

Biovance Human Amniotic Membrane

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Application of Biovance Membrane

Biovance® human amniotic membrane allograft is derived from a natural source: the placenta of a healthy, full-term human pregnancy.

Biovance Membrane Supports the Body's Natural Ability to Heal

- An intact, natural extracellular matrix (ECM) that acts as a scaffold for restoration of functional tissue
- Contains key ECM proteins that allow for the migration of host cells to permeate the graft and promote tissue repair¹



Overview

Biovance human amniotic membrane allograft is an ECM that retains the native collagen structure of the amniotic membrane

- Devoid of cells, hormones, growth factors, and cytokines
- Contains extracellular proteins—collagen (I, III, IV, V, VII), elastin, glycosaminoglycans, fibronectin, laminin, and proteoglycans—to support the restoration of tissue
- The fibronectin found in Biovance membrane may direct movement of the patient's own fibroblasts and keratinocytes through haptotaxis
 - Scientific data was collected through *in vitro* assays to show how cells react to the inert scaffold of Biovance membrane

Biovance membrane is indicated for surgical use

- To protect the underlying tissue and preserve the tissue plane boundaries
- As a covering, wrap, or barrier at surgical sites, including those with exposed tendon, muscle, nerve, bone, or other vital structures

In vitro research has documented monocyte differentiation in the presence of Biovance membrane²

- Pro-inflammatory M1 macrophage cytokine signaling was suppressed (IL-12, IL-1 α , IL-1 β , TNF- α)
- Anti-inflammatory M2 gene expression was increased
- Monocyte release was modulated in a manner consistent with promoting vascular remodeling and tissue healing

Features and Benefits

- In a 2015 case series, Biovance membrane showed improved clinical outcomes (American Orthopedic Foot and Ankle Society Score) over tendon repairs³
- Animal models have shown that the Biovance membrane reduces adhesions over tendon repair^{4*}
- Biovance membrane is designed for ease of use in both surgical and nonsurgical settings. It requires no preparation, can be applied in any orientation, conforms easily to irregular surfaces, and requires no sutures

Maximum Convenience

- 10 year shelf-life ensures product is readily available
- Room temperature storage; no refrigeration necessary

*Animal results are not necessarily indicative of human clinical outcomes.

Easy Application

- Remove from the package and use sterile atraumatic forceps to remove Biovance® dermal matrix from its inner peel-pouch
- Apply Biovance dermal matrix over the defect. No specific orientation is required
- Adheres well without sutures

Please see accompanying package insert for full instructions.

Minimal Application Time

- **No Preparation:** No thawing, rinsing, or soaking required
- **Flexible Matrix:** Easily conforms to the surface, resulting in no additional bulk to site
- **No Orientation:** Biovance amniotic matrix can be applied with either side facing the tissue
- **Adheres Without Sutures:** Alternatively, Biovance amniotic matrix can be sutured, taped, stapled, or glued, as determined by the surgeon

Application of Biovance Membrane During Tendon Repair



Ordering Information

Product Description	Item Number
Biovance® Amniotic Membrane, 1 cm × 2 cm	DHAM0012
Biovance Amniotic Membrane, 2 cm × 2 cm	DHAM0022
Biovance Amniotic Membrane, 2 cm × 3 cm	DHAM0023
Biovance Amniotic Membrane, 2 cm × 4 cm	DHAM0024
Biovance Amniotic Membrane, 3 cm × 3.5 cm	DHAM0035
Biovance Amniotic Membrane, 4 cm × 4 cm	DHAM0044
Biovance Amniotic Membrane, 5 cm × 5 cm	DHAM0055
Biovance Amniotic Membrane, 6 cm × 6 cm	DHAM0066

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Contraindications, Warnings, and Precautions

- Biovance Amniotic Membrane is contraindicated in patients with a known hyper-sensitivity to Biovance Amniotic Membrane. If a patient has an adverse reaction related to the use of Biovance Amniotic Membrane, immediately discontinue its use. Biovance Amniotic Membrane should not be used on clinically infected wounds.
- The pouch contents are sterile if the pouch is unopened and undamaged. Do not use if package seal is broken. Discard material if mishandling has caused possible damage or contamination. Do not resterilize.
- Biovance Amniotic Membrane must be used prior to the expiration date on the product pouch. Biovance Amniotic Membrane should not be used together with a collagenase product on the wound.



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