

# The Filshie Clip System

*Used by Leading Surgeons  
Recommended by Patients*

More than four million women have undergone successful sterilization with the Filshie Clip.\* Simple and reliable, the Filshie Clip is a safe and effective method of surgical contraception, with the highest success rate among all current forms of permanent sterilization.

In a recent study, over 90 percent of women surveyed who had been sterilized using this system, indicated they would recommend this method to other women.\*

The Filshie Clip's large curved upper jaw was designed for edematous tubes. The hinged titanium clip has an inner silicone rubber lining that completely occludes the fallopian tube following placement. When tubal necrosis occurs, the silicone rubber effectively maintains pressure on the tube. A thin layer of peritoneum may eventually cover the clip.

The Filshie Clip method can be performed laparoscopically or as an interval procedure, either after vaginal or caesarean delivery.

## *Safe and effective*

- No risk of bowel burn associated with other methods\*
- No tongs to perforate blood vessels
- Low failure rate—2.7 per 1,000 patients\*

## *Versatile with minimal tubal damage*

- Affects approximately 4mm of the fallopian tube—less than non-clip methods
- Large tubal capacity virtually eliminates the need for back-up surgery for women with thicker fallopian tubes
- Ideal for post-partum procedures in cases where fallopian tubes can be swollen

## *Ease-of-use and instruction*

- Safe and easy
- Minimal procedure time required
- Quick patient recovery

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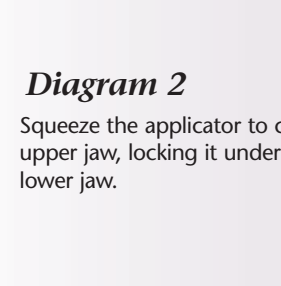
*Applicators have been specifically designed for single- or dual-incision laparoscopy or mini-laparotomy post-partum procedures*

## *Simple application technique*



### **Diagram 1**

Apply the Clip across the entire diameter of the fallopian tube with the hooked end of the lower jaw visible through the mesosalpinx. Before closure, use the applicator as a manipulator to properly identify the tube(s) and placement of the clip.



### **Diagram 2**

Squeeze the applicator to compress and flatten the upper jaw, locking it under the hooked end of the lower jaw.



### **Diagram 3**

Remove the applicator leaving the locked Filshie Clip compressing the entire diameter of the tube within its jaw. One Filshie Clip per fallopian tube is required; clips are permanently implanted.



Easy-to-use

Versatile

Minimal Tubal  
Damage

Large Tubal  
Capacity

Highest Rate  
of Success

# Filshie Clip System

## Applicators

The range of application equipment is designed to be robust and reliable for single- and dual-incision laparoscopy and mini-laparotomy post-partum procedures.

Manufactured from high-quality stainless steel, the simple-to-use applicators are easy to assemble and disassemble, and are easy to clean and maintain.



**Mini-Laparotomy**



**7mm Dual-Incision**



**Single-Incision**  
(Available in 5mm, 7.5mm,  
and 8mm sizes)

## Clips

Item No.	Description
AVM-851	Box of Filshie Clips (20 pair per box)
AVM-851J	Box of Filshie Clips (10 pair per box)

## Applicators

Item No.	Description
AVM-856	Mini-Laparotomy Filshie Clip Applicator
AVM-857	7.5mm Single-Incision Filshie Clip Applicator
AVM-860	8mm Single-Incision Filshie Clip Applicator
AVM-863	7mm Dual-Incision Filshie Clip Applicator
AVM-880	5mm Single-Incision Filshie Clip Applicator

To find out more about the Filshie Clip System, or to place an order: Call 800.243.2974 or visit [www.coopersurgical.com](http://www.coopersurgical.com).

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*Expertly designed for safe and effective  
surgical contraception for women*

