

Guardian II Hemostasis Valve

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KEY FEATURES

- Unique seal technology designed to reduce amount of blood in procedural field
- Click-open and click-close design for single-handed operation
- 8-F compatible lumen to allow delivery of multiple therapeutic devices

Vascular Solutions, Inc. (Minneapolis, MN) recently announced the US launch of the Guardian II Hemostasis Valve. Unlike conventional rotating hemostasis valves, the Guardian II has an ergonomic, click-open

and click-close design to provide protection during interventions and separation of multiple guidewires and other devices used in the catheterization procedure. Guardian II improvements include a shorter overall length, clear rotating components, and intuitive symbols added to the device, the company stated.



Manufactured by Zerusa Limited of Galway, Ireland, the Guardian II hemosta-

sis valve uses proprietary seal technology to provide independent movement of, and a complete seal around, each device. With its ergonomic click-open and click-close design, the Guardian II fits comfortably in the hand and allows for easy one-hand operation. The Guardian II hemostasis valve is available in the United States exclusively through Vascular Solutions, Inc.