

HERNIA MODEL

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Points of Interest

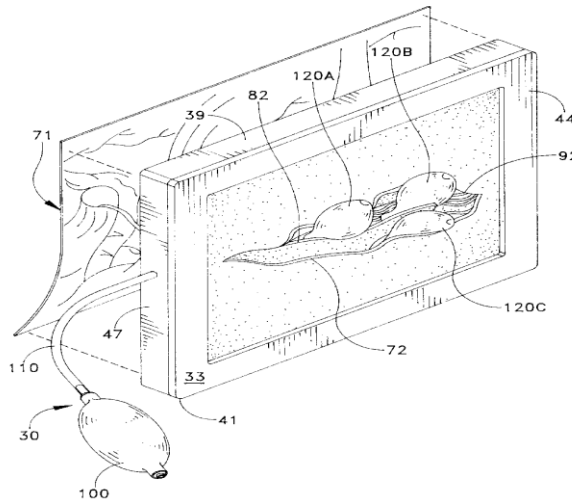
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Competition



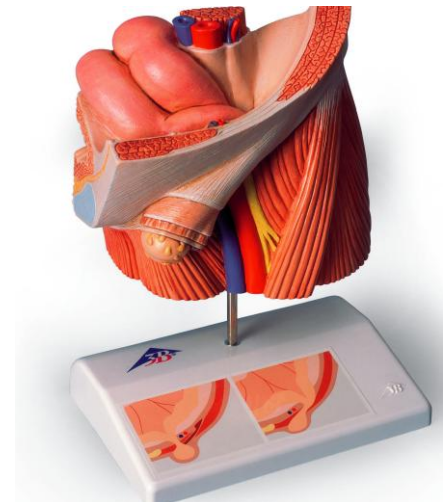
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Simulab
Inguinal
Hernia
Model



www.freepatentsonline.com/5908302.html

Inguinal hernia
model patented
by Goldfarb



http://www.a3bs.com/genital-pelvis-models/inguinal-hernia-model-h13,p_65_31_0_0_310.html

American 3B
Scientific
Inguinal
Hernia

Materials

- Silicone
- Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC)
- Polyurethane
- Latex



Design Matrix

| | Weight | | Silicone | Latex | Polyurethane | Polyvinyl chloride |
|---------------------|--------|--|----------|-------|--------------|--------------------|
| Cost | 0.25 | | 1 | 3 | 3 | 4 |
| Durability | 0.85 | | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 |
| Appearance | 1 | | 4 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| Realistic texture | 1 | | 4 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| Feasibility | 0.5 | | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Safety | 0.75 | | 4 | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| Diverse application | 0.45 | | 4 | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 17.6 | 13.9 | 13.5 | 10.35 |

Final Design

Silicone

- Resilient
- Definable properties
- Various applications

Pelvic skeleton model

- Serves as model base
- Realistic suspension and attachment



<https://www.sspinc.com/departement/silicone-elastomers-71.cfm?productsAndServices>

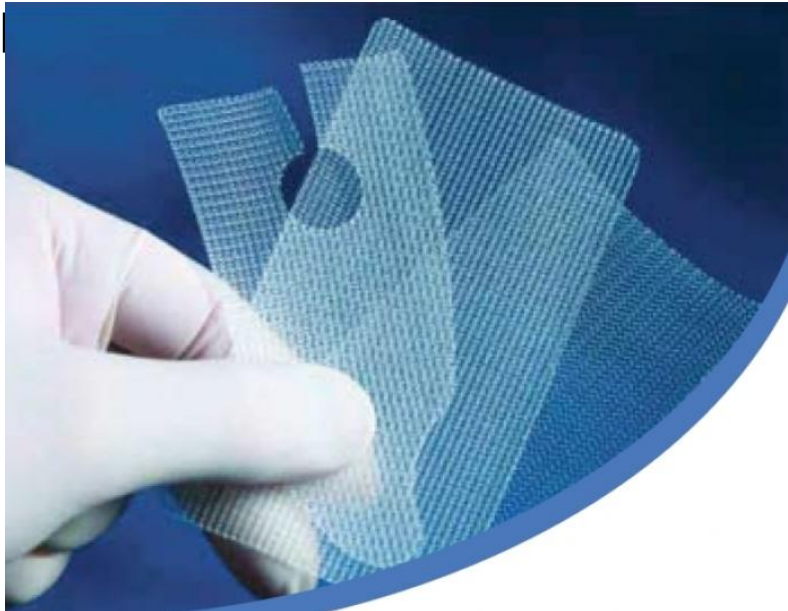
Key Model Features

- Replaceable parts
- Silicone gel
- Magnet system
- Laparoscope ports



Future Work

- Make molds to make silicon pieces out of
- Finalize how we are going to secure every part of the model
- Figure out how we are going to simulate tacking



<http://www.nordicsurgical.com/media/images/uploaded/16-mesh-hand.full.jpg>

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Questions?

