

"MINOR SURGERY"

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INTRODUCTION

- There is no minor surgery
- Only minor surgeons!
- No such thing as a “just” operation
- Little procedures can cause grief
- Treat the skin as if it was your own

PRELIMINARIES

- Identify patient site and correct lesion
- Gain consent
- WARM theatre
- Good light
- Staff

Where to put the incision/excision

- Langer's Lines
- How to find

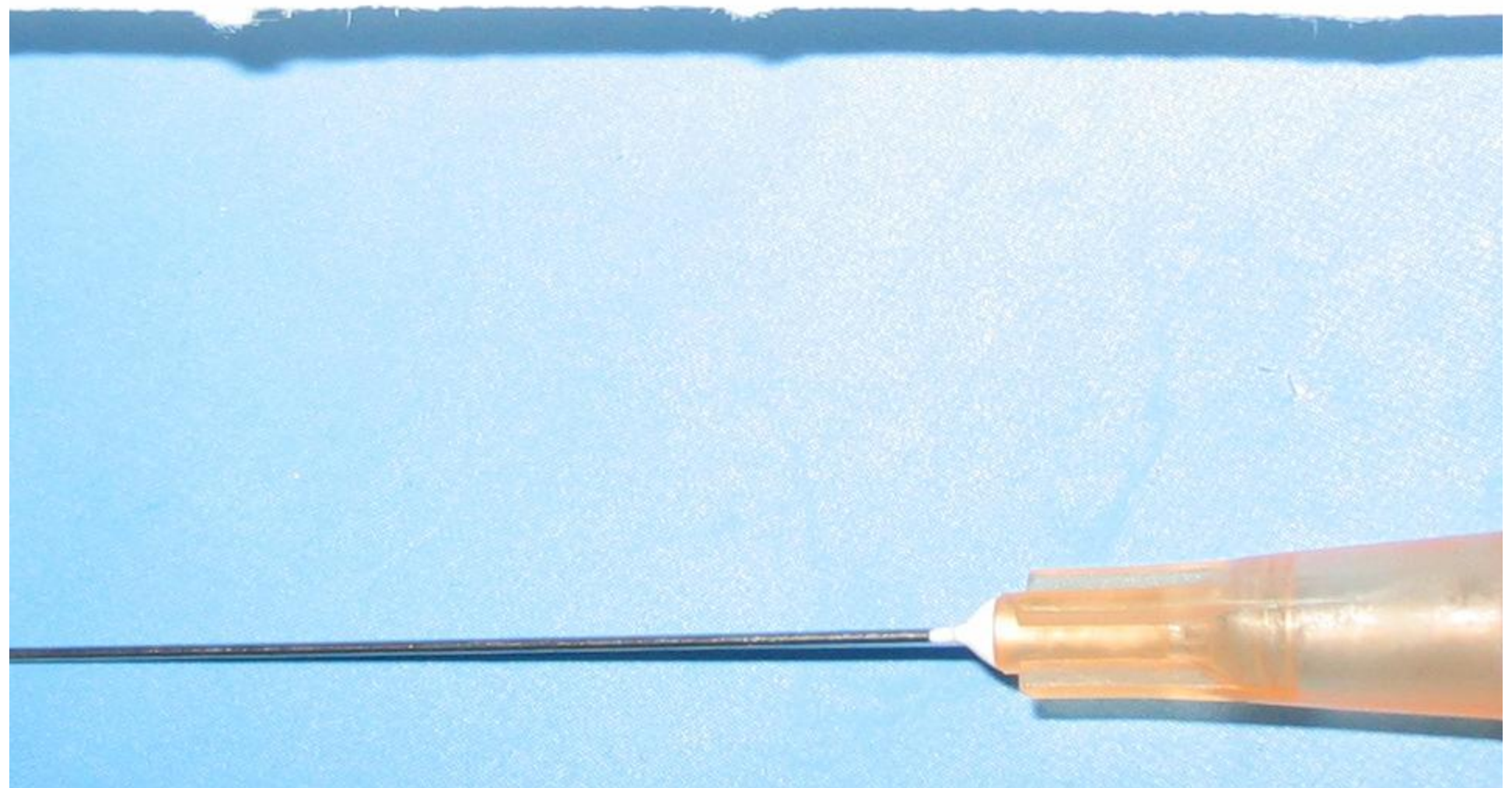
LOCAL ANAESTHETIC

- Use plenty
- Small needle (long 25 gauge)
- Put in slowly
- Massage the site
- Wait for TWO minutes
- Test for analgesia

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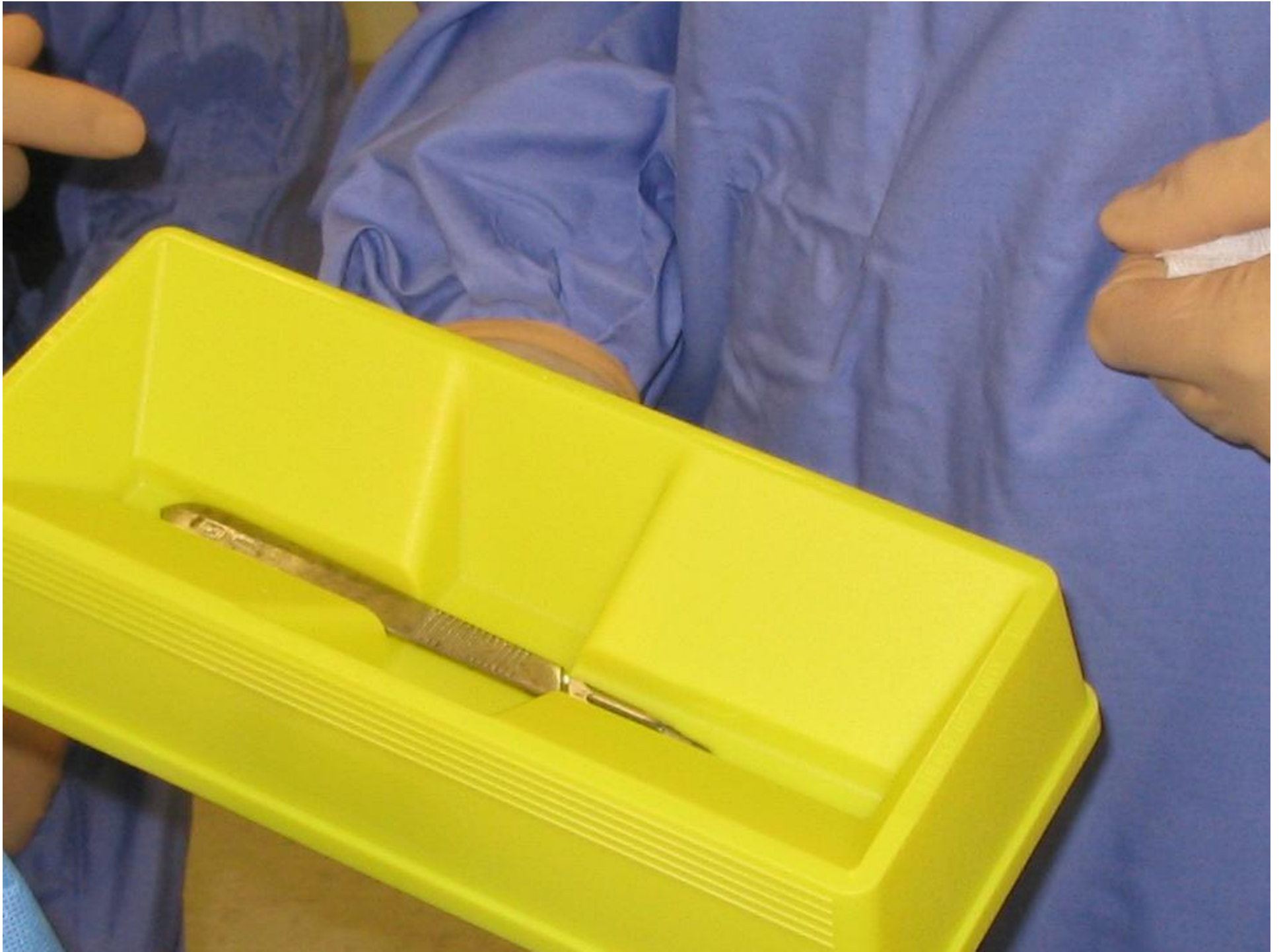


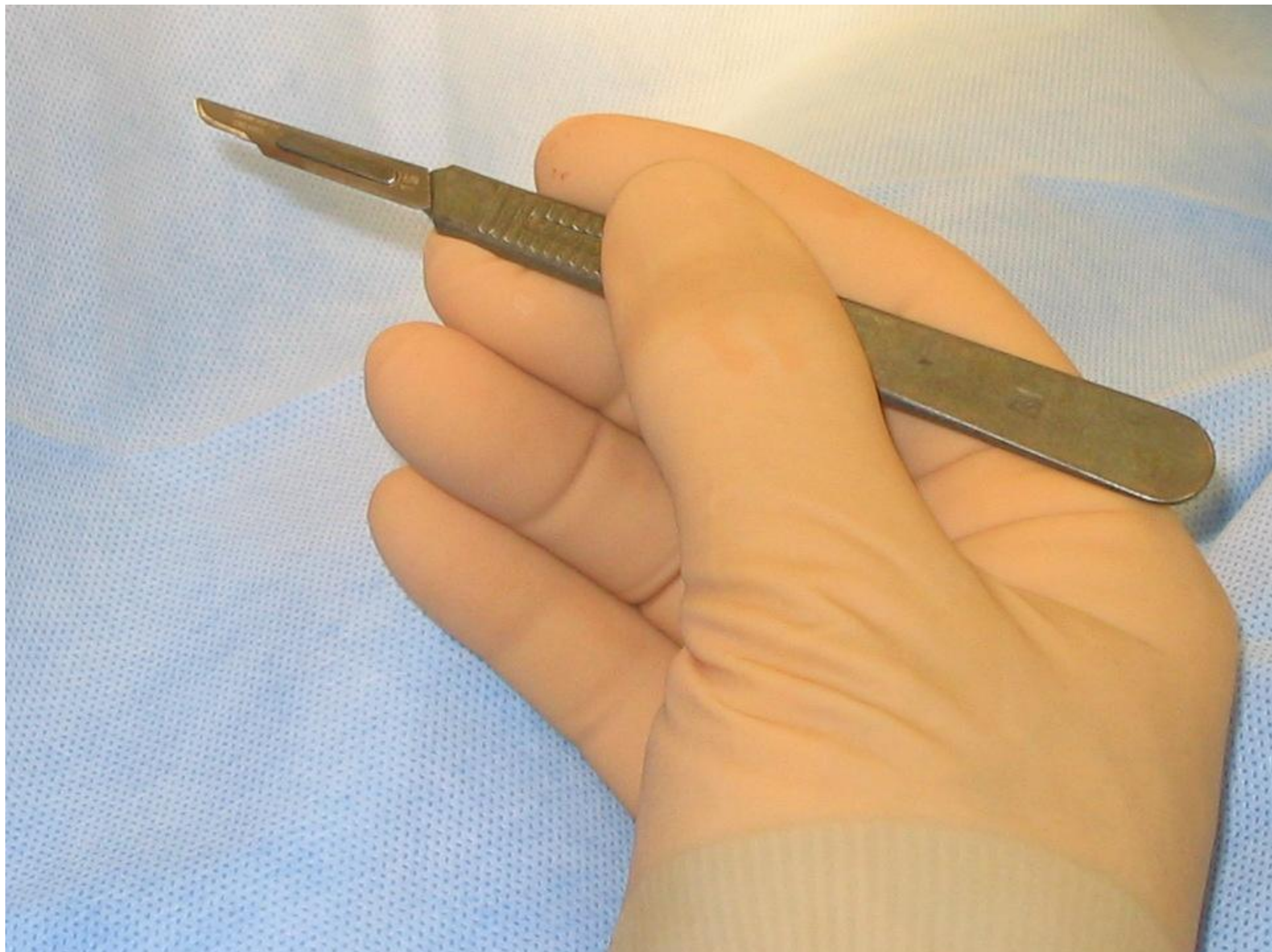
LOCAL ANAESTHETIC

- CAUTION WITH LOCAL CONTAINING ADRENALINE
- ESPECIALLY digits

Making the cut

- Right angles to the skin
- Incise do not stroke
- Use pen grip
- SHARPS CONTAINER





EXCISION METHODS

- Always sharp
- ? Scissors
- ? Scalpel
- Retractors
- Skin hooks
- HAEMOSTASIS
- Diathermy under running

SUTURING

- BEST DEMONSTRATED
- Steristrips
- glues

W9967T

PDS*II

Polydioxanone
violet monofilament absorbable suture
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violett monofilament chirurg. Nähmaterial
resorbierbar

ATRALOC*

24 sachets / unités / Stück

STERILE

UCSMHLM

2010-06

ETHICON

8685H

NON CUTICULAR
CUTANÉ

2-0 (Met. 3.0)

PROLENE*

POLYPROPYLENE / SUTURE /
DE POLYPROPYLENE
MONOFILAMENT

CUTTING / TRANCHANTE

FS
25mm

BLUE / BLEU

18" (46cm)

3 Dz. STERILE

ETHICON

3 DOZEN / Dozains / Dutzend
Dozains / Dozains / Dozains / 3-3

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3.5 Metric

MAXON™

Monofilament Polyglycolate
Synthetic Absorbable Suture

HGU-45
TAPER

30" 75 cm

5/8 27 mm

GREEN / VERT / GRÜN
VERDE / V

STERILE

ETHICON

Z334H

PDS*II

(POLYDIOXANONE) SUTURE
MONOFILAMENT

VIOLET

27" (70cm)

3 Dz. STERILE

ETHICON

3 DOZEN / Dozains / Dutzend
Dozains / Dozains / Dozains / 3-3

2-0

3 Metric

SURGIPTRO

Monofilament Polypropylene

V-20
TAPER

30" 75 cm

BLUE / BLEU / BLAU
BLAU / AZUL / V

1/2 26 mm

TAPERIC

Feb. 2004 - 08

Mar. 2004 - 08

SURGALBY™
Synature™

ETHICON

GENERAL CLOSURE
FERMETURE ABDOMINALE

1 (Met. 4.0)

PROLENE*

POLYPROPYLENE
DE POLYPROPYLENE
MONOFILAMENT

TAPER / MOUSSE

CT-1
26mm

BLUE / BLEU

30" (76cm)

3 Dz. STERILE

ETHICON

W9333T

PDS*II

Polydioxanone
violet monofilament absorbable suture
violett monofilament suture absorbable

24 sachets / unidades

STERILE

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2012-06

ETHICON

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GENERAL CLOSURE
FERMETURE ABDOMINALE

2-0 (Met. 3.0)

PROLENE*

POLYPROPYLENE / SUTURE /
DE POLYPROPYLENE
MONOFILAMENT

TAPER / MOUSSE

CT-2
27mm

BLUE / BLEU

30" (76cm)

3 Dz. STERILE

ETHICON

1 (4 Ph. Eur.)

ETHILON*

Polyamid 6
black monofilament non-absorbable
negro monofilamento suture no absorb

KP-3 CONV

30mm Size
CUTTING

Each with 42cm telescopic tubing

2x50cm

STERILE

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DOG EARS

- Caused by closing a circle as a line
- 1:4 at least (width to length of ellipse)
- Minor dog ears will flatten over time

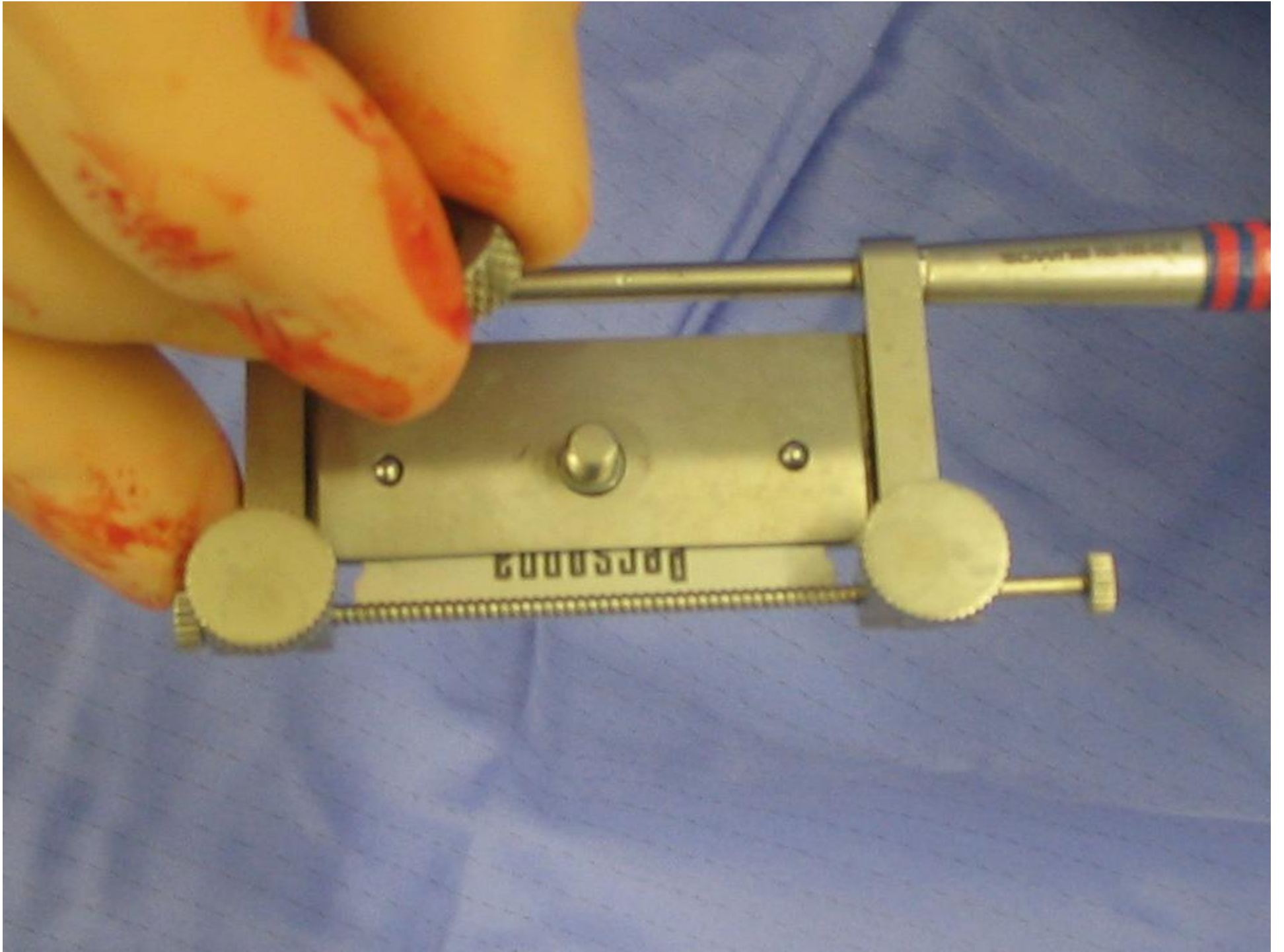
AFTER CARE

- Support the wound
- Steristrips +/- tinct.benz
- Firm dressing
- Clear instructions
- Pain relief
- Patient contact
- Dr contact

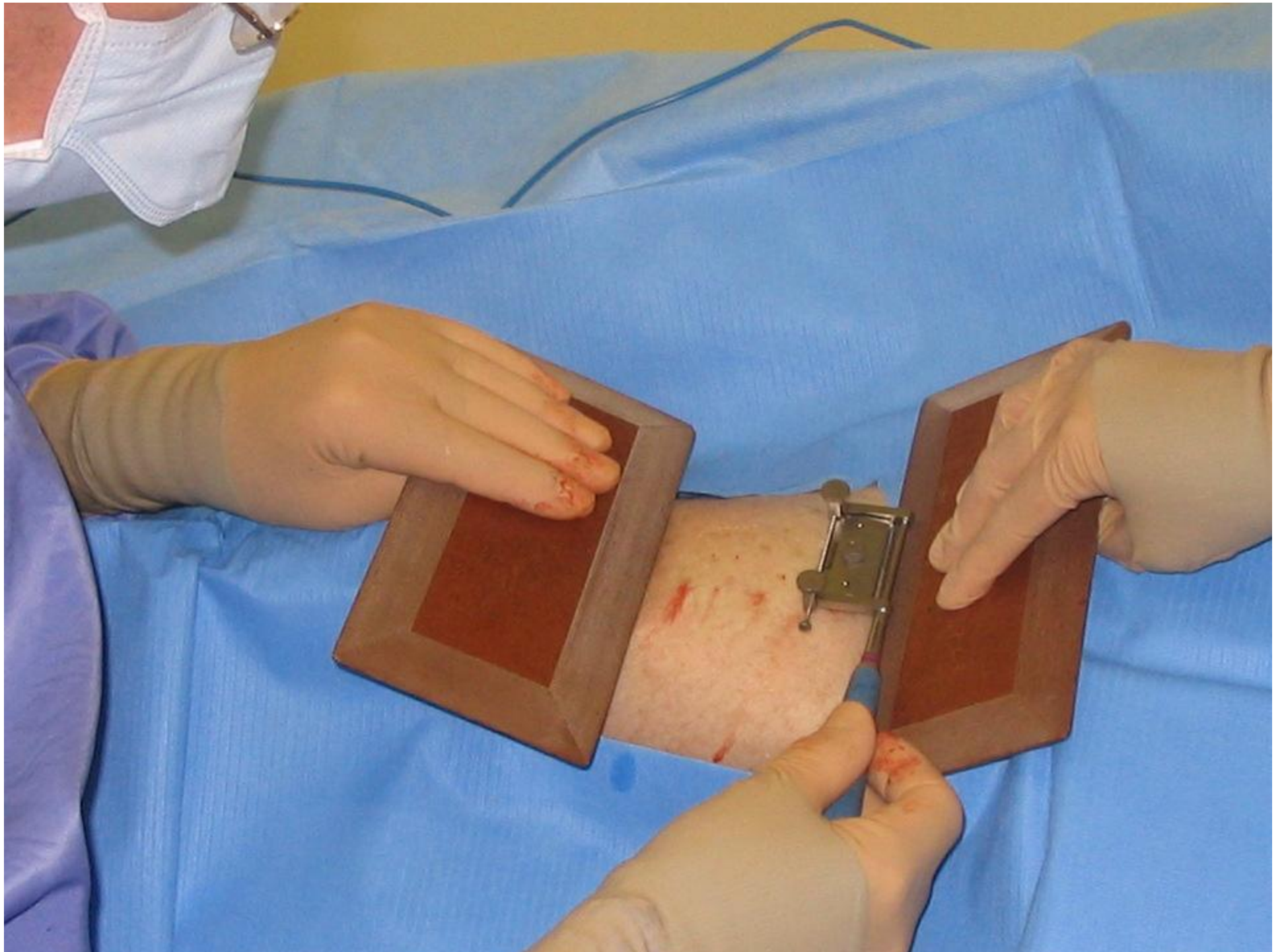
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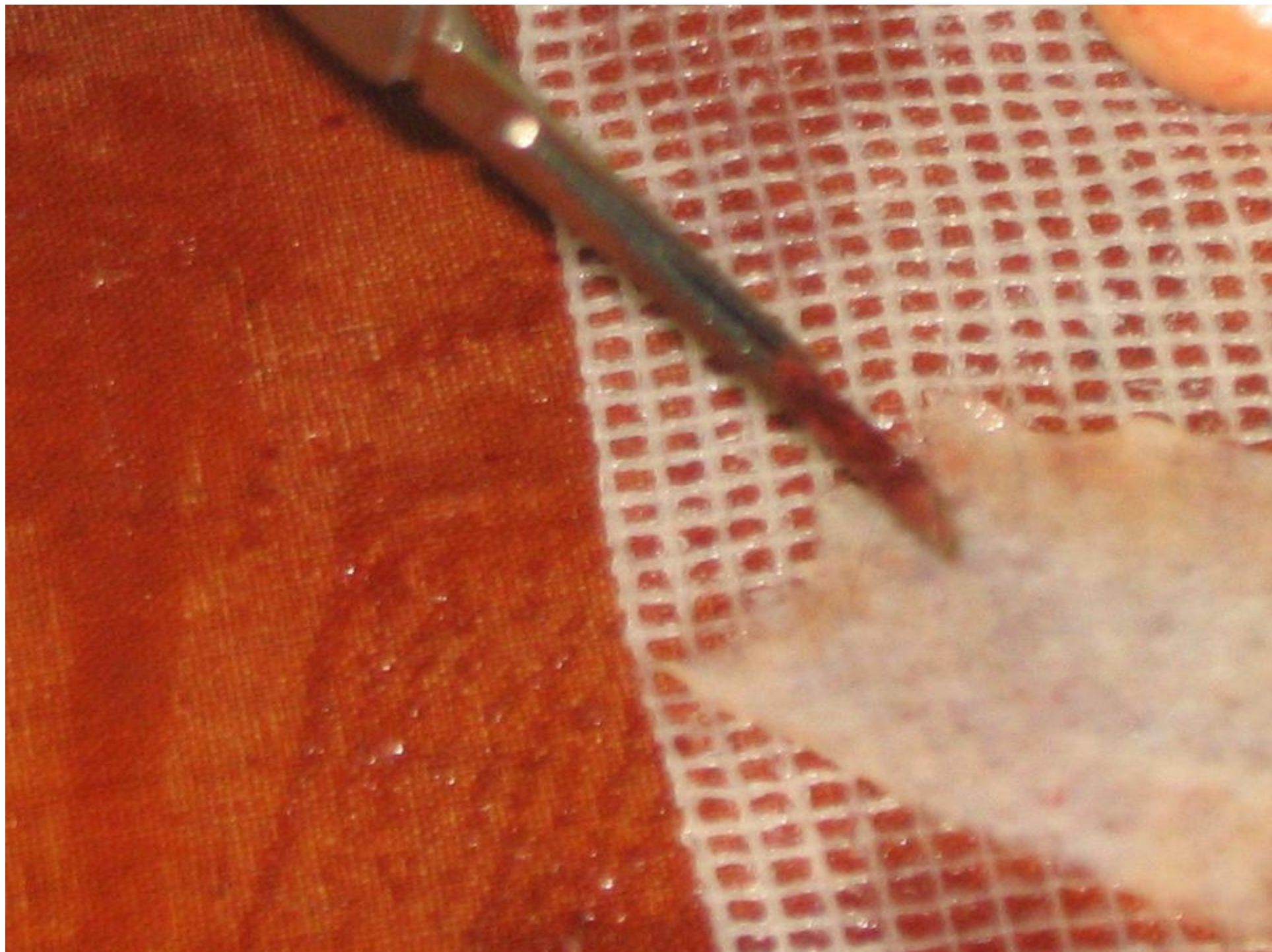


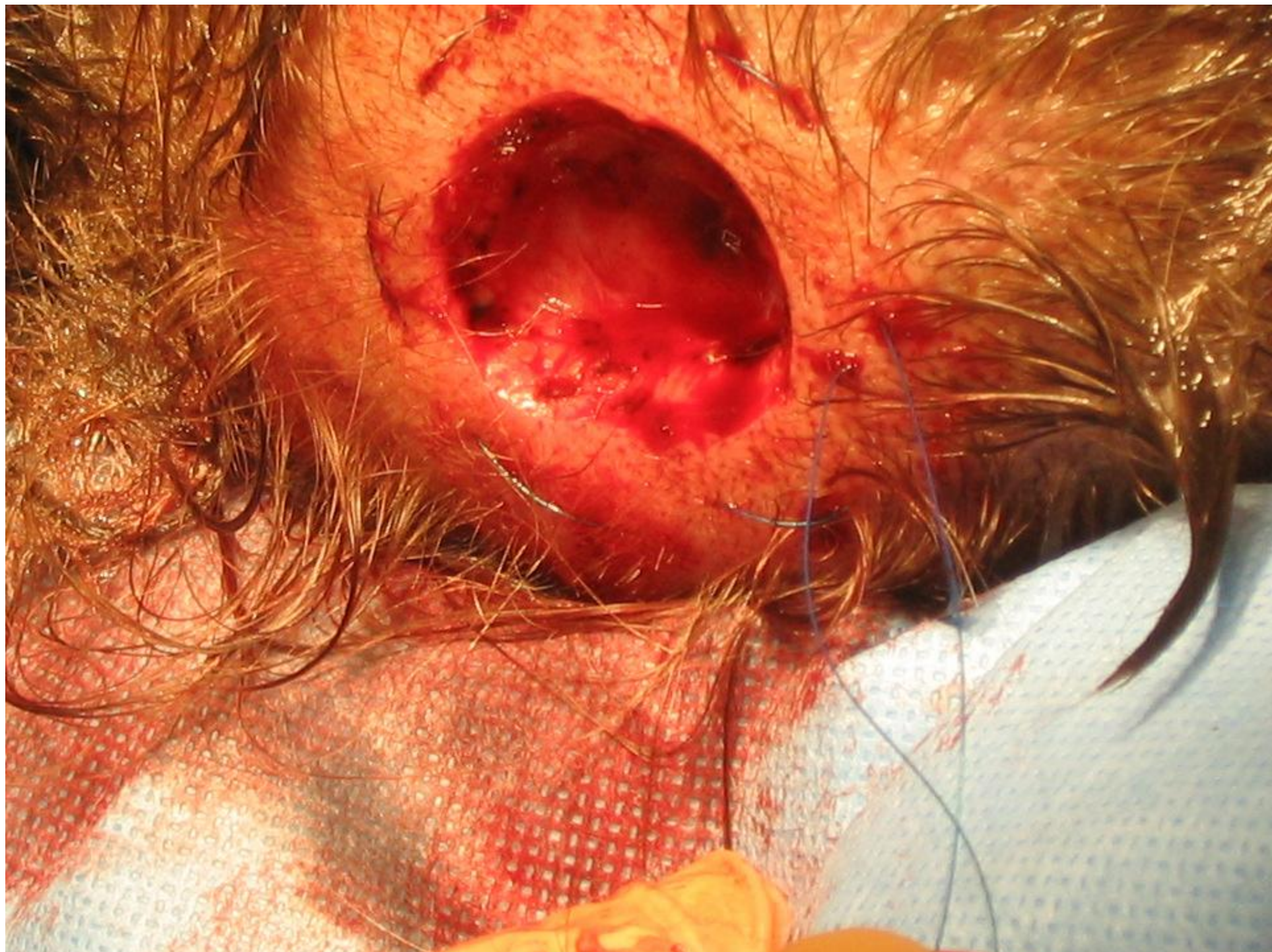












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