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## **New Implant Inserter Aids in Placement of Orbital Implants**

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A new ocular implant inserter to aid in the placement of MEDPOR® Biomaterial Implants for enucleation was introduced by Porex Surgical Inc. at the 2001 annual meeting of the American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery. The implant inserter is made of a smooth material and facilitates deep orbit placement of MEDPOR Implants. The inserter slides through the orbital tissue while protecting the implant from "tissue grab" commonly associated with porous implants.

Jeff Williams, Vice President of Sales and Marketing, Porex Surgical Inc. states "This is of significant benefit for surgeons who do not choose to use a wrap material for their implants." The inserter is designed with a slit side and multiple petals at the posterior opening to effectively place different implant sizes and shapes deep into the orbit. It will be provided sterile in the every package of MEDPOR Biomaterial [enucleation] Implants. Williams further states that "While we're not selling the Inserter as a separate product, it is a significant value-added addition to our implants."

For more information on the MEDPOR Implant Inserter or to request information on other MEDPOR Biomaterial products please contact Porex Surgical at 1-800-521-7321, or by e-mail at [surgical.info@porex.com](mailto:surgical.info@porex.com).

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