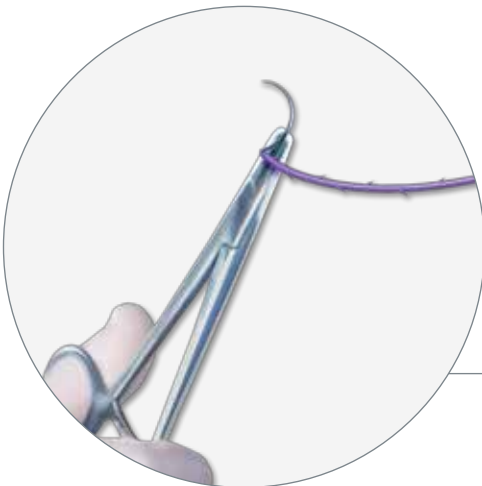




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TRUSTED SPEED AND SECURITY



Quill™ Knotless Tissue-Closure Device

- The original barbed suture introduced in 2007
- Over 80 clinical publications
- Used in more than 20 million procedures

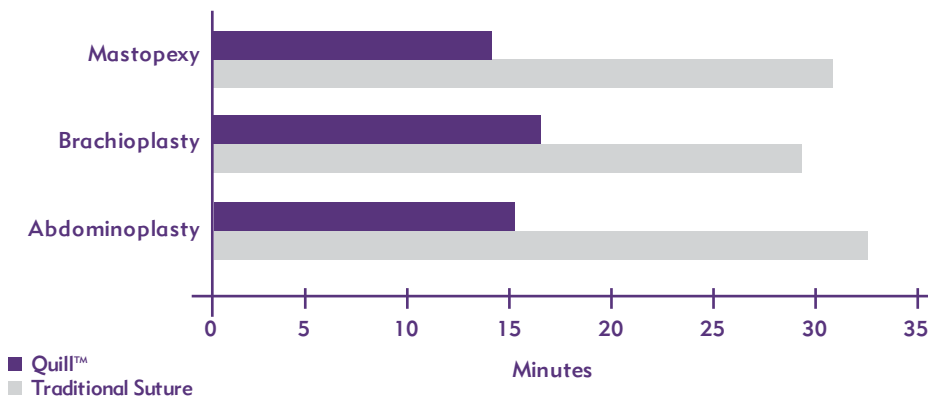


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With Its Innovative Barbed Design, the Quill™ Device:

- Saves time by replacing tedious knot-tying with running style closure
- Reduces the potential for knot-related complications
- Evenly distributes tension along the tissues which may result in improved cosmesis

Closure Time Savings With Quill™ Device¹



Approx.
50%
faster
closure

OR time is at a premium now. Our hospitals run around \$100 per minute, so any efficiency you can gain is important."

– Brad Bengtson, MD. Bengtson Center for Aesthetics and Plastic Surgery.



FACE & NECK: Revealing Results

FACELIFT, NECK DEFINING, BROWLIFT

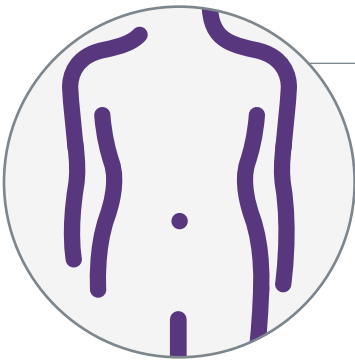
- Allows precise and stable repositioning of ptotic facial fat and suspensory structures to rejuvenate the skin and deeper tissues²
- Enhances lateral brow procedures producing less conspicuous scars, faster recovery, and more natural appearance
- Enables secure plication of SMAS and platysmal contouring by affording "anywhere" suture placement that may enhance results²



BREAST: Desired Effect

MASTOPEXY, AUGMENTATION, CAPSULORRHAPHY, RECONSTRUCTION

- May allow for improved scar formation by avoidance of knots in sensitive tissues of the breast
- Can be used to effectively lift and reposition breast tissue potentially improving breast mound shaping
- May create a more stable wound environment with less reactive scarring due to barbs preventing micromotion²
- Helps avoid purse string tissue gathering effect often seen with conventional sutures and may help control areolar diameter



BODY: Shaping Success

ABDOMINOPLASTY, BODYLIFT, BRACHIOPLASTY, THIGHPLASTY

- Can be of great assistance in closing down dead space and minimizing potential for seromas²
- May reduce time and eliminate drains if placed in progressive tension fashion during Abdominoplasty³
- Facilitates redistribution of complex resultant tissue following massive weight loss (MWL) procedures²
- Demonstrated safety in patients who underwent rectus diastasis repair during Abdominoplasty⁴
- May lead to less conspicuous scars by minimizing wound edge motion in areas of variable tension and mobility seen in Brachioplasty and Thighplasty²

"The Quill™ device simply secures soft tissues much better than any other suture material I have used. It has changed my practice..."

– Dennis Hammond, MD. Partners in Plastic Surgery of West Michigan.

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