

PERICARDIAL REPAIR TODAY IMPROVING REOPERATION TOMORROW



One in three congenital heart patients will require a reoperation.¹

Repair with GORE® PRECLUDE® Pericardial Membrane to minimize tissue attachment following congenital heart procedures.^{2, 4}

Minimize membrane tissue attachment to help increase patient safety by:

REDUCING RE-OP RISK

related to cardiac injury
and bleeding²

REDUCING RE-OP TIME

vs. not using a
pericardial substitute³

SIMPLIFYING RE-OP

by creating a clear plane
of dissection^{2, 4}

Selected literature conclusion

GORE® PRECLUDE® Pericardial Membrane is safe and effective in helping to prevent cardiac injury during re-sternotomy.²

Together, improving life



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