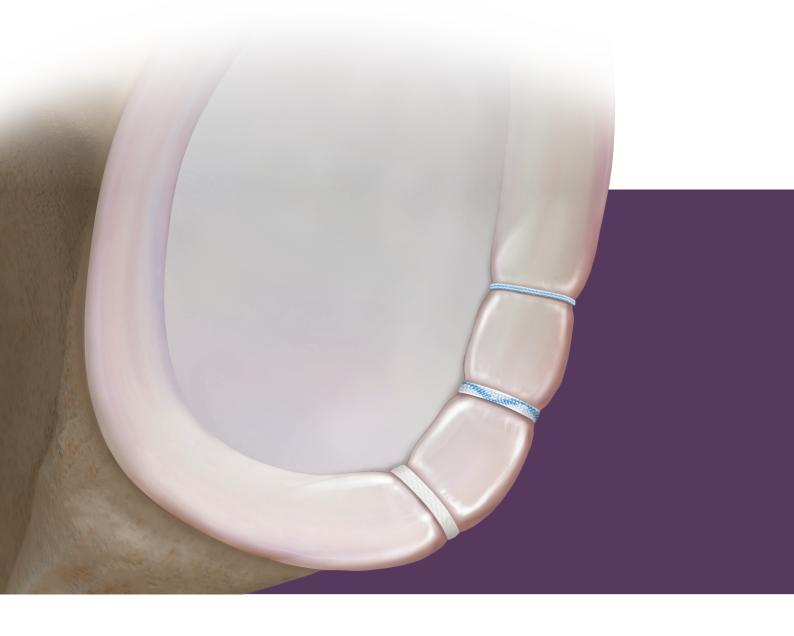
# PushLock® Suture Anchor for Knotless Instability Repair

Surgical Technique







BioComposite Short 2.9 mm PushLock Anchor With LabralTape™ Suture

# PushLock® Knotless Suture Anchors

Uniquely designed for a secure knotless labral repair, the PushLock anchor eliminates arthroscopic knots and helps minimize the damage they may cause to surrounding tissue. With this technique, independently pass suture through the capsule or labrum and adjust tissue tension prior to anchor insertion.

#### **Advantages**

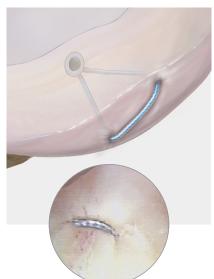
- Knotless techniques minimize the number of surgical steps and save time
- Designed specifically for glenoid labral repair to maximize the preservation of glenoid bone
- No risk of knot impingement
- Cannulated design minimized anchor volume
- Suture tension is visualized and adjusted prior to anchor insertion
- Available in biocomposite or PEEK material and multiple sizes
   (2.4 mm, 2.9 mm, and 2.9 mm short)

Various premium suture options—FiberWire®, SutureTape, or LabralTape — provide flexibility when choosing stitch configurations for soft-tissue repair (shown below).

**Knotless Simple Stitch** 



Knotless Mattress Stitch

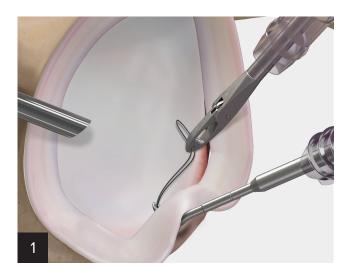


**Knotless Cinch Stitch** 

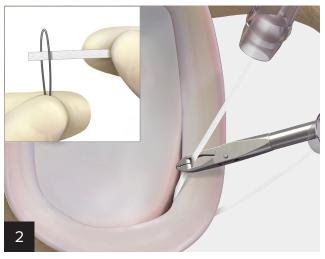




# Simple Stitch Repair With FiberWire®, SutureTape, or LabralTape™ Suture



Insert the SutureLasso™ suture passer into a cannula and pass it through the capsulolabral tissue. Advance the nitinol wire loop through the suture passer and retrieve it through a separate portal.

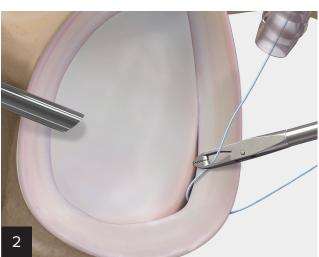


Load the suture through the nitinol wire loop. Retract the suture passer and wire, shuttling the suture through the tissue. Retrieve both suture tails through the anchor insertion cannula.

# Simple Stitch Repair With FiberStick™ Suture

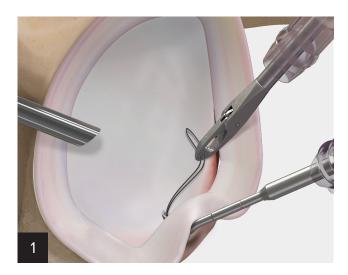


Insert the SutureLasso suture passer, which is preloaded with FiberStick™ suture, into a cannula and pass it through the capsulolabral tissue. Advance the FiberStick suture through the suture passer and retrieve it through a separate portal using a KingFisher® grasper.

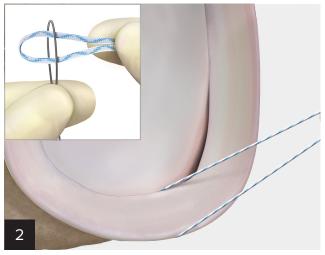


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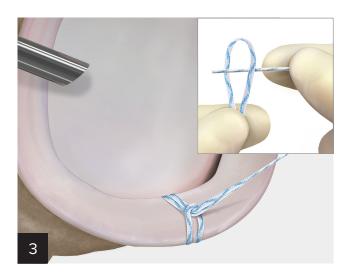
# Cinch Stitch (Luggage Tag) Repair With FiberLink™ Suture or FiberLink SutureTape



Insert the SutureLasso™ suture passer into a cannula and pass it through the capsulolabral tissue. Advance the nitinol wire loop through the suture passer and retrieve it through a separate portal.



Load the suture loop through the nitinol wire loop. Retract the suture passer and wire, shuttling the suture through the tissue. Retrieve both suture tails through the anchor insertion cannula.



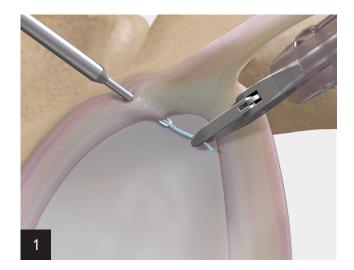
Pass the tail through the loop to create the cinch stitch. Pull on the tail to tighten and position the cinch stitch on the labrum.



#### FiberLink SutureTape

- 1.3 mm and 1.7 mm sizes available
- Features a flat tape loop that transitions to a round suture tail

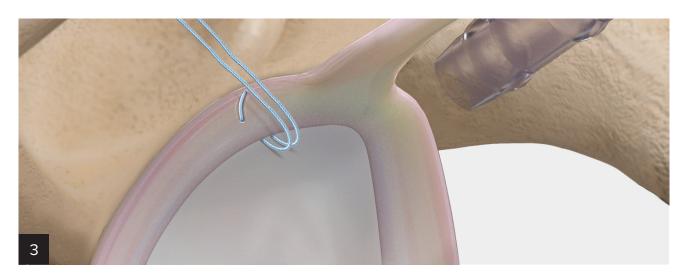
# Mattress Stitch Repair With FiberStick™ Suture



Insert the SutureLasso™ suture passer, which is preloaded with FiberStick suture, into a cannula and pass it through the capsulolabral tissue. Advance the suture through the suture passer and retrieve it through a separate portal.



Retract the suture passer, without removing it from the joint, and pass it again through the tissue to achieve the desired mattress spacing and orientation. Retrieve the suture from the suture passer using a FiberTape® KingFisher® grasper.



Retrieve both suture tails through the anchor insertion cannula. Prior to preparing the bone, pass the suture tails through the PushLock® eyelet suture passer. Shuttle the suture tails and secure the suture with a hemostat.

#### PushLock® Anchor Insertion



Insert the spear through the cannula with the passed suture, placing it onto the glenoid rim. Fully advance the drill through the spear until its collar makes contact with the spear's handle. Advance the PushLock anchor into the joint and tension the suture to approximate the labral tissue to the eyelet.



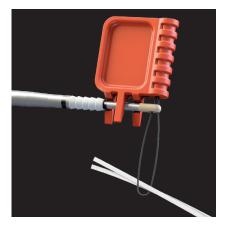
While releasing the suture tails advance the driver into the bone socket until the anchor body contacts the bone. If additional tension is needed to reduce the labral tissue to the bone, pull on the suture tails, while keeping a firm grasp of the driver. The final tension is attained when the anchor is in contact with the bone.



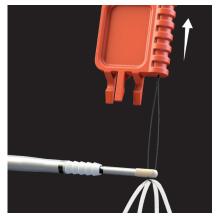
Remove the orange packaging clip. Tap the metal button on the driver handle to advance the anchor body until the proximal laser line is flush with the bone. Remove the driver by rotating it counterclockwise for 6 full revolutions.



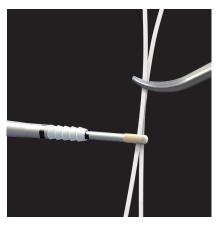
Cut the sutures flush using an open-ended FiberWire® suture cutter.



Pass the suture tails through the threader



Shuttle the suture tails



Secure the suture with a hemostat

#### **Suture Anchors**

Product Description	Item Number
BioComposite PushLock® Anchor, 2.4 mm × 11.3 mm	AR- <b>2922BC</b>
PEEK PushLock Anchor, 2.4 mm × 11.3 mm	AR- <b>2922PS</b>
BioComposite Short PushLock Anchor, 2.9 mm × 12.5 mm	AR- <b>2923BC</b>
PEEK Short PushLock Anchor, 2.9 mm × 12.5 mm	AR- <b>2923PS</b>
BioComposite PushLock Anchor, 2.9 mm × 15.5 mm	AR- <b>1923BC</b>
PEEK PushLock Anchor, 2.9 mm × 15.5 mm	AR- <b>1923PS</b>

Note: Only use #1 FiberWire or FiberLink SutureTape with 2.4 mm PushLock Anchors

#### Implant System

Product Description	Item Number
Short 2.9 mm BioComposite PushLock Implant System (Includes 2.9 mm short BioComposite PushLock anchor, FiberLink SutureTape, and 2.9 short PushLock	AR- <b>2923BCS</b>
Percutaneous Kit)	

#### Required Instrument Options

Product Description	Item Number
Spear, Trocar, and Blunt-Tip Obturator for 2.8 FASTak™ II, 3 mm SutureTak®, and 2.4 mm and 2.9 mm PushLock Anchors	AR- <b>1949</b>
Drill for 2.4 mm PushLock Anchor, sterile	AR- <b>2922D-24-2</b>
Drill for 2.4 mm PushLock Anchor, hard bone, sterile	AR- <b>2922D-24-3</b>
Drill for Short 2.9 mm PushLock Anchor	AR- <b>2923D</b>
Drill for Short 2.9 mm PushLock Anchor, sterile	AR- <b>2923D-ST</b>
Drill for Short 2.9 mm PushLock Anchor, hard bone	AR- <b>2923DT</b>
Drill for Short 2.9 mm PushLock Anchor, hard bone, sterile	AR- <b>2923DT-ST</b>
Drill for 2.9 mm PushLock	AR- <b>1923D</b>
Drill for 2.9 mm PushLock, sterile	AR- <b>1923D-ST</b>
Drill for 2.9 mm PushLock, hard bone	AR- <b>1923DT</b>
Drill for 2.9 mm PushLock, hard bone, sterile	AR- <b>1923DT-ST</b>

#### Disposables

Product Description	Item Number
Disposables Kit for Short 2.9 mm PushLock Anchor, w/ metal spear, trocar, and drill	AR- <b>2923DS</b>
Percutaneous Insertion Kit for 2.9 mm PushLock Anchor (includes spear, dilator, needle w/ stylet, guide pin, drill, and cannula)	AR- <b>1923PK</b>
Percutaneous Insertion Kit for 2.4 mm PushLock Anchor (includes spear, dilator, needle w/ stylet, guide pin, drill, and cannula)	AR- <b>2922PK</b>
Disposable Offset Guide for 2.8 mm FASTak, 3 mm SutureTak, and 2.4 mm and 2.9 mm PushLock Anchors	AR- <b>1934GS</b>
Disposable Spear and Trocar-Tip Obturator for 2.8 mm FASTak, 3 mm SutureTak, and 2.4 mm and 2.9 mm PushLock Anchors	AR- <b>1949S</b>
ShaverDrill Instrument for 2.4 mm PushLock Anchor	AR- <b>2922DSR-24</b>
ShaverDrill Instrument for 2.4 mm PushLock Anchor, hard bone	AR- <b>2922DTSR-24</b>
ShaverDrill™ Instrument for Short 2.9 mm PushLock Anchor	AR- <b>2923DSR</b>

#### **Optional Instruments**

Product Description	Item Number
Offset Guide for 2.8 mm FASTak II, 3 mm SutureTak, and 2.4 mm and 2.9 mm PushLock Anchors	AR- <b>1934R</b>
Spear w/ Circumferential Teeth and Trocar-Tip Obturator for 2.8 mm FASTak II, 3 mm SutureTak, and 2.4 mm and 2.9 mm PushLock Anchors	AR- <b>1946</b>
Mini Suture Cutter, 3.4 mm, straight (use w/ metal cannula [AR-1923MCS])	AR- <b>13255</b>
Mini Suture Cutter, 3.4 mm, straight, w/ WishBone™ handle (use with metal cannula [AR-1923MCS])	AR- <b>13255W</b>
Mini FiberTape® Retriever, w/ self-ratcheting handle	AR- <b>12974SR</b>
Mini FiberTape Retriever, w/ nonratcheting handle	AR- <b>12974NR</b>
Mini FiberTape Retriever, w/ WishBone handle	AR- <b>12974W</b>

# **Suture Options**

Product Description	Item Numbe
SutureTape	
SutureTape, 1.3 mm, 40 in (white/blue) w/tapered ends and tapered needle, 26.5 mm, 1/2 circle	AR- <b>7500</b>
SutureTape, x-pattern, 1.3 mm, two 40 in sutures (white/blue and white/black)	AR- <b>7501</b>
SutureTape, 1.3 mm, 40 in (blue/dark blue), w/ tapered needle, 36.6 mm, ½ circle	AR- <b>7506</b>
SutureTape, 1.3 mm, 40 in (black/white), w/ tapered needle, 36.6 mm, ½ circle	AR- <b>7506T</b>
FiberLink SutureTape	
FiberLink SutureTape, 1.3 mm w/ SutureTape Loop, 26 in (white/blue)	AR- <b>7535</b>
TigerLink SutureTape, 1.3 mm w/ SutureTape Loop, 26 in (white/black)	AR- <b>7535T</b>
FiberLink SutureTape Plus, 1.7 mm, w/ loop (white/blue)	AR- <b>7538</b>
TigerLink SutureTape Plus, 1.7 mm, w/ loop (white/black)	AR- <b>7538T</b>
LabralTape™ Suture	
LabralTape Suture, 1.5 mm, 36 in (white)	AR- <b>7276</b>
LabralTape Suture, 1.5 mm, 36 in (white/black)	AR- <b>7276T</b>
FiberWire® and TigerWire® Suture	
#1 FiberWire Suture, 38 in (blue)	AR- <b>7216</b>
#2 FiberWire Suture, 38 in (blue)	AR- <b>7233</b>
#2 TigerWire Suture, 38 in (white/black)	AR- <b>7203</b>
FiberStick™ and TigerStick® Suture	
FiberStick Suture, #2 FiberWire Suture, 50 in (blue), one end stiffened 12 in	AR- <b>7209</b>
TigerStick Suture, #2 TigerWire Suture, 50 in (white/black), one end stiffened 12 in	AR- <b>7209T</b>
FiberLink™ and TigerLink™ Suture	
FiberLink Suture, #2 FiberWire Suture w/ closed loop, 26 in (blue)	AR- <b>7235</b>
TigerLink Suture, #2 TigerWire Suture w/ closed loop, 26 in (white/black)	AR- <b>7235T</b>

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