The SurgiCount Promise

SurgiCount Safety-Sponge System
Risk-Sharing and Indemnification Program
Despite efforts by hospitals nationwide, retained surgical items (RSIs) continue to be the #1 reported surgical never event. Nearly 70% of all RSIs are retained surgical sponges, however these types of adverse events — leaving sponges behind in patients — are preventable. With the adoption of our SurgiCount Safety-Sponge System, our current comprehensive list of SurgiCount customers have all been able to achieve the same amazing outcome: zero reported retained surgical sponges!

Protect your reimbursement, quality rankings and patient outcomes. Let SurgiCount technology verify removal of each individually-barcoded sponge; heightening your safety efforts and providing auditable reports to back it up.

We’re confident our SurgiCount Safety-Sponge System can help protect your patients, your staff and your bottom line — and we hope you’ll take advantage of this risk sharing and indemnification program.

Stryker promises to:
- Shift product cost risk from you
- Review any retained surgical sponge event submission and notify you of the outcome
- Provide up to $5 million in product liability indemnification
- Rebate you the incremental cost of implementing the SurgiCount Safety-Sponge System over your previous sponge spend (three year maximum)

Customer promises to:
- Install and use the SurgiCount Safety-Sponge System on every procedure where x-ray detectable sponges are utilized and hospital policy requires sponge counts be performed
- Use Stryker SurgiCount and Safe-T Lap sponges in 100% of procedures
- Install SurgiCount360 Software with e-mail alerts turned on and monitored
- Submit your SurgiCount360 patient report to Stryker for validation

To learn more about the SurgiCount Safety-Sponge System, call 800 253 3210 or visit www.strykersurgicount.com

3. See Indemnification Program Terms and Conditions for specific requirements.