

LITIGATION INSIGHT: *PHYSIOMESH - HERNIA REPAIR DEVICE*



WHAT IS PHYSIOMESH AND WHY IS IT USED?

Physiomesb is a type of hernia mesh implant. It is made of a sterile and flexible composite mesh.

Physiomesb was designed to repair ventral hernias (incisional hernia) and other fascial inadequacies.

These type of hernias occur when fatty tissue or internal organs migrate through a weak spot at the site of a previous surgical incision. Ventral hernias can develop weeks or even years after surgery. These type of hernias are very common. An estimated 4 million laparotomies are performed in the United States every year. Approximately 2-30% of these surgical procedures produce an incisional hernia.

WHAT IS THE PROBLEM?

Complications experienced by hernia repair patients who received Physiomesb include:

- Hernia recurrence
- Severe pain
- Infection
- Adhesion
- Intestinal blockage
- Mesh migration
- Mesh shrinkage
- Revision surgery

LITIGATION FAQ

• HOW MUCH WILL IT COST?

NOTHING. We represent clients on a contingency basis. We collect a fee if and when the client collects a settlement.

• WILL MY CASE BE PART OF A CLASS ACTION?

NO. We handle each case on an individual basis so that you receive the settlement you deserve.

• HOW MUCH IS MY POTENTIAL SETTLEMENT?

Individual results vary and depend on unique circumstances.

Call us today for free regarding your claim.

• HOW LONG CAN I WAIT TO FILE A LAWSUIT?

As per "statutes of limitations" there are time limits. We recommend contacting us today for a free case evaluation.

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PHYSIOMESH APPROVED WITHOUT PRE-MARKET RESEARCH

Ethicon Inc., a division of Johnson & Johnson, introduced Physiomesh as a hernia repair solution in 2010.

Ethicon made the decision to introduce Physiomesh without the meticulous pre-market research that may have exposed the potential dangers and risks. Ethicon opted to seek FDA approval through the 501(K) exemption process. The 510(k) process permits products that are considered to be low-risk to forego the pre-market research and trials.


WAS PHYSIOMESH USED IN MY HERNIA SURGERY?


If you are not sure if you received Physiomesh to repair your hernia, you should contact your doctor or the surgeon who repaired your hernia.

Your health professionals will be able to give you the specifics regarding the device that was used during your surgical procedure.

IS PHYSIOMESH STILL IN USE?

No, in May 2016, the manufacturer, Ethicon issued a formal withdrawal of its Physiomesh product after an analysis of unpublished information found higher than average recurrence of hernias and an increase in reoperations when Physiomesh was used in the initial surgical procedure.

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WHO IS MOST AT RISK

Incisional hernia repair is one of the most common general surgical operations. Prosthetic mesh is often used to strengthen these repairs.

If you had hernia repair surgery between October 2010 and June 2016, your surgeon may have used Physiomesh to repair your hernia.

EASY STEPS

1. Contact Us 
2. Case Review 
3. Proceed with Litigation 



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