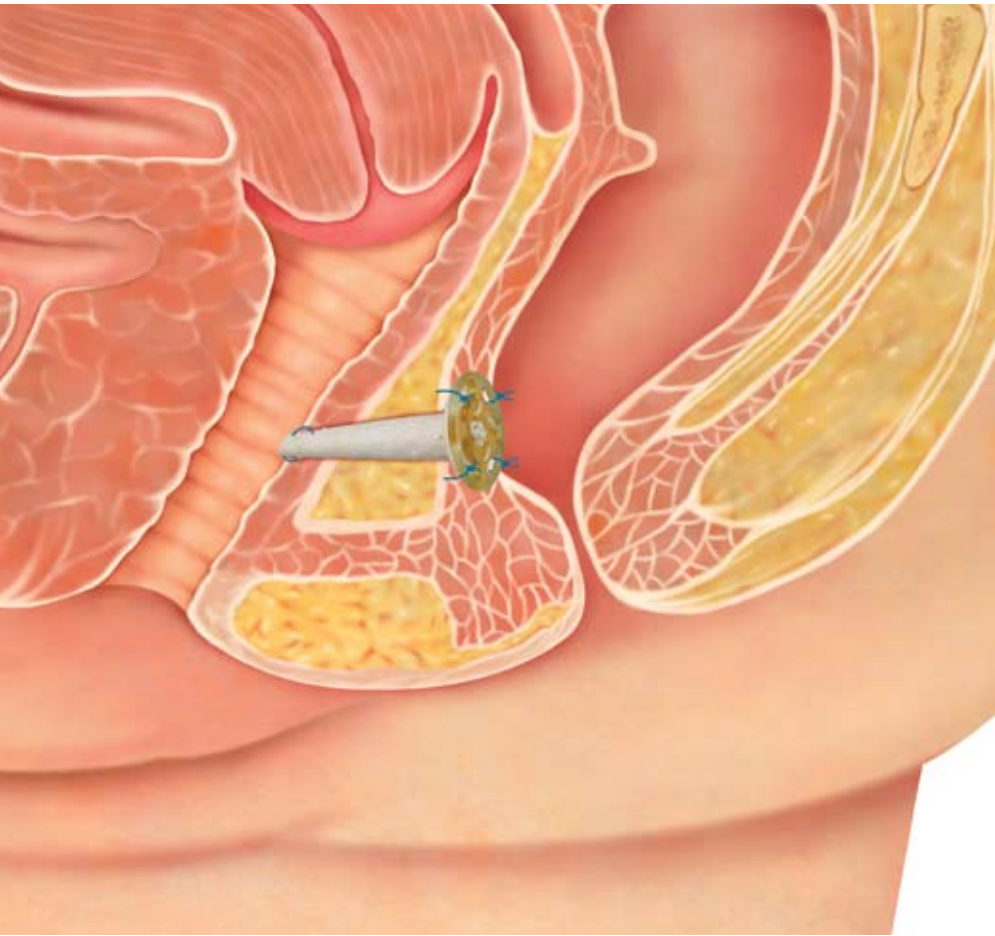


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Restore a quality of life that was once unattainable.

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.

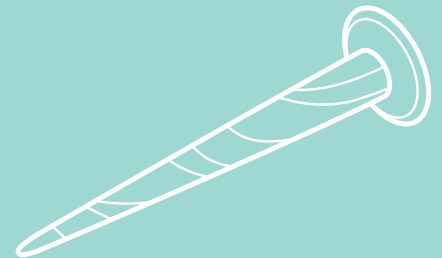
The Biodesign Fistula Plug provides you with a solution for fistula closure. Biodesign communicates with your patient's body, signaling surrounding cells to grow across the scaffold. The result is fully remodeled, vascularized tissue and complete fistula closure. Even better, Biodesign offers the best aspects of a biologic graft—natural remodeling and resistance to infection—while being easy to use and readily available.

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Global Product Number	Order Number	Size cm
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
G12580	C-SLH-4S-7X10	7 x 10

The Biodesign 4-Layer Tissue Graft is an alternative for rectovaginal fistula tracts with a diameter greater than 8 mm and a length shorter than 1 cm.

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FEATURES & BENEFITS

- Easy to rehydrate and suture.
- Creates functional, living tissue.
- Minimal scarring.
- Restores natural form and function.

TIPS

- Use a **plug size that fits snugly** in the fistula tract. For 1 mm to 2 mm fistula tracts, a 2 mm plug is recommended. For 2 mm to 4 mm, use a 4 mm plug; for 4 mm to 7 mm, use a 7 mm plug.
- **Gently debride the fistula tract** with a probe or small brush to remove nonvascularized tissue.
- **Place absorbable stitches** through the button at the rectal fistula opening.
- After surgery, **patients should limit activity** to a gentle walk. Sexual intercourse and other forms of vaginal/rectal insertion are discouraged for at least 6 weeks.

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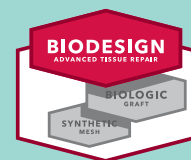
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4-LAYER TISSUE GRAFT

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ENTEROCUTANEOUS FISTULA

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Biodesign is a breakthrough technology that provides signals and support for the body to restore itself. It incorporates the best attributes of a biologic graft—complete remodeling and resistance to infection—yet it's easy to use, widely available and moderately priced.



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