



innerVue™
DIAGNOSTIC SCOPE SYSTEM

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Cutting edge technology... in one integrated unit.

The InnerVue™ Diagnostic Scope System is a completely integrated unit, incorporating everything needed to perform a procedure. The user-friendly design features a fully mobile tower with adjustable LCD display, storage space and a sliding work tray. This cutting-edge technology was developed in conjunction with NASA, and was awarded the prestigious Space Technology Hall of Fame Medal.

Intelligent Imaging Platform

The proprietary technology in the InnerVue™ Diagnostic Scope System revolutionizes image quality from a small diameter arthroscope. The intelligent imaging platform transforms once hazy images into crystal clear digital video, all in real time.

Procedure CD

Video, audio and still images, as well as patient information from each procedure, can be stored on a CD provided with each scope. Additional copies of the procedure CD can be recorded for the patient to take home.



Photo Printer

Still images of the procedure may be captured and printed for the medical record or for the patient to take home.





Diagnostic Scope Hand Piece

The InnerVue™ Diagnostic Scope incorporates a camera and a light source into the ergonomic hand piece. Only one cable connects the hand piece to the main unit, eliminating separate camera and light cords. Two buttons allow still image capture or video recording.



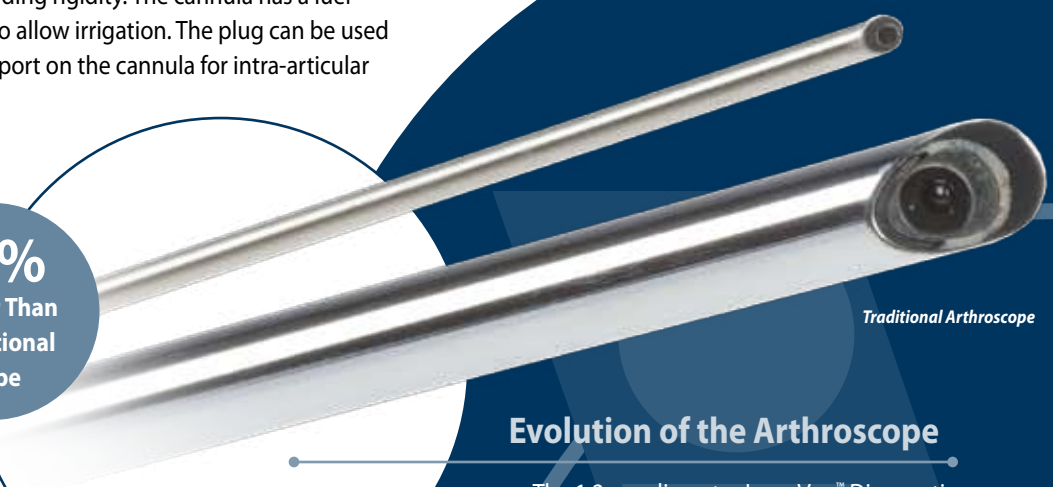
1.2mm Disposable Scope

The disposable fiber optic scope is approximately the size of an 18 gauge needle and is sterile packaged for single use. The scope simply snaps onto the hand piece and features an integrated sterile hand piece drape.

Disposable Cannula Kit

The disposable cannula kit has an outside diameter of 1.9mm and includes a sterile, single use cannula, trocar, obturator and plug. The cannula kit components are designed with a molded plastic body and stainless steel sheath providing rigidity. The cannula has a luer port on its body to allow irrigation. The plug can be used to seal the scope port on the cannula for intra-articular injection.

93%
Smaller Than
a Traditional
Scope



InnerVue™ Diagnostic Scope

Traditional Arthroscope

Evolution of the Arthroscope

The 1.2mm diameter InnerVue™ Diagnostic Scope is approximately 93% smaller than the traditional 4.5mm glass rod. Its fiber optic design tolerates flexion and results in minimal tissue trauma.



The InnerVue™ Diagnostic Scope System is an exciting technological breakthrough designed for use in a diagnostic environment (such as an office or outpatient service) to evaluate conditions within the joint. This scope is being used in joints such as the knee, shoulder, wrist, elbow, ankle and other small joints.

Physician Benefits

The InnerVue™ Diagnostic Scope System is designed to allow physicians to perform Diagnosticscope™ medical imaging and diagnosing services to bring a “value added” element to their practices. This is a technology that will truly set the physician apart from others in the field.

Micro-Invasive

- The disposable InnerVue™ Diagnostic Scope has an outside diameter of 1.2mm (~18 gauge needle)
- A single portal with a small puncture wound is required for the procedure.

Cutting Edge Technology

- NASA technology-based, intelligent all-digital imaging platform
- Direct, enhanced visualization of pathology
- Video and audio capture and playback

Active Diagnostic Test in the Hands of the Physician

- Provides immediate intraarticular visualization
- Used in place of or in conjunction with MRI

Plan Course of Action During Patient’s consultation

- Patient is able to obtain a more accurate diagnosis during initial visit (instead of possible misinterpretation of MRI)
- Reduces the need for second opinions
- Typically no need for other diagnostics



Potential Patient Benefits

- Only local anesthetic is required
- Patients’ confidence in physician increases
- Surgeon and patient are able to directly visualize the joint together and discuss possible treatments
- Patient can be provided with video and photo CD-ROM to share information obtained during Diagnosticscope™ services with family and friends
- Use of pictures or models to confirm and understand what is seen
- Convenient—patient does not need to go to an off-site location for an additional diagnostic procedure

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