instructions for use

VICRYL RAPIDE™
POLYGLACTIN 910
STERILE Polyglactin 910 absorbable

DESCRIPTION

VICRYL RAPIDE suture is a synthetic absorbable monofilament suture composed of a copolymer of 75% PGA and 25% PLGA. The copolymer forms a continuous polymer (PGA/PLGA) film on the suture during and after extrusion. The PGA component, a polyglactin 910, is an inert, biocompatible polymer that is effectively conjugated to the PLGA component by randomly distributed ester bonds. The suture is sterilized by ethylene oxide gas or ethylene oxide plasma gas.

CONTRAINdications

VICRYL RAPIDE suture is contraindicated in patients with a known allergy to the components of the polyglycolic acid or polyglactin 910.

PRECAUTIONS

VICRYL RAPIDE is only for use in adult patients. It is not recommended for use in children or in patients with a known allergy to the components of the polyglycolic acid or polyglactin 910.

APPLICATIONS

VICRYL RAPIDE suture is used for the repair of soft tissue, including the repair of lacerations and incisions. It is also used for the repair of sutured wounds and for the repair of incisions and lacerations.

NOTICE

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PRODUCT ADVISORY

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LEGAL NOTICES

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