

AbClose FAQs

1. What size of trocar wound can AbClose treat?

Ans: AbClose can treat the wounds made by trocar sizes between 10 – 15 mm.

2. How thick abdominal wall can AbClose treat?

Ans: AbClose can treat abdominal wall from 1.5 cm up to 15 cm.

3. Can AbClose close the robotic trocar wound?

Ans: Yes. However, the diameter of the 8 mm wound size may increase to 12 mm if the user use AbClose to closure the wound due to the 12 mm diameter of AbClose's Suture Guide.

4. Is there suture comes with the AbClose package?

Ans: There is no suture comes with AbClose. Physician can choose any suture type (size 0) for the wound closure.

5. What's the shelf life of AbClose?

Ans: The shelf life of AbClose is 2 years.

6. How many trocar wounds can one AbClose treat?

Ans: One AbClose can treat multiple wounds in a single surgical procedure.

7. What is the minimum abdomen wall sandwich range?

Ans: 2.5 cm.

8. What is the function of Blue Line?

Ans: Indication for when to release Blue Button / open Suture Catcher. During device insertion into abdominal cavity, users can release Blue Button / open Suture Catcher once Blue Line shows up in laparoscopic view.

9. What is the function of Black Line?

Ans: 1) Indication for whether patient has thick enough abdominal wall that users can press Slider down to sandwich the abdominal wall. After pulling Suture Catcher against the peritoneum, if the black line is not visible, users can press Slider down to sandwich the abdominal wall.
2) Indication for where the needle exits. Users need to ensure the black line is below the skin level before inserting the needle.

10. What is the function of Blue Arrow?

Ans: Indication for what orientation device should be placed in. Blue Arrow should face to the user during device deployment.