

BIODESIGN

ADVANCED TISSUE REPAIR

EVOLUTION OF
TISSUE REPAIR

BIOLOGIC
GRAFT

SYNTHETIC
MESH

HERNIA
REPAIR

FISTULA
REPAIR

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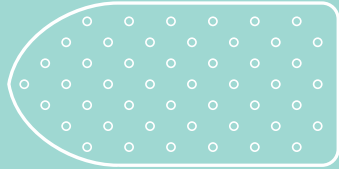
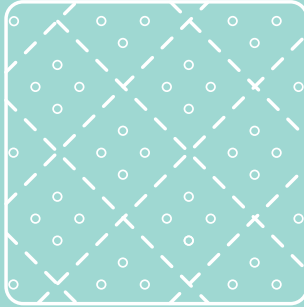
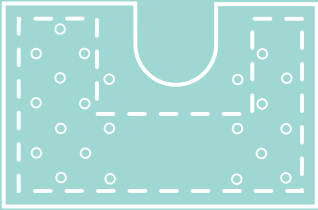
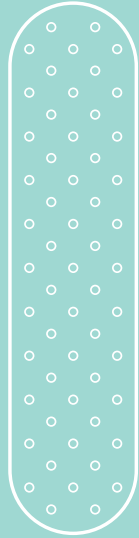
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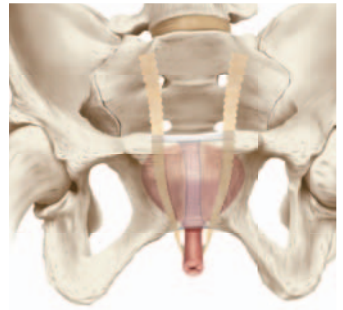
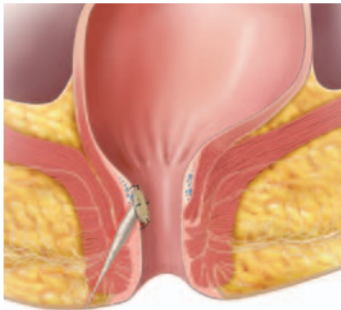
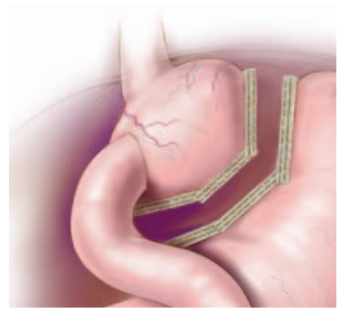
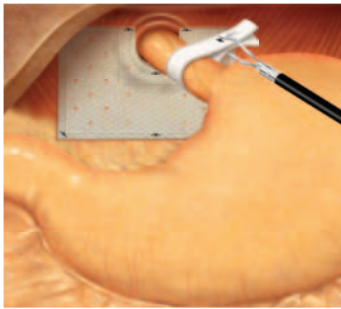
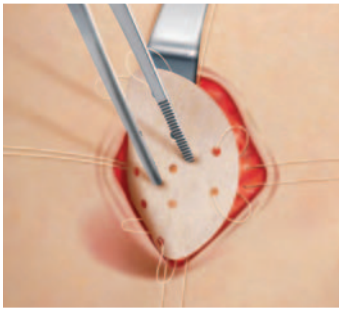
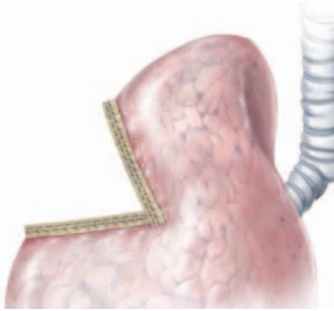
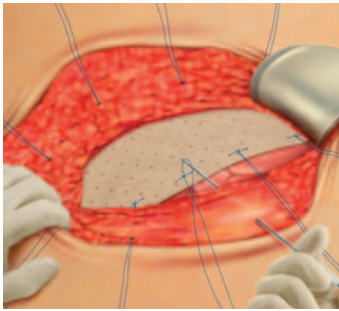
PELVIC FLOOR
REPAIR



Experience a new category in tissue repair.

In response to physicians' needs, Cook Medical began developing a totally new kind of tissue repair graft material in the mid 1990s. According to physicians, an ideal graft would exhibit the properties of:

- Remodeling
- Resistance to infection
- Strength and durability
- Availability
- Affordability and ease of use
- Reduced recurrence rates



Through continued evaluations, trials and advancements, Biodesign was born. This revolutionary technology is now available for use in **9 procedural areas**, has been distributed to **86 countries** and used in more than **one million patients**. To date, nearly **750 journal articles** have been published about the technology on which Biodesign is based. It is a breakthrough advancement in the evolution of tissue repair—a whole new category.

Cook Medical—Advancing tissue repair for better patient outcomes.

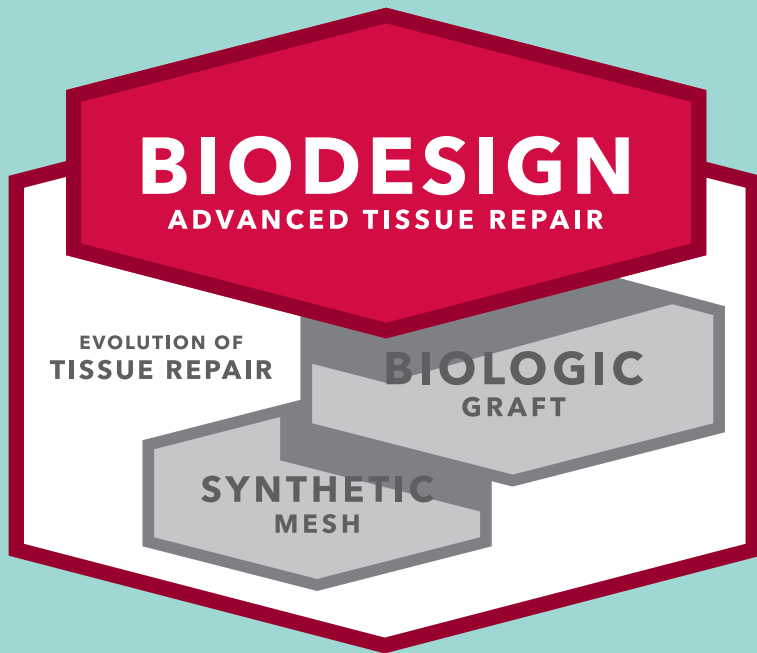
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**EVOLUTION OF
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**BIOLOGIC
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**SYNTHETIC
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**SYNTHETIC
MESH**

NOT FOR USE IN INFECTED FIELDS

**POTENTIAL EROSION & SCARRING
OF SURROUNDING TISSUE**

LOW COST

WIDESPREAD AVAILABILITY

VARIOUS SHAPES & SIZES

READY TO USE

BIODESIGN
ADVANCED TISSUE REPAIR

SIGNALS THE BODY

RESISTANT TO INFECTION

COMPLETE REMODELING

LONG-TERM STRENGTH

MODERATE COST

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RESISTANT TO INFECTION

NATURAL REMODELING

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HIGH COST

LIMITED AVAILABILITY

LIMITED SIZES

**SOMETIMES REQUIRES SPECIAL
STORAGE & PREPARATION**

TRIM

Previously, there were only two options for tissue repair—both with positive and negative attributes.



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Key benefits



Signals the Body

Unlike some biologic grafts, Biodesign communicates with the body, signaling surrounding tissue to grow across the scaffold, allowing the body to restore itself.



Resistant to Infection

Biodesign remodels into vascularized host tissue, allowing the body's own defense mechanisms to reach and respond to infection. This ability to remodel provides the basis for infection resistance.

The progression of remodeling is clear in these images. Initial placement of the graft is shown first, and in the next three images, the graft is gradually replaced by vascularized tissue.





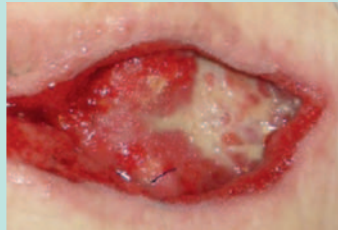
Complete Remodeling

The remodeling process starts quickly and creates strong, fully vascularized tissue. Biodesign is undetectable once healing is complete, providing a permanent repair without a permanent material.



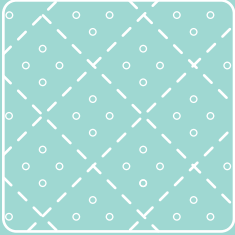
Long-Term Strength

Over time, Biodesign becomes as strong as the patient's own tissue and does not leave behind meaningful amounts of elastin that could stretch and make the repair prone to failure.



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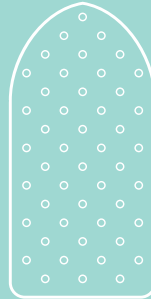
Tissue repair's most versatile tool



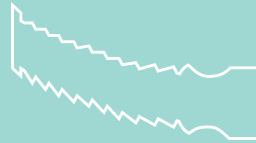
HERNIA GRAFT



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FLOOR GRAFT



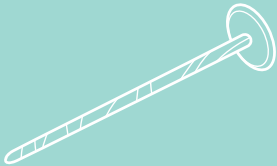
INGUINAL HERNIA GRAFT



TENSION-FREE



URETHRAL



ENTEROCUTANEOUS PLUG



FISTULA PLUG

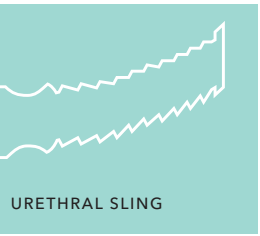


DURAL GRAFT



ABDOMINAL

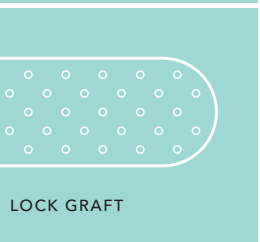
Biodesign is available in a **variety of shapes and sizes** designed specifically to fit the patient's anatomy for common tissue repairs. Its ability to communicate with surrounding tissue translates into use in many procedural areas, including:



URETHRAL SLING



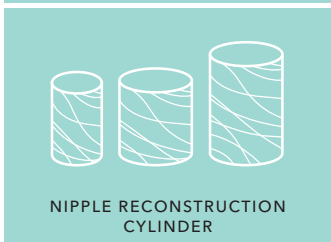
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LOCK GRAFT



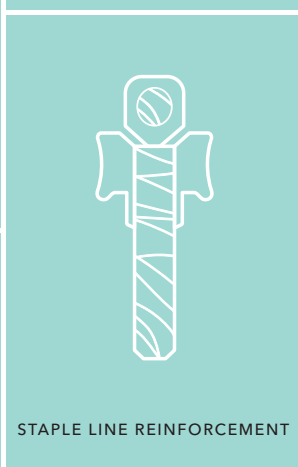
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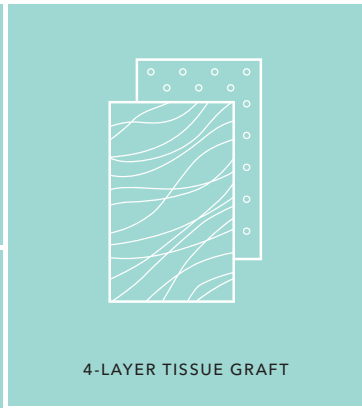
NIPPLE RECONSTRUCTION CYLINDER



FISTULA PLUG



STAPLE LINE REINFORCEMENT



4-LAYER TISSUE GRAFT



HIATAL HERNIA GRAFT

Hernia Repair
Fistula Repair
Peyronie's Repair

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Staple Line Reinforcement
Abdominal Wall Reconstruction

Dural Repair
Pelvic Floor Repair
Continence Restoration



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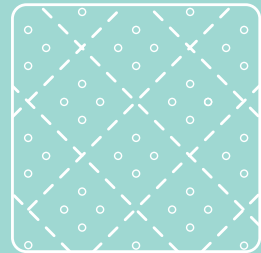
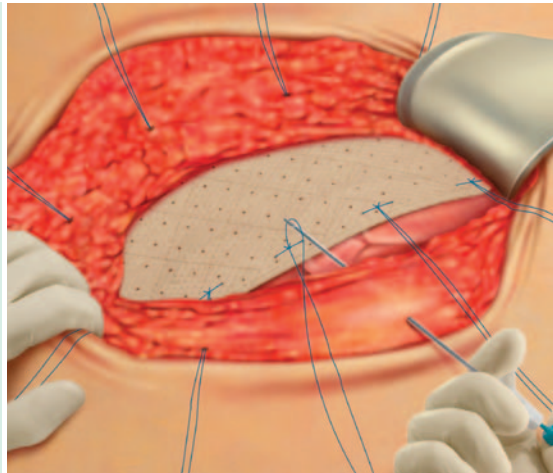
SURGISIS® HERNIA GRAFT

Restore long-term strength.

The Biodesign Hernia Graft is a scaffold that lends support while helping damaged or infected tissue restore itself quickly.

Biodesign signals the body to promote rapid and complete remodeling, is resistant to infection and encapsulation, and offers reduced early complications. Over time, it becomes strong, fully vascularized tissue that creates a lasting repair.

As a tension-free repair tool available in large sizes, Biodesign provides a more stable solution and quicker patient recovery than primary repair methods.



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Ventral/Incisional Hernia

Hernia Graft

G36032	C-SLH-8H-13X15	13 x 15
G46600	C-SLH-8H-13X22	13 x 22
G36033	C-SLH-8H-20X20	20 x 20
G48216	C-SLH-8H-20X30	20 x 30



Biodesign™

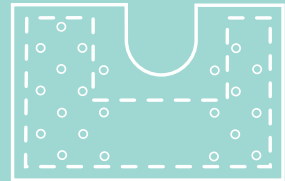
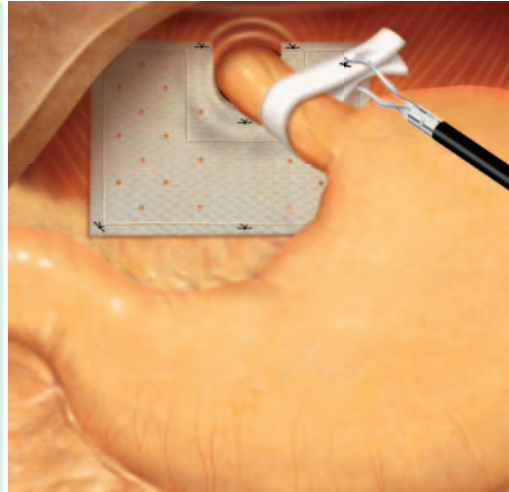
SURGISIS® HIATAL HERNIA GRAFT

Restore strength and function.

For complete and natural hiatal hernia repair, look no further than the Biodesign Hiatal Hernia Graft.

The graft is a scaffold that restores the crura's strength and function and is not prone to the erosion into the esophagus that synthetic mesh can cause. Following placement, Biodesign communicates with the tissue around it, signaling the body to restore itself.

When finished, it leaves behind healthy tissue that is strong enough to function normally.

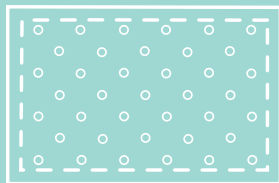


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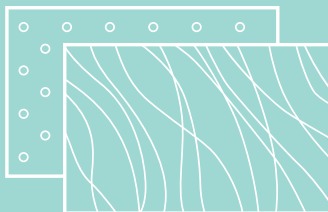
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Hiatal Hernia Graft			
G31455	C-PHR-7X10-U	7 x 10	(preshaped)
G51578	C-PHR-7X10	7 x 10	(standard)

4-Layer Tissue Graft

G12580	C-SLH-4S-7X10	7 x 10	
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STANDARD





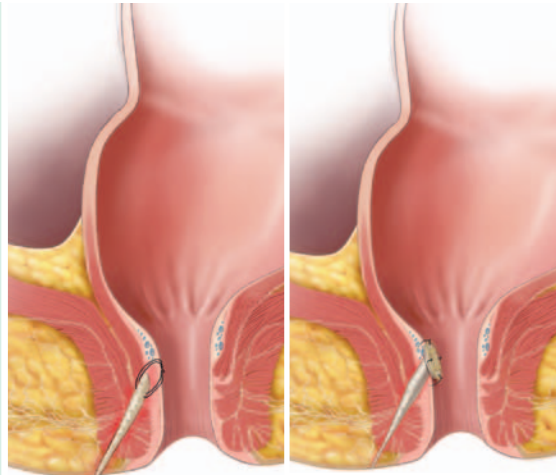
Biodesign™

SURGISIS® FISTULA PLUG

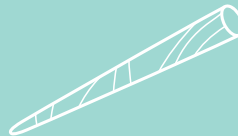
Restore a quality of life that was once unattainable.

The Biodesign Fistula Plug treats difficult fistulas without causing muscle damage that can lead to incontinence. With Biodesign, you can help your patients return to normal life, free from the pain and embarrassment fistulas can cause.

Biodesign provides fistula repair that is completely natural, making it stronger and more resistant to rejection or relapse than other treatment options. Biodesign is a scaffold that communicates with your patient's anatomy, signaling the body to close the gap on its own. And patients can experience immediate relief without lifelong discomfort and drainage.



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Anal Fistula

Fistula Plug

G36226	C-AFP-0.6X9.5	0.6 x 9.5
G48651	C-RVP-0.2	0.2 (with button)
G48652	C-RVP-0.4	0.4 (with button)
G48653	C-RVP-0.7	0.7 (with button)

4-Layer Tissue Graft

G13181	C-SLH-4S-4X7	4 x 7
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Fistula Set

Includes Biodesign Fistula Plug (without button); Cook Medical Fistula Brush for tract identification, preparation and placement of the plug; flushing catheter; syringe; 2-0 PGA sutures on a UR-6 needle; and a silk tie.

G53614	C-AFPS-0.6X9.5	0.6 x 9.5 cm (plug size)
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SURGISIS® FISTULA PLUG

Provide relief from difficult symptoms.

Women suffering from rectovaginal fistulas experience painful and embarrassing symptoms that completely alter their quality of life. Many of these women do not come forward with their condition and are unaware there is a simple solution, the Biodesign Fistula Plug. Biodesign communicates with your patient's body, signaling surrounding cells to grow across the scaffold. The result is fully remodeled, vascularized tissue and complete fistula closure so patients can enjoy normal functioning.



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Rectovaginal Fistula

Fistula Plug

G48651	C-RVP-0.2	0.2
G48652	C-RVP-0.4	0.4
G48653	C-RVP-0.7	0.7

4-Layer Tissue Graft

G13181	C-SLH-4S-4X7	4 x 7
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Fistula Brush

The only specially designed device for fistula tract identification, preparation and placement of the Biodesign Fistula Plug.

G48527	J-FB-100	46 cm length
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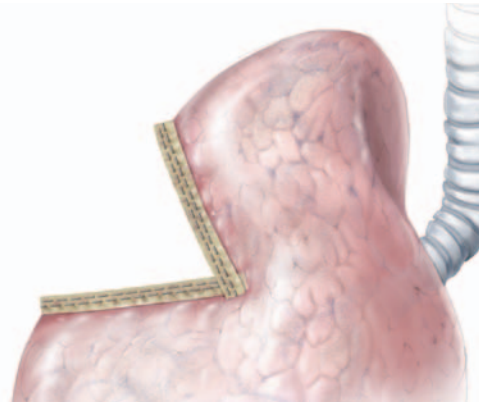
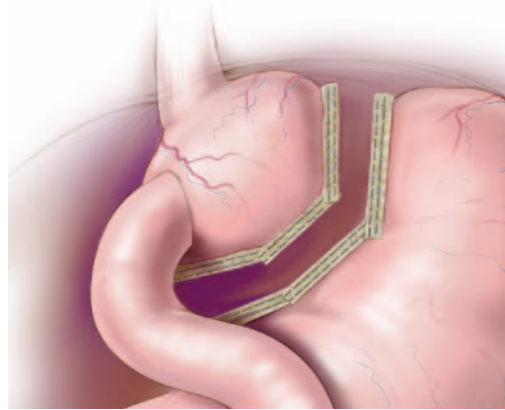
SURGISIS® STAPLE LINE REINFORCEMENT

Prevent leaks while strengthening tissue.

Biodesign Staple Line Reinforcement does more than guard against leaks; it makes the staple line stronger.

That's because once it secures the line, Biodesign communicates with the body, signaling surrounding tissue to grow across the scaffold.

Biodesign completely remodels into strong, fully vascularized tissue, providing a natural, strong seal that's resistant to infection. And because its thin profile is string free and precoated with water-soluble adhesive, it's remarkably easy to apply.



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Staple Line Reinforcement

U.S. Surgical

G50656	C-SLRA-GIA30
G50868	C-SLRA-GIA45
G50867	C-SLRA-GIA60
G50872	C-SLRA-GIA80

Ethicon™

G50866	C-SLRA-TCT-TLC55
G50865	C-SLRA-TCT-TLC75
G50870	C-SLRA-EZ45
G51746	C-SLRA-ECH45
G50871	C-SLRA-ECH60

Fits Stapler

Endo GIA™ 30
Endo GIA 45
Endo GIA 60 and GIA 60
GIA 80

Fits Stapler

Proximate™ TCT 55/TLC 55
Proximate TCT 75/TLC 75
EZ 45
Echelon™ 45
Echelon 60

Note: All staple line reinforcement strips sold in boxes of 5.



Frequently asked questions

Q: What is Biodesign?

A: Biodesign has been designed to combine the best attributes of synthetic mesh and biologic grafts, creating a whole new category in tissue repair. It is not prone to erosion or stretching, and it leaves behind strong, fully vascularized tissue that functions and moves naturally. Biodesign's key benefits—signals the body, resistant to infection, complete remodeling and long-term strength—make it the preferred material when compared to synthetic mesh and biologic grafts.

Q: How is Biodesign different from biologic grafts?

A: Dermis-based biologic grafts contain elastin that is left behind in the body to stretch, sometimes resulting in a recurrence of the original tissue failure. Some are chemically cross-linked, creating a graft that will not fully remodel into tissue. Also, most biologic grafts are very limited in availability and size and can be cost-prohibitive.

Biodesign, on the other hand, is not chemically cross-linked and does not leave behind a significant amount of elastin that would make the patient prone to a recurrence. It signals the body to encourage complete remodeling, so it becomes strong, organized tissue. Conveniently, Biodesign is widely available for a moderate price in specially designed shapes and sizes.

Q: What data is published about Biodesign?

A: Since development of Biodesign began in the mid 1990s, this new category of tissue repair material has been studied and written about extensively in medical journals. To date, more than 750 articles have been published about the material from which Biodesign is created (originally called Surgisis or SIS).

Q: How is Biodesign different from synthetic mesh?

A: Synthetic mesh can lead to scarring and encapsulation, is contraindicated in infected fields, and has potential for erosion into surrounding tissue. It commonly needs to be removed after implant, requiring a second surgery.

Biodesign, however, signals the body to actually remodel itself, so the patient's own repair mechanisms act to heal the area rather than attack or encapsulate the graft. Thus, it is resistant to infection, encourages complete remodeling, and is not prone to erosion or encapsulation. Biodesign leaves behind strong, fully vascularized tissue that functions and moves naturally.

If you have additional questions, please contact your Cook Medical representative.

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