

... when you could have something that is:

- ✓ immediately usable
- ✓ immensely secure
- ✓ easily adjustable
- ✓ durable
- ✓ flexible
- ✓ elegant

The BRAIDLOCK ® product range of catheter securement devices use a braided tube mechanism that creates a highly secure grip around a line. Using one hand, it is squeezed to allow the diameter to expand thus accommodating a line which is inserted with the other hand.

When each end is released, the diameter of the tube is reduced and the catheter or line securely gripped.

This is how the BRAIDLOCK ® product range provide an immensely secure yet easily adjustable anchor to any drain, line or catheter thus standardising fixation whilst allowing incremental removal where required. This offers a dramatic time and cost savings as compared to the material-intensive procedure of conventional line securement.

BRAIDLOCK ® products can be fixed to the patient using the **suture** device, less invasively using the **adhesive plaster** device and where required secured by a **hook and loop** wrist tie.



Finally!

21st century solutions
to 20th century headaches

Available in a range of sizes
from 5Fr to 36Fr

Suture / plaster versions

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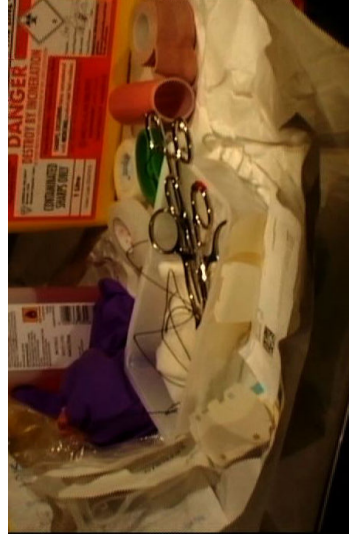
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Why go to the cost, mess
and training of traditional
line securement that is ...



- ✗ costly
- ✗ time-consuming
- ✗ wasteful
- ✗ high infection risk



Suture device

Easy Application

To apply a BRAIDLOCK ® device to a line, simply:

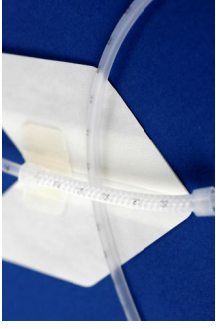
1. Hold each end of the device between the thumb and index finger of one hand.
2. Push the two ends towards the middle (causing the BRAIDLOCK ® to widen.)
3. Slide a line through the device to the desired position.
4. Release the BRAIDLOCK ® (causing the device to grip the line.)

Depending on the BRAIDLOCK ® you are using, then complete the following:

Suture: use regular surgical thread to secure the device to the patient and through the eyelets provided.

Plaster: peel back the paper off the plaster and affix neatly to the patient body, starting at the centre and gently smoothing outwards. Avoid air bubbles and creasing of the plaster.

Hook and loop: wrap the strap around the patient's arm or leg; hook it through the loop and tighten so that it is secure but allows for circulation. Place the loose end of the strap on the affixed portion to secure.

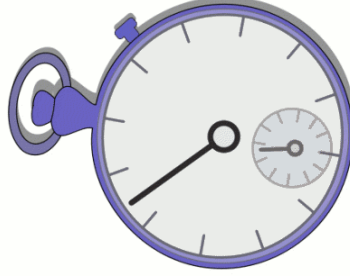


Plaster device

Easy Adjustment

Adjusting the BRAIDLOCK ® device once on a line is easy.

1. Grip each end of the device between thumb and index finger.
2. Push the two ends towards the middle (causing the BRAIDLOCK ® to widen.)
3. Adjust the line through the device to the desired position.
4. Release the BRAIDLOCK ® (causing the device to grip the line.)



Time and cost savings

20th century model

For several decades the only way to affix a tube, line or catheter was using an inelegant securement process which required:

- Several components (gauze, surgical thread, plasters, and more)
- Complex ordering ensuring that all supplies were readily available
- A trained surgeon to spend 4 minutes (or more!) painstakingly securing the line

If the line needed adjustment, all materials had to be thrown away, the line repositioned and the surgeon to start again. The time and skills commitment, materials wastage, risk of restarts and infection clearly make this model unsustainable!

21st century model

The BRAIDLOCK ®. It's a single item, it can be adjusted and it affixes to the patient in seconds!



Hook and loop device