

Sirius Pintuition

The value of soft tissue lesion localization

Value paper (short version)

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The challenge of breast cancer

Breast cancer **1st** most common disease in the world after lung cancer^[1].



It's estimated that 1 in 8 women will develop breast cancer at some point in her life^[2].

For smaller tumors and low-grade breast cancers, breast conserving surgery with radiation therapy is the standard of care^[2]. The challenge is to localize the tumors and guide the surgical procedure. Wire-guided localization, the most commonly used technology, requires a strict coordination of radiology and surgery to be combined in one day, which often reduces radiology and operating room efficiency and negatively impacts the patient experience^[3, 4].

Sirius Pintuition[®], a wire-free, radioactivity-free, hassle-free tumor localization system

The Sirius Pintuition marker-based localization system uses a percutaneously implanted seed inserted into the center of the breast lesion.

The Pintuition Seed may remain in place and be used for soft-tissue localization during up to 180 days^[5]. By decoupling radiology and surgery, marker-based localization technologies like the Sirius Pintuition system increase the flexibility of timing and optimizes hospital resource utilization^[6, 7, 8, 9].



Clinical performance of marker-based localization (MBL) technologies and Sirius Pintuition

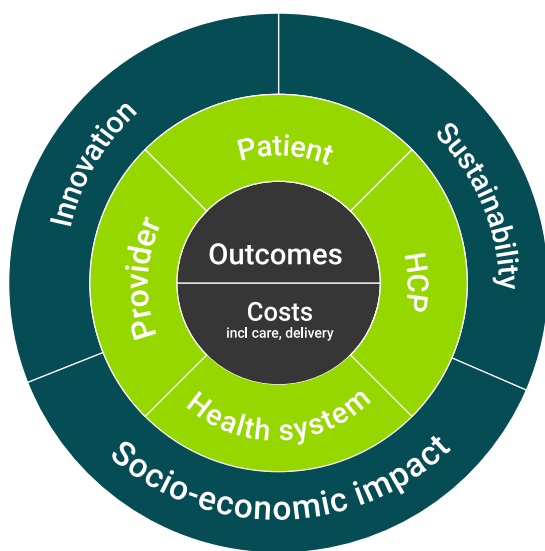
MBL technologies have a good clinical track record, with ~13.6% positive resection margins (residual tumor tissue after resection) vs 14.4% or more for WGL technologies [8]. In early studies with a Sirius MBL technology, an improvement in margin status was found compared to WGL [9].

Sirius Pintuition like all MBL technologies has a favorable safety profile. No device-related serious adverse events have been reported with the system in clinical investigations [9, 10, 11, 12].

Seed migration is negligible and recorded seed retrieval rate is close to 100% [9, 10, 11, 12].

SiriusLink – A value program to optimize your surgical care pathway

Sirius Medical is committed to show value through the Value Based Healthcare Framework [14], which focuses on the value that a particular product, service, solution can create, in terms of improved outcomes for patients, cost of care efficiencies and additional benefits for stakeholders. Sirius Medical has created the SiriusLink service program which provide hospitals support for pathway discovery, pathway enhancement and implementation monitoring of Sirius Pintuition.



- **Outcomes:** Clinical performance and safety profile in the same league as WGL or better [8, 9, 13].
- **Cost of care:** By decoupling radiology and surgery schedules, Sirius Pintuition enables process improvements along the patient pathway [6, 15, 16, 17, 18].
- **Stakeholders' additional benefits:** Surgeons and radiologists express high satisfaction with the Sirius Pintuition system. Patient satisfaction scores are higher for MBL than for WGL [9,10].
- **Broader impact on society:** Technological advances such as Sirius Pintuition are driving the development of further innovations and applications to the benefit of the whole society. The efficiency gains with Sirius Pintuition experienced by users, organisations and patients, frees up time for productive activities across society.


The full white paper will give a more indepth view how Sirius Pintuition can bring value to your hospital within the Value Based Healthcare Framework.

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