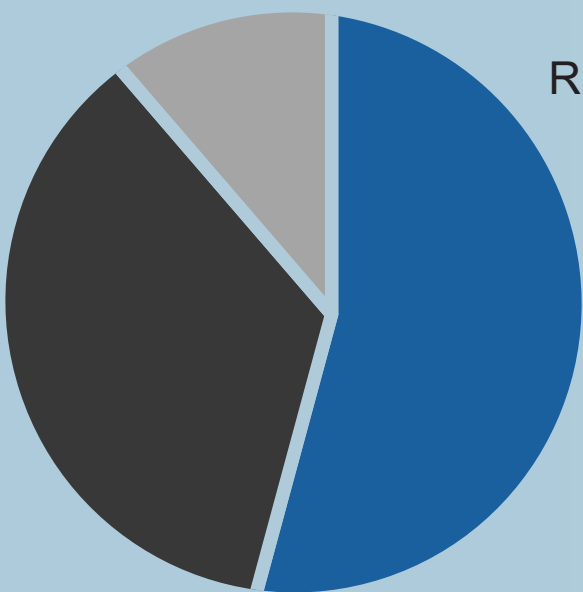


# HERNIA MESH

A recent study reveals significant findings of interest for hernia mesh patients.

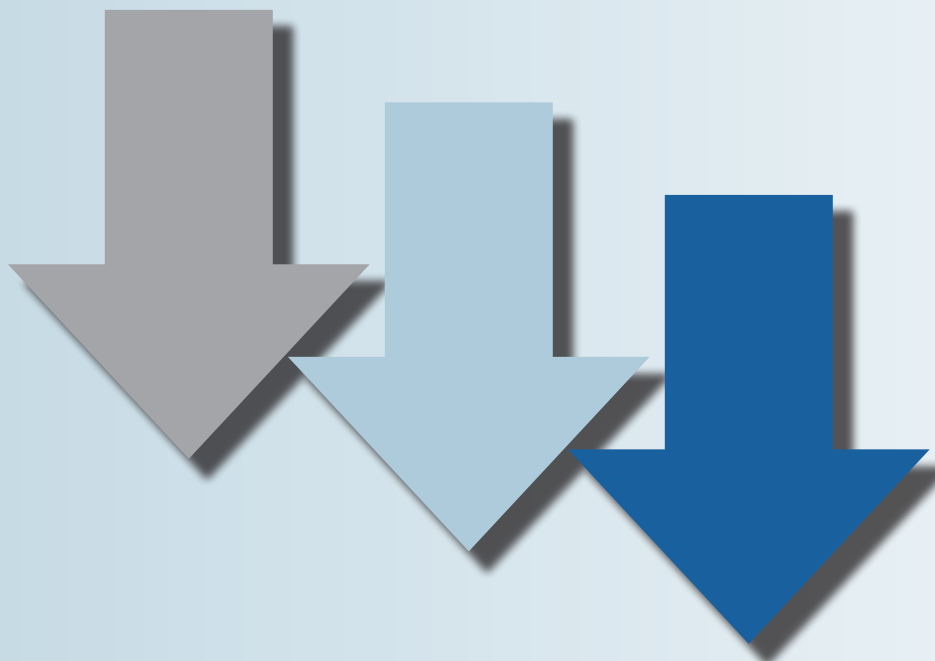


**52.4%** OF PATIENTS RECEIVED LAPAROSCOPIC MESH REPAIR

**34.5%** OF PATIENTS RECEIVED OPEN MESH REPAIR

**11.3%** OF PATIENTS RECEIVED NONMESH REPAIR

**Justice** POWERED BY  
**1-800-LAW-FIRM**

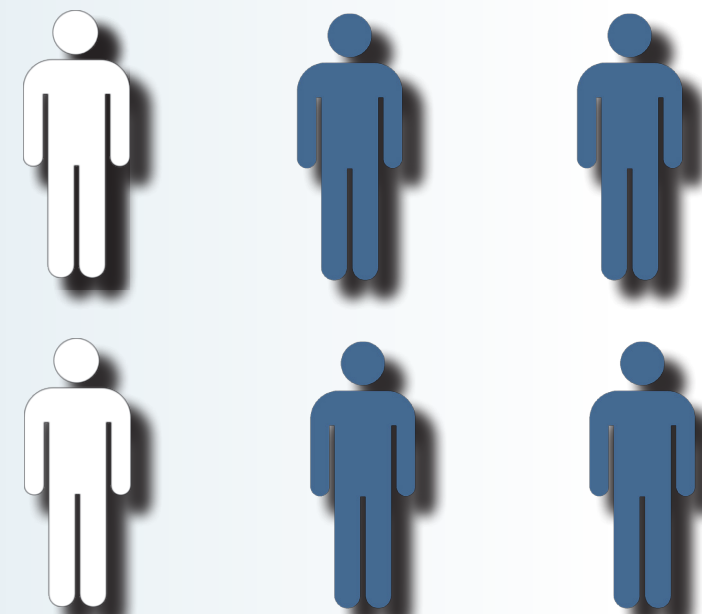


HERNIA RECURRENCE  
**DECREASED**  
FROM 17% TO 12%

## COMPLICATIONS

- ▶ NON-HEALING WOUNDS
- ▶ PAIN
- ▶ FISTULAS (ORGANS FUSED TOGETHER)
- ▶ INFECTIONS
- ▶ FLUID BUILDUP

**ONE THIRD**  
OF PATIENTS  
REQUIRED REVISION  
SURGERY OVER A 5  
YEAR PERIOD



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