

Deep Well Tri-Fold Cover

Adding paired radial incisions to DMEK grafts has been described as a simple method for inducing a triple scroll conformation that facilitates unscrolling.¹⁻²



Mark Hansen MD, Minnesota Eye Consultants

"I like that this technique works **best with younger donor tissue**. It increases my ability to transplant higher endothelial cell counts. In theory, this can prolong the longevity of the graft functioning properly in the recipient. Also, utilizing this technique allows for **easier unfolding** which helps the newer DMEK surgeon reduce surgical times."

David Hardten MD, Minnesota Eye Consultants

"As it is best to keep a deep chamber to allow the tissue to form a tri-scroll, less shallowing of the chamber (squishing the graft) and tapping is required for unscrolling. Thus, **less potential damage** to the endothelium via indirect tissue manipulation and **shorter OR times**."

Joshua Hou MD, University of Minnesota

"With my residents and fellows, we recognize significantly shorter surgical times. I think it allows for a much **faster learning curve** for surgeons transitioning from DSAEK to DMEK, as well."







Experience a novel technique to facilitate learning curve and perform your DMEK

DMEK procedure is increasingly performed and becomes the preferred endothelial keratoplasty among surgeons³. But it remains technically challenging due to the thinness of the graft and its natural tendency to scroll.

To facilitate graft unscrolling and decrease learning curve, Moria with the collaboration of the Lions Gift of Sight eye bank, developed the Deep Well Tri-Fold Cover #17215RXXX.





The trifold orientation is easily created due to the relaxing incisions 2 .

This device is used in combination with the receptacle of the Deep Well Guarded Punch as mentioned below:

Designation	Sizing diameter	References
Step 1. For peripheral scoring		
Deep Well Guarded Punch D9.50 mm	9.50 mm	17212D950
Deep Well Guarded Punch D10.00 mm	10.00 mm	17212D1000
Deep Well Guarded Cover D9.50 mm	9.50 mm	17213D950
Deep Well Guarded Cover D10.00 mm	10.00 mm	17213D1000
Ste	p 2. For final graft sizing	
Deep Well Guarded Punch D7.50 mm	7.50 mm	17212D750
Deep Well Guarded Punch D7.75 mm	7.75 mm	17212D775
Deep Well Guarded Punch D8.00 mm	8.00 mm	17212D800
Deep Well Guarded Punch D8.25 mm	8.25 mm	17212D825
Deep Well Guarded Punch D8.50 mm	8.50 mm	17212D850
Deep Well Guarded Cover D7.50 mm	7.50 mm	17213D750
Deep Well Guarded Cover D7.75 mm	7.75 mm	17213D775
Deep Well Guarded Cover D8.00 mm	8.00 mm	17213D800
S	tep 3. For Tri scrolling	
Deep Well Tri-Fold Cover R7.50 mm	7.50 mm	17215R750
Deep Well Tri-Fold Cover R7.75 mm	7.75 mm	17215R775
Deep Well Tri-Fold Cover R8.00 mm	8.00 mm	17215R800

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