

# It's the Biodegradable stent/



## IN-SERVICE COMPONENT IDENTIFICATION



## STENT LOADING

<p><b>Step 1</b></p> <p>Ensure you have a pair of scissors.</p>	<p><b>Step 2</b></p> <p>Remove white retaining clip.</p>	<p><b>Step 3</b></p> <p>Carefully pull back the blue &amp; white hub in the direction of the arrow to release the splittable olive at the distal end of the delivery system. Take care to ensure the olive falls safely onto the trolley.</p>	<p><b>Step 4</b></p> <p>Expose yellow hub. Place white retaining clip into the yellow hub groove.</p>
<p><b>Step 5</b></p> <p>Pass loading thread through blue end of compression tool.</p>	<p><b>Step 6</b></p> <p>Pull stent through compression tool with thread.</p>	<p><b>Step 7</b></p> <p>Ensure stent is positioned fractionally inside compression tool sheath.</p>	<p><b>Step 8</b></p> <p>Use scissors to cut one thread and pull to remove completely.</p>
<p><b>Step 9</b></p> <p>Remove spacer clip. Push the blue and yellow sections together to fully close the gap.</p>	<p><b>Step 10</b></p> <p>Screw blue end cap fully into compression tool.</p>	<p><b>Step 11</b></p> <p>Carefully feed yellow tip of delivery system through centre of the stent until both sheaths meet at the retaining clip.</p>	<p><b>Step 12</b></p> <p>Remove the white retaining clip and carefully pass compression tool sheath over delivery system sheath until significant resistance is felt.</p>
<p><b>Step 13</b></p> <p>Proximal end of stent should be positioned adjacent to internal yellow hub.</p>	<p><b>Step 14</b></p> <p>Stent should be positioned in the delivery system sheath as shown.</p>	<p><b>Step 15</b></p> <p>Replace splittable olive in end of sheath. Reset to starting position and replace white retaining clip.</p>	<p><b>Step 16</b></p> <p>Remove the yellow guidewire stiffener. The stent is now ready to deploy.</p>



**Tip!** When initial resistance is felt during loading, utilise a second push ensuring spring compression is felt from the blue end cap. This ensures maximum insertion of the stent into the delivery system sheath.

Please see the following link for full video loading instructions.  
[www.youtube.com/watch?v=J9tu5fTZ0c8](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J9tu5fTZ0c8)



### Additional information?

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