



PRS-1050
(EXTENDER)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

The EXTENDER is intended for use with the traxi (PRS-1030) on patients with BMIs generally greater than 50.

Notice the “HOLD HERE” tabs. Use these areas to manipulate the device during application. As with all Traxi retractors, no adhesive will be exposed at these locations when the backing is removed correctly. Tabs A and B are to be removed sequentially. The top part of the device is to be placed on the sternum with the “MIDLINE” arrow pointing toward the patient’s head.

Applying the Retractor:

1. Apply the PRS-1030 to the panniculus (see PRS-1030 instructions for use).
2. Use tab “A” of the PRS-1050 to remove the release liner and apply panel “A” to the sternum between the breasts near the sternal notch midline.
3. Use “B” tabs to remove the “B” panel, exposing the adhesive.
4. Push the panniculus cephalad toward the sternum, creating optimal retraction of the panniculus.
5. While holding the panniculus in optimal retraction, apply panel B of the PRS-1050 to the PRS-1030, thus creating a new anchor point in support of the optimal panniculus retraction, and then drape as usual.

Warnings and Precautions:

- The EXTENDER is designed to be used only with the traxi Panniculus Retractor
- Skin conditions should be assessed for integrity before affixing this tape to the dermis
- Before applying to the surface of the skin, the skin must be clean, dry, free of all gels, liquids, grease, creams, etc
- Do not place over the patient’s airways
- Do not place over abrasions, contusions, rashes or any open breaks in the dermis
- Not to be used intra-wound
- Do not leave on patient longer than 24 hours
- Remove slowly while supporting the skin
- Do not cut or modify this device
- Do not re-apply to the patient—single use only
- Discard and dispose of properly after use