# **About Urinary Incontinence**

## Who is affected by urinary incontinence?

It is estimated that more than five million men in the United States are affected by this potentially distressing condition. Urinary Incontinence is a symptom of involuntary loss of urine and is usually more common in older men. However, it is treatable and often curable at any age. Urinary incontinence can be a short-term or long-term condition.

### What causes urinary incontinence in men?

The causes for urinary incontinence differ. Various prostate conditions can cause bladder weakness. In most cases, urinary incontinence occurs due to radical prostatectomy. Different neurogenic or anatomical conditions may also lead to incontinence.

#### Can it be treated?

This condition is easily treatable and often curable. Slings are widely used to treat male incontinence.

Urethral support is achieved through sub-urethral sling placement.

#### How can I benefit from the Male Remeex system?

The Male Remeex System is an effective choice of treatment, because it offers the possibility of sling adjustability troughout a patient's lifetime. The readjustment feature adds a valuable solution to recurring symptoms.

Consult your doctor about the benefits of the Male Remeex Adjustable System.

# REMEEX MALE

The Lifetime Readjustable

Solution for Male Incontinence



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(\*) US Federal Law restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a physician.

Prior to the intervention, visit the FDA Public Health Notification link: www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/Safety/AlertsandNotices/PublicHealthNotifications/ucm061976.htm

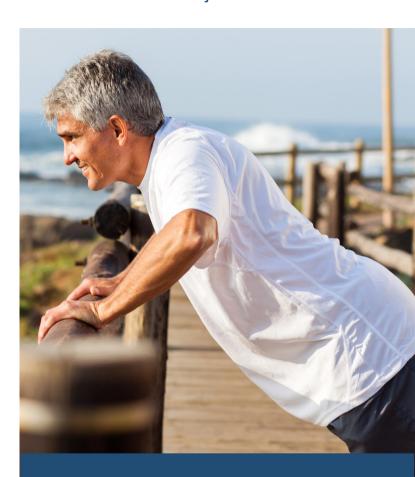
Ask your doctor if you can benefit of these pelvic floor treatment option.

If you are pregnant or you know about your allergy/sensitivity to polypropylene mesh, do not undergo this surgery. You should consult with your physician if you are planning future pregnancies.

The sling to be implanted is a permanent implant, and some potential complications associated with surgical procedures present risks and may require additional surgery that may or may not correct the complications. Some potential complications include, among others: perforations of vessels/nerves/bladder/urethra/colon/bowel and other surrounding structures, pain, irritation, discomfort, foreign body reaction, hematoma, infection, mesh erosion/extrusion/migration, fistula formation/inflammation, pain during intercourse (dyspareunia), adhesions, fecal incontinence, constipation, urinary incontinence/retention/obstruction, de novo urgency urinary incontinence, de novo prolapse, nerve damage, mesh shortening.

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# Regain Control with...



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# The sling is adjusted under the urethra until the patient becomes continent.

All surgical procedures present some risks. Some complications associated with the procedure include: nerve damage or injury to blood vessels or surrounding structures, temporary bleeding and/or hematoma, fistula formation, difficulty urinating, pain, discomfort, scarring, bladder and bowel injury. Although mesh erosion and extrusion are not commonly associated to male SUI slings, both could still occur. Voiding dysfunction and/or de novo urgency could appear after the surgery.

All risk factors must be given a consideration. Only after a complete physical examination and patient consultation, the multi-disciplinary team of physicians, together with patient consent, can it be determined if you are a candidate for SUI surgery.

The occurrence of adverse reactions may require revisions and/or realizations of subsequent treatments which may include additional surgery.

If you have been diagnosed with SUI resulting from intrinsic sphincter deficiency (most commonly following prostate surgery) Male Remeex System may be the right treatment for you. As with any surgery of this kind, this procedure should not be performed on children, patients that pose an unacceptable surgical risk as determined by the physician, and include comorbidities that may compromise tissue healing.



# Why choose Remeex Male?

- \* Remeex Male will allow your doctor to make adjustments whenever necessary, providing lifetime continence.
- \* Sling tension adjustments are tailored to your condition. They are performed as a response to your direct feedback and participation, in a simple, out-patient procedure.

# You're not alone. Here's what patients are saying...

# Before the intervention:

Shortly after undergoing a prostatectomy, I began suffering from incontinence. Life was miserable for me, I always leaking, my pants were always wet...

## After the intervention:

- I was really surprised at the outcome...
- I don't worry anymore...

Adaptable to each particular case Lifetime readjustability



# About NEOMEDIC INTERNATIONAL

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