Need a big reason to *switch* to the new **GYNECARE VERSAPoint™ II Bipolar Electrosurgery System?**

**How about three…**

- Safe bipolar technology\(^{1-3}\)
- Enlarged 4.0 mm resection loop\(^1\)
- Improved generator\(^4\)
Confidence from the power you need and the safety you want

- Hysteroscopic resection in saline has an improved safety profile compared with resection in a nonelectrolyte solution (glycine 1.5%) due to the reduced risk of hyponatremia.
- Hyponatremia is a potentially serious complication that may demand monitoring and treatment.
- The American Association of Gynecological Laparoscopists established the following guidelines to limit the risk of excessive intravasation:

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<th>Level of fluid intravasation</th>
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<td>750 mL (any solution)</td>
<td>Excessive intravasation impending; plan for conclusion of case</td>
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<td>1500 mL (nonelectrolyte solution)</td>
<td>Bring case to conclusion, assess electrolytes, begin further diagnostic and therapeutic intervention as needed</td>
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<td>2500 mL (normal saline)</td>
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Larger loop—faster resection

- The 4.0 mm bipolar loop for GYNECARE VERSAPORT™ II Resectoscope and GYNECARE VERSAPORT™II Electrodes offers faster removal of pathologies and resection of the endometrium. - 77% more tissue removed in cut mode vs the 2.5 mm loop.

Larger loop—fewer gas bubbles

- The 4.0 mm loop for GYNECARE VERSAPORT™ II Resectoscope and GYNECARE VERSAPORT™II Electrodes generated 56% fewer gas bubbles vs the 2.5 mm loop.
ESSENTIAL PRODUCT INFORMATION

INDICATIONS:
The GYNECARE VERSAPOINT™ System Bipolar Electrodes are indicated for use in tissue cutting, removal, and desiccation as required or encountered in gynecologic hysteroscopic electrosurgical procedures for the treatment of intrauterine myomas, polyps, adhesions, and septa and benign conditions requiring endometrial ablation.

• Removal of submucous fibroids
• Removal of polyps
• Transection of intrauterine adhesions
• Transection of intrauterine septa
• Endometrial ablation

CONTRAINDICATIONS:
The GYNECARE VERSAPOINT™ System Bipolar Electrodes are contraindicated:

• Where hysteroscopic bipolar electrosurgical procedures in normal saline solution are contraindicated
• In any non-hysteroscopic surgical procedure and in procedures where normal saline solution is not used as an irrigation and distension medium
• In patients with the following conditions: acute cervicitis, pregnancy, cervical or uterine malignancy, acute pelvic inflammatory disease, and unaddressed adnexal pathology
• For use in tubal sterilization procedures

For complete product details, see Instructions for Use.

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