



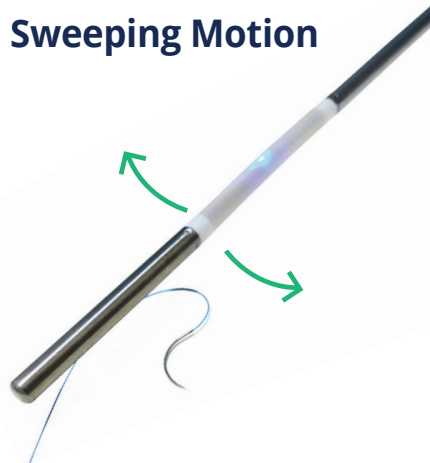
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Lost Surgical Sharps Search Techniques

Find Device At:

Melzi[™] Sharps Finder[™] – locate lost sharps in the surgical area!

Sweeping Motion



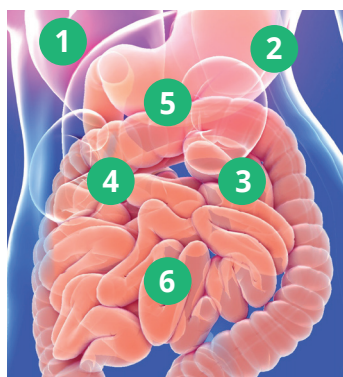
Before You Search:

- If possible, clear the surgical area of all known metallic items
- Pull trocars back to minimize interference in laparoscopic and robotic cases
- Consider patient positioning as foreign bodies may shift with gravity
- Note: only ferrous metals are detectable

Video Tutorial:



Systematic Search



Systematic Search Tips:

- Start by searching the area last manipulated
- Search each area in a slow sweeping motion:
 1. Begin searching in the upper right-hand quadrant behind the liver
 2. Pass behind the body of the stomach
 3. Retract the stomach and search the perisplenic area and upper left-hand quadrant
 4. Sweep the left and right paracolic gutters
 5. Do a pass over the bowel before manipulation
 6. Sweep the pelvis
- Make sure to factor in patient positioning as foreign bodies may shift due to gravity

Navigate Around “Corners”



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Description

Reference

Melzi[™] Sharps Finder – Short Shaft

SM3881

Melzi[™] Sharps Finder – Long Shaft

SM3882

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