Rectum,1983,26:571 \sim 572.

Incision Protection in Traditional Thyroid Surgery

Flap expansion: Traditional method uses forceps or suture suspension



Defect:

- No protection for incision during operation
- Point trauma



Risk:

Wound infection or poor healing

Height-fixed Model of Wound Protector: WPC

Model WPC



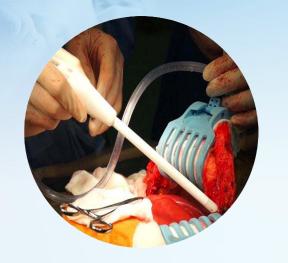


- Maximumly expose incision to provide a clear operative field.
- Protect incision from damage and avoid wound infection.

Height-fixed Model of Wound Protector: WPC

Feature	Advantage
 Inner ring is made of nickel-titanium memory alloy Good elasticity, maintain 360 degree circle, no 	 Maximumly expose incision to provide a clear operative field, enlarge the operative space
deformation after embedding.	•Expand flaps evenly, wounds heal well
Channel attach incision closely	• Tightly wrap tissue, prevent bleeding
	• Maintain moisture at the incision site
	• Protect incision from instrument injury
Tough material	 Avoid surgical instruments scratching protective layer and channel
Brim shape design	• Large brim area, protect wound and anterior portion skin.

Туре	Size	Size of incision(cm)	Recommended application
WPC	S	2-4cm	Breast surgery and Thyroid surgery with minimal incision,
	M	3-5cm	Breast surgery and Thyroid surgery with minimal incision
	L	4-6cm	Breast surgery and Thyroid surgery with minimal incision
	XL	5-8cm	Axillary dissection, lacteal gland incision and Thyroid surgery



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