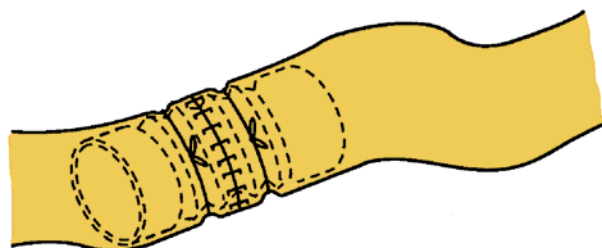
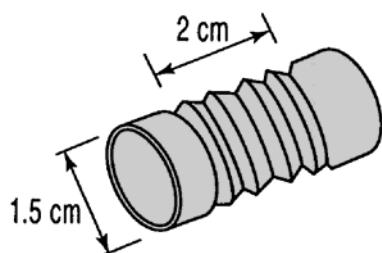




Biocompatible stent for Repair of Digestive or Urinary Tracts



DESCRIPTION

This technology is useful in the surgical repair of digestive or urinary tracts through anastomosis. Anastomosis is the reconnection of two ends of digestive or urinary tract when a piece has been cut out due to injury or illness. The device depicted provides additional structural support during the healing process and will dissolve over time so no removal is necessary.

KEY ASPECTS

- This device is flexible
- This device is composed of a biocompatible material that will dissolve over time (polyglycolic acid)
- Useful in laparoscopic surgeries
- Enables organ function to more quickly return to normal and therefore provides for shorter patient recovery times

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

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Visceral Anastomotic Device and Method of Using Same	6,926,724	8/9/2005

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