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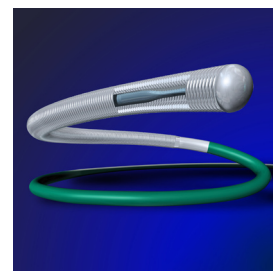


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Vascular Solutions Introduces New Muskie™ 0.014" Guidewires

MINNEAPOLIS, Minnesota -- Vascular Solutions, Inc. recently launched its new Muskie line of 0.014" guidewires. Muskie guidewires offer a range of distal tip stiffness that allow physicians to select an appropriate guidewire for crossing highly stenosed lesions.



Muskie guidewires have a one piece core construction that is designed to transfer torque from the proximal portion of the guidewire to the distal tip, which allows precise control. The Muskie guidewires are available in lengths of 195cm or 300cm with five options for tip stiffness – 3g, 4.5g, 6g, 9g, and 12g- providing physicians with multiple options for accessing challenging lesions. The Muskie line of guidewires are intended for use in the coronary or peripheral vasculature, and are currently available for sale in the US.

Vascular Solutions, Inc. is a leading medical device company that delivers proprietary clinical solutions for diagnosing and treating vascular conditions. The company's rapidly growing product line consists of innovative devices across established and emerging areas of coronary and peripheral vascular medicine. For more information, visit www.vascularsolutions.com.