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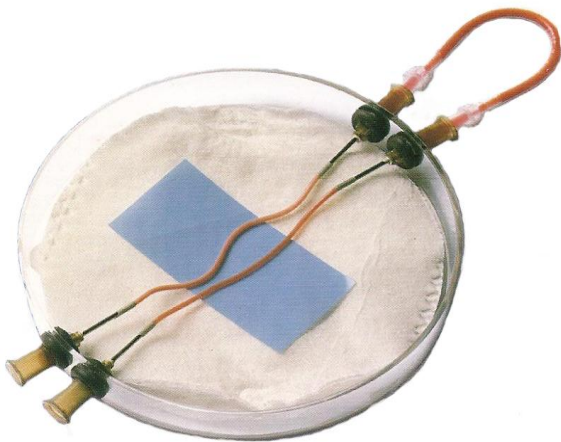
MICROSURGICAL TRAINING SYSTEMS

Sharpint, the manufacturers of the M.E.T. microsurgical needles, continue their commitment to medical training facilities by offering the PracticeRat™ system. PracticeRat™ allows the surgeon to practice and develop their microsurgical suturing techniques in a safe, hands-on setting. The set mimics the properties

of a rat's femoral vessels and sciatic nerve while also mimicking their tear characteristics and resistance to needle and blade passage.

PracticeRat™ makes practice time more convenient, effective, and is fully portable with several models available. It also reduces the cost and time disadvantage of laboratory rats.

Additional laboratory systems and training manuals are available through Sharpint. Please contact your Sales Representative for more information.



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BUXTON REVOLVER RONGEURS

The eight biting positions of the Buxton Revolver Rongeurs increase the ease of use and eliminate the need for multiple rongeurs with multiple biting positions. By applying the simple rotating mechanism, the user is able to click the rongeurs into the optimal bite position. The easy, take-a-part design allows for full shaft cleaning.

These rongeurs are available in a wide array of shafts and handles.

Based out of East Hanover, New Jersey, Buxton BioMedical is a specialist company in hand, foot, spine, and shoulder instruments.



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ROUND BAR STYLE RETRACTOR SYSTEM

Mediflex® now offers a newly redesigned Universal Round Bar Style Retractor System. This system has an expanded range of swivel style retractor blades and a newly designed quick-locking snap clamp allowing the surgeon to quickly affix retractor blades as needed.

The Mediflex Universal Round Bar Style Retractor was designed to provide multi-directional surgical site exposure in a wide variety of abdominal procedures. Easy to assemble, it features a "wishbone style" retractor frame with independently adjustable arms and a locking

pivotal neck joint which lets you quickly rotate the retractor frame with a simple push of a button. The new quick-lock snap clamps allow round bar retractor blades to be affixed and positioned in multiple planes. The system also includes an Extension Bridge Kit allowing for the creation of a fully expanded frame.

The Mediflex Round Bar Style Retractor System utilizes the same field post and coupler as the Mediflex Bookler System and all Mediflex systems are interchangeable with competitor retractor systems.



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SURGICAL PRODUCTS

Did You Know?

- Keir Surgical has full service repair facilities located in Vancouver, BC and Peterborough, ON. In addition to instrument repairs, Keir Surgical is also able to repair scopes.
- On March 27, 2010 in Burnaby, BC, Keir Surgical is hosting an Education Seminar. This conference features two great speakers: Chuck Hughes (SPSmedical) and Daniel Favre (Rudolf Medical), and is free to attend. Visit www.keirsurgical.com to register.
- Keir Surgical regularly donates instruments to surgical missions that perform work in developing countries. Past missions have included Bhutan Cleft Care Project and Sick Kids Foundation – No Boundaries. For more information or to find out how Keir Surgical can support your foundation, please speak to your Sales Representative.

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