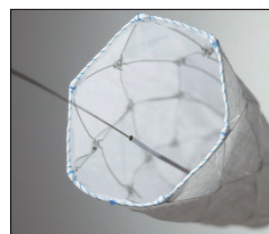


Visiflex SurePass Delivery System

COMPANY	Endologix, Inc.
PHONE	(800) 983-2284
WEB	www.endologix.com
KEY FEATURES • Continued guidewire access to the contralateral limb of the unibody Powerlink ELG device • Hollow contralateral limb wire • No need to cannulate a contralateral gate • Provides more control in tortuous anatomies	

Endologix, Inc. (Irvine, CA) announces the launch of the Visiflex SurePass Delivery System, part of the Powerlink System for AAA. With the Visiflex SurePass Delivery System, physicians can have continual wire access on the contralateral side. The Visiflex SurePass has a hollow contralateral limb wire capable of accommodating a standard .014-inch guidewire, eliminating the need to cannulate a contralateral gate as with a modular stent-graft design.

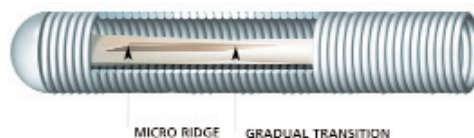


"The Visiflex SurePass delivery system further simplifies the delivery of the Powerlink System and extends our ability to use this device in complex anatomical situations," said Jeffrey P. Carpenter, MD, from the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, in Philadelphia.

Regatta Steerable Guidewires

COMPANY	Cordis Corporation
PHONE	(800) 327-7714
WEB	www.cordis.com
KEY FEATURES • Next-generation hydrophilic coating • Single-piece steel core wires • Regatta SB Guidewires designed to assist side-branch access • Regatta HS Guidewires ease placement in highly narrowed arteries	

Cordis Corporation (a Johnson & Johnson company, Miami Lakes, FL) recently launched the Regatta Steerable Guidewire family. The launch includes 12 selections of the Regatta Steerable Guidewire and two choices of the Regatta SB Steerable Guidewires. The company will also add the Regatta HS Steerable Guidewire in two selections. The different selections for each version refer to variations in tip type, tip profile, lateral support, and/or wire length. All versions in the Regatta



Regatta Steerable Guidewire

Guidewire family feature a next-generation hydrophilic coating technology that prevents swelling and a single-piece steel core wire that enhances torque. In addition, the Regatta Guidewires and the Regatta HS Guidewires offer a unique microridge design for additional torque control. The Regatta HS Guidewires also feature a rounded wedge tip, facilitating introduction of the wire in highly narrowed lesions. The Regatta SB Guidewires come with a shaping ribbon that is oriented in the plane of a J-shape, helping physicians locate and access side branches, the company says. ■