

BARD* MK*[†] PATCH with Posiflex* Memory Technology

Anterior Approach to a Preperitoneal Inguinal Hernia Repair

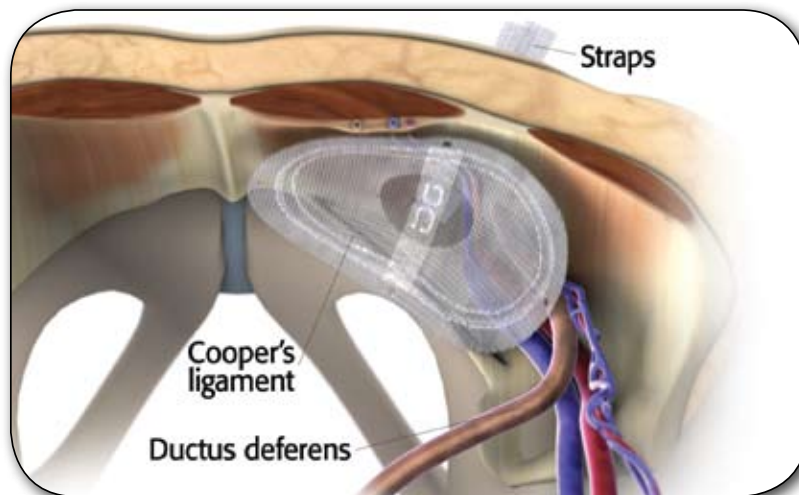
Benefits of the Bard* MK*[†] Patch:

Total Confidence

- The Posiflex* Memory Technology helps to avoid buckling and folding of the mesh, which helps the patch lay flat in the preperitoneal space
- Patch covers the entire groin region, including the direct, indirect and femoral spaces, minimizing the risk of recurrence or missed hernias
- Biomechanics of intra-abdominal pressure help secure the patch in place¹

Patient Comfort

- Technique can be performed through one small 4-6cm incision
- Minimal fixation may reduce post-operative pain and the risk of neuralgia²
- A tension-free repair technique minimizes patient discomfort and provides the potential for rapid return to normal activity³
- General anesthesia is not required



Each of the three larger size patches cover all three spaces of the groin region: direct, indirect and femoral. Because the larger sizes cover the entire myopectineal orifice, an onlay patch is not required.

Mesh Patch for Preperitoneal Hernia Repair Performed via an Anterior Approach

The Bard* MK*[†] Patch with Posiflex Memory Technology repair is a minimally invasive, tension-free technique that can be completed through a small 4-6cm incision and requires minimal suturing. The technique is a preperitoneal repair



performed through an open, anterior approach that can be completed using local or regional anesthesia. The Bard MK*[†] Patch is a self-expanding polypropylene patch that allows for sufficient overlap of the hernia defect. Tissue ingrowth into the polypropylene mesh and deep placement of the patch allow for a strong repair. Once the patch is placed, the Posiflex* Memory Technology helps to avoid buckling and folding – which helps the patch lay flat in the preperitoneal space. The entire groin region, including the direct, indirect and femoral spaces, is typically protected, therefore, the optional onlay patch packaged with each Bard MK*[†] Patch is not required. A positioning strap and pocket facilitate placement, positioning and fixation of the patch.



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Catalog Number	Quantity	Size	Description	
0115808	2/cs.	7.5cm (3") diameter	Small Circle	<input type="checkbox"/>
0115810	2/cs.	10cm (4") diameter	Medium Circle	<input type="checkbox"/>
0115812	2/cs.	11.5cm (4.5") diameter	Large Circle	<input type="checkbox"/>
0115814	2/cs.	8cm x 12cm (3" x 4.5")	Small Oval	<input type="checkbox"/>
0115816	2/cs.	9.5cm x 13cm (3.5" x 5")	Medium Oval	<input type="checkbox"/>

Each Bard[®] **MK**⁺ Patch comes with an optional, pre-shaped onlay patch measuring 6cm x 13.7cm (2.4" x 5.4").

Please add the Bard[®] **MK**⁺ Patch to my preference card.

I would like to have the Bard[®] **MK**⁺ Patch in stock.

Surgeon's Signature _____

Purchase Order Number _____

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Date _____ **Quantity** _____

References:

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[†] Bard[®] Modified Kugel[®] Patch
^{††} Bard[®] Composix Kugel[®] Patch

Bard[®] MK⁺ Patch with Posiflex[®] Memory Technology is just one in a complete family of hernia repair products:

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- Bard[®] 3DMax[®] Mesh
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- Bard[®] Composix[®] E/X Mesh
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- Bard[®] Dulex[®] Mesh
- Bard[®] Composix[®] Mesh
- Bard[®] Composix[®] L/P Mesh
- Bard[®] **CollaMend**[®] Implant
- Bard[®] **AlloMax**[®] Surgical Graft
- Bard[®] Sepramesh[®] IP Composite

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- Davol[®] PermaSorb[®] Disposable Fixation Device

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- Bard[®] CruraSoft[®] Patch

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