



COVIDIEN ENERGY.

Performance Amplified.



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LigaSure™ Maryland Jaw Open/Laparoscopic Sealer/Divider

Reach for perfection.

Efficient. Versatile. Multifunctional.



LigaSure™ Maryland jaw combines one-step sealing with the functionality of a Maryland dissector, atraumatic grasper and cold scissors with the reliability of LigaSure™ technology.

EFFICIENT

- One-step sealing provides efficient transection speed¹
- Design allows for minimal steps when sealing and dividing¹
- The actions to grasp, seal and cut are simple and intuitive¹

VERSATILE

- Enhanced blunt dissection¹
- Improved tip visualization¹
- Reduced instrument exchanges¹

MULTIFUNCTIONAL

- A Maryland dissector, grasper and cold scissors all from one device
- Consistency, control and safety of LigaSure™ technology

One-step sealing.



GRASPING AND MANIPULATING TISSUE

Place the tissue in the jaws and pull back on the handle. The **first click** indicates the end of the grasp zone and alerts the user that additional pressure will activate energy.



SEALING VESSELS AND TISSUE BUNDLES

Deliver RF energy by squeezing the lever until the **purple activation button clicks**. Continue to hold the lever closed until the seal cycle is complete.*

*A continuous tone sounds to indicate that the vessel or tissue is being sealed. When the seal cycle is complete, a short end tone sounds (two consecutive tones) and RF output ceases.



DIVIDING TISSUE

Pull the **cutting trigger**. Release the cutting trigger to retract the blade.

A photograph of several surgeons in an operating room, wearing blue scrubs and masks, focused on a patient. The room is dimly lit with bright surgical lights overhead. Monitors displaying medical data are visible in the background.

LigaSure™ technology is supported by over 300 peer-reviewed clinical studies and over eight million procedures.

WHAT SURGEONS HAVE SAID ABOUT THE LIGASURE™ MARYLAND DEVICE

After using the LigaSure™ Maryland device:

- 100% of general surgeons agreed that it will reduce instrument exchanges in surgery¹
- 90% of general surgeons agreed that the integrated cutter will reduce the need for additional cold scissors¹
- 80% of general surgeons agreed that the device will reduce the need for additional dissecting instruments¹
- The majority of surgeons agreed that the secure and atraumatic grasping will reduce the need for an additional grasper¹
- 100% of surgeons surveyed after using the instrument believe that the LigaSure™ Maryland device provides efficiency throughout the procedure¹

WHY MORE SURGEONS CHOOSE LIGASURE™ TECHNOLOGY

Compared to mechanical ligation techniques, LigaSure™ technology has been shown to significantly reduce:

- Operative blood loss in colorectal, gynecologic and urologic surgery⁴⁻⁹
- Perioperative blood transfusions in gynecologic, urologic and general surgery^{8,10,11}
- Procedure time in colorectal, gynecologic and urologic surgery^{4,6,7,9,12,13}
- Length of hospital stay in gynecologic and urologic surgery^{6,13}

Compared to other energy-based modalities, LigaSure™ technology has been shown to significantly reduce:

- Operative blood loss in colorectal and gynecologic surgery¹⁴⁻¹⁷
- Procedure time in colorectal and gynecologic surgery^{11, 17}

A close-up photograph of the LigaSure Maryland 5mm-37cm device, showing the handle and the integrated cutter.

COVIDIEN LigaSure Maryland 5mm-37cm

Multiple lengths provide standardization across procedures²

- 23 cm provides access in deep and confined spaces¹
- 44 cm provides additional reach²

WIDE JAW APERTURE
13 mm

JAW LENGTH
20 mm

SHAFT LENGTH
23 cm, 37 cm, 44 cm

SHAFT ROTATION
350 Degrees

CUT LENGTH
18 mm

ACTIVATION METHOD
Purple Button

ENERGIZED BY
ForceTriad™ energy platform
(software version 3.60 and higher)

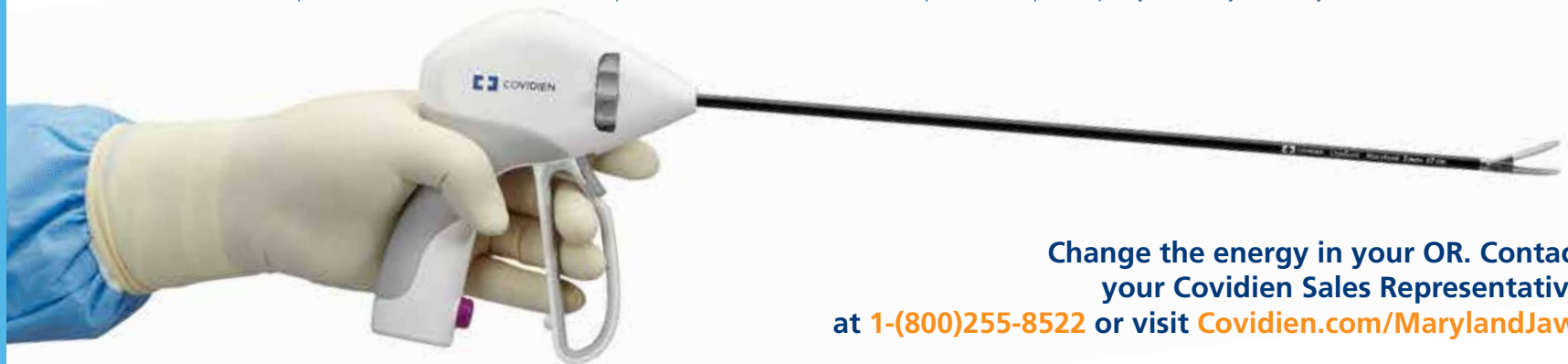
Ordering Information

Catalog Number	Quantity Per Package	Product Description
LF1723	6 each	LigaSure™ Maryland Device – 23 cm
LF1737	6 each	LigaSure™ Maryland Device – 37 cm
LF1744	6 each	LigaSure™ Maryland Device – 44 cm

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 2. LigaSure™ Maryland device IFU
 3. Compared to standard length laparoscopic devices

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