

lap·band[®]

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NEXT GENERATION RAPIDPORT[®] EZ



Comparison

Current



New Port & Applicator



Next Generation Port

- ✓ Low profile
- ✓ Wider septum*
- ✓ Port fixation options

Anchors or suture

Next Generation Port Applicator

- ✓ Improved ergonomics*
- ✓ Two positions for port placement

Allow for various techniques

Needle Guard

- ✓ Increased tubing protection¹




Protection from inadvertent tubing needle sticks*

Features & Benefits

Feature	Benefit	
Large Septum <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 16.5mm diameter• 214mm² surface area	Maximum needle target for adjustments	RAPIDPORT® EZ has a larger septum ¹ , which provides a 39% bigger surface area target for adjustments.
Protective Sleeve <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 41mm length	Prevents needle punctures of the port tubing.	RAPIDPORT® EZ delivers improved ¹ protection against accidental needle puncture of the port tubing.
Two Port Fixation Options <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 4 anchors• 3 sutures	Flexibility for optimal secure tissue fixation	RAPIDPORT® EZ enables two fixation options enabling the clinician flexibility in delivering secure fixation.
Ergonomic Applier <ul style="list-style-type: none">• lower¹ profile head• 2 port loading options	Minimum incision size and flexible placement techniques.	RAPIDPORT® EZ's low profile head minimizes incision size and potential tissue trauma. Two loading options provide flexibility in attachment technique.
Flexible Strain Relief <ul style="list-style-type: none">• redesigned mechanism	Flexible strain relief conforms to tissue supporting secure fixation	RAPIDPORT® EZ's flexible strain relief conforms to the tissue and supports placement and secure fixation of the port.

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*Compared to previous RAPIDPORT® EZ

Previous Port Comparison

Features	AP2	RAPIDPORT® EZ	Next Gen RAPIDPORT® EZ
			
Diameter	25.4 mm	30.5 mm	30.2 mm
Height	11.9 mm	12.6 mm	11.6 mm
Septum Diameter	10.9 mm	14.0 mm	16.5 mm
Anchor Diameter	n/a	0.56 mm	0.55 mm

RAPIDPORT® EZ

RAPIDPORT® Applier and Port



New Order Codes

Reference Number	Description
C-20300	RAPIDPORT® EZ Port Applier
C-20304	RAPIDPORT® EZ Access Port Kit for use with the LAP-BAND AP® System Small
C-20306	RAPIDPORT® EZ Access Port Kit for use with the LAP-BAND AP® System Large
C-20360	LAP-BAND AP® System Small w/ RAPIDPORT® EZ
C-20365	LAP-BAND AP® System Large w/ RAPIDPORT® EZ

Instructions for use

Access Port Implantation



Figure 1

When implanting RAPIDPORT® EZ for use with a previously installed LAP-BAND® System, use the tubing adaptor to connect the preexisting tubing (80 durometer) to the new RAPIDPORT® EZ tubing (70 durometer).

Figure 2

The surgeon ensures that the Port Applier trigger is in the fully open position.

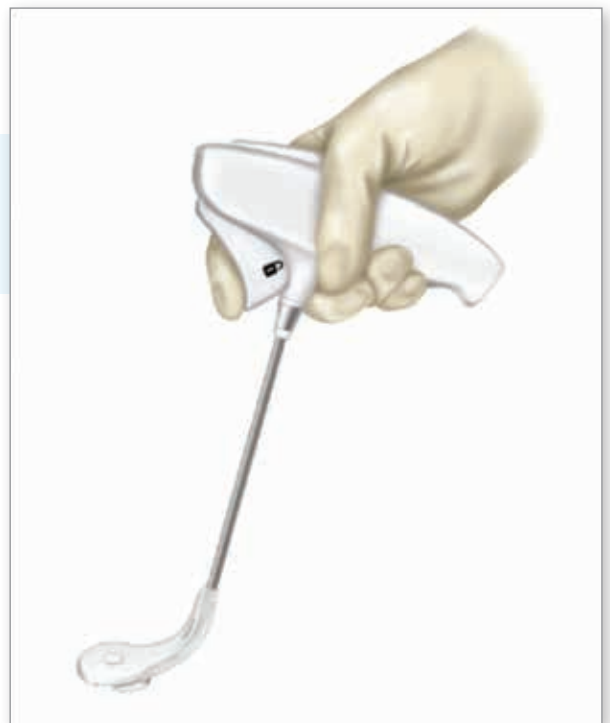


Figure 3

The Port Applier deployment head snaps securely into place atop the Access Port.

Instructions for use

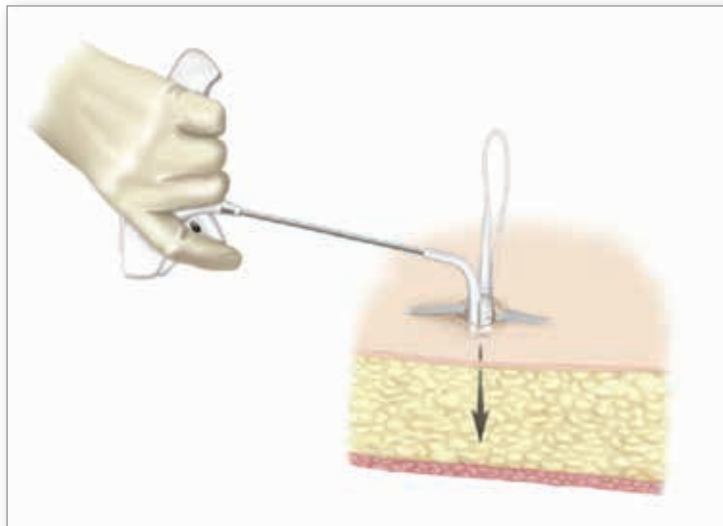


Figure 4

The Access Port and Port Applier deployment head descend through the incision, with the tubing and strain relief pointing upward.

Figure 5
In its final position, the Access Port should be offset from the incision, with its tubing pointing back in the direction of the Port Applier handle.

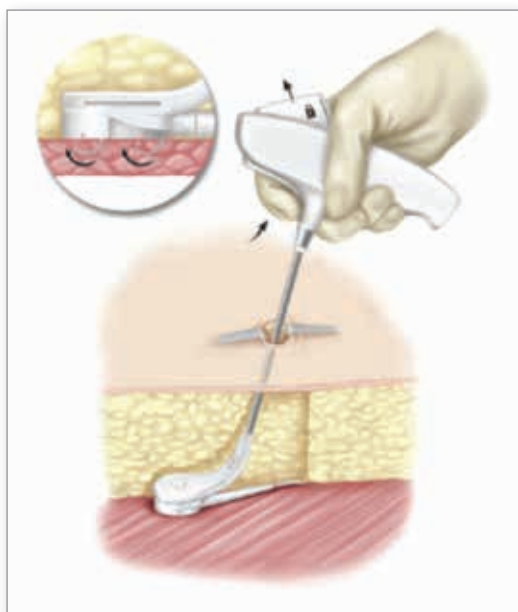
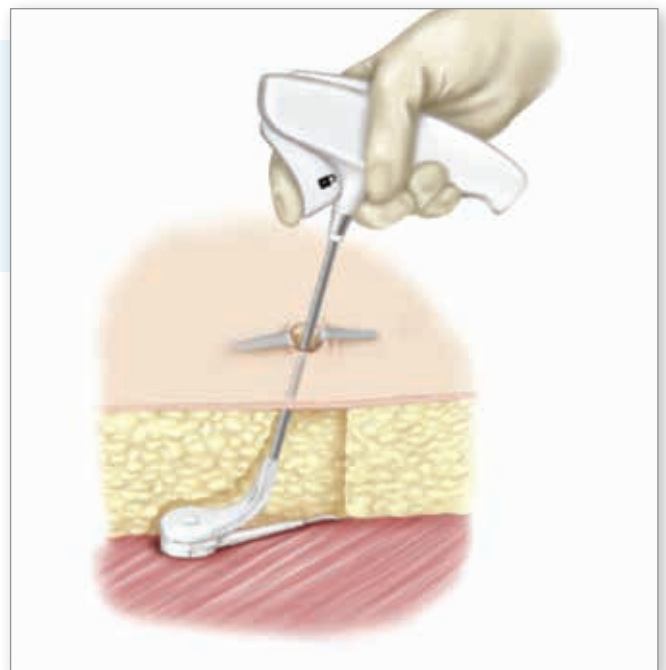


Figure 6

With the Access Port underside firmly against the fascia, the surgeon squeezes the Port Applier trigger into the fully closed position. This deploys all 4 anchors, securing the Access Port to the fascia. The trigger should not be released.

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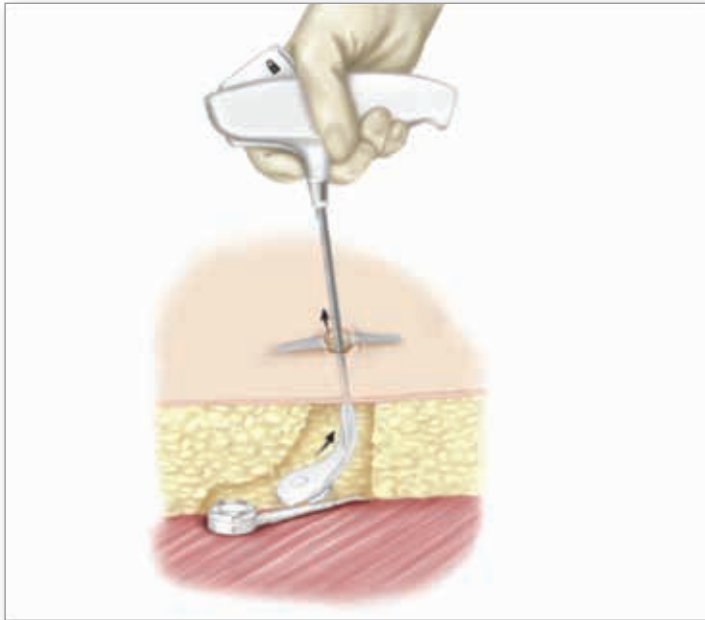


Figure 7

To disengage the Port Applier deployment head from the Access Port, the trigger is held fully closed. The surgeon then slides the Port Applier a few millimeters back toward the tubing. When the Port Applier head clears the port, the trigger can be released.

Access Port Repositioning or Removal

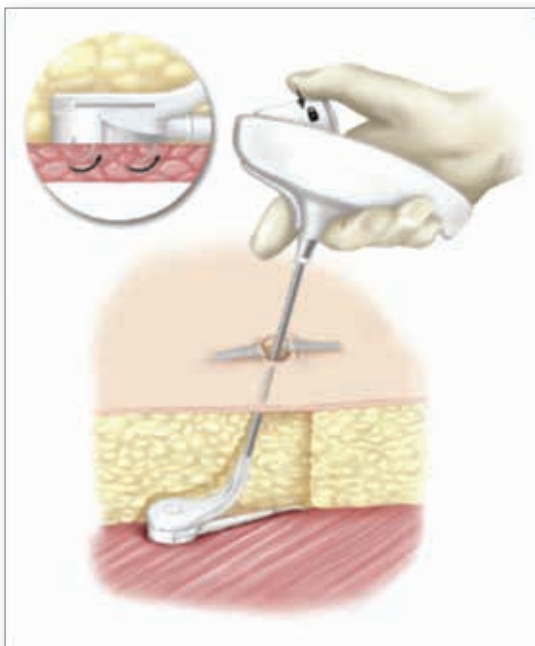
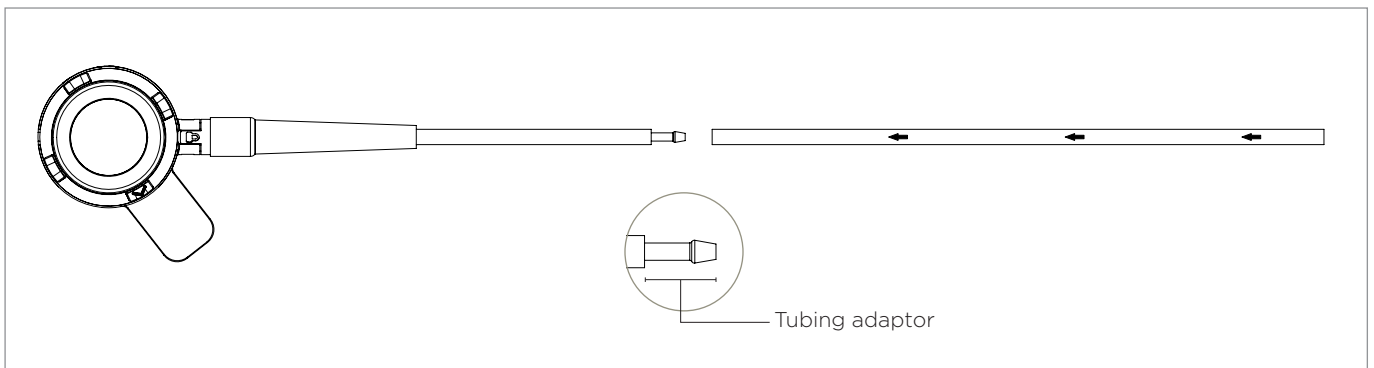


Figure 8

In the event the Access Port must be redeployed, the trigger-release button on the Port Applier handle is pressed to retract all 4 anchors.

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Directions for Use



When implanting RAPIDPORT® EZ for use with a previously installed LAP-BAND® System, use the tubing adaptor to connect the preexisting tubing to the new RAPIDPORT® EZ tubing.

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