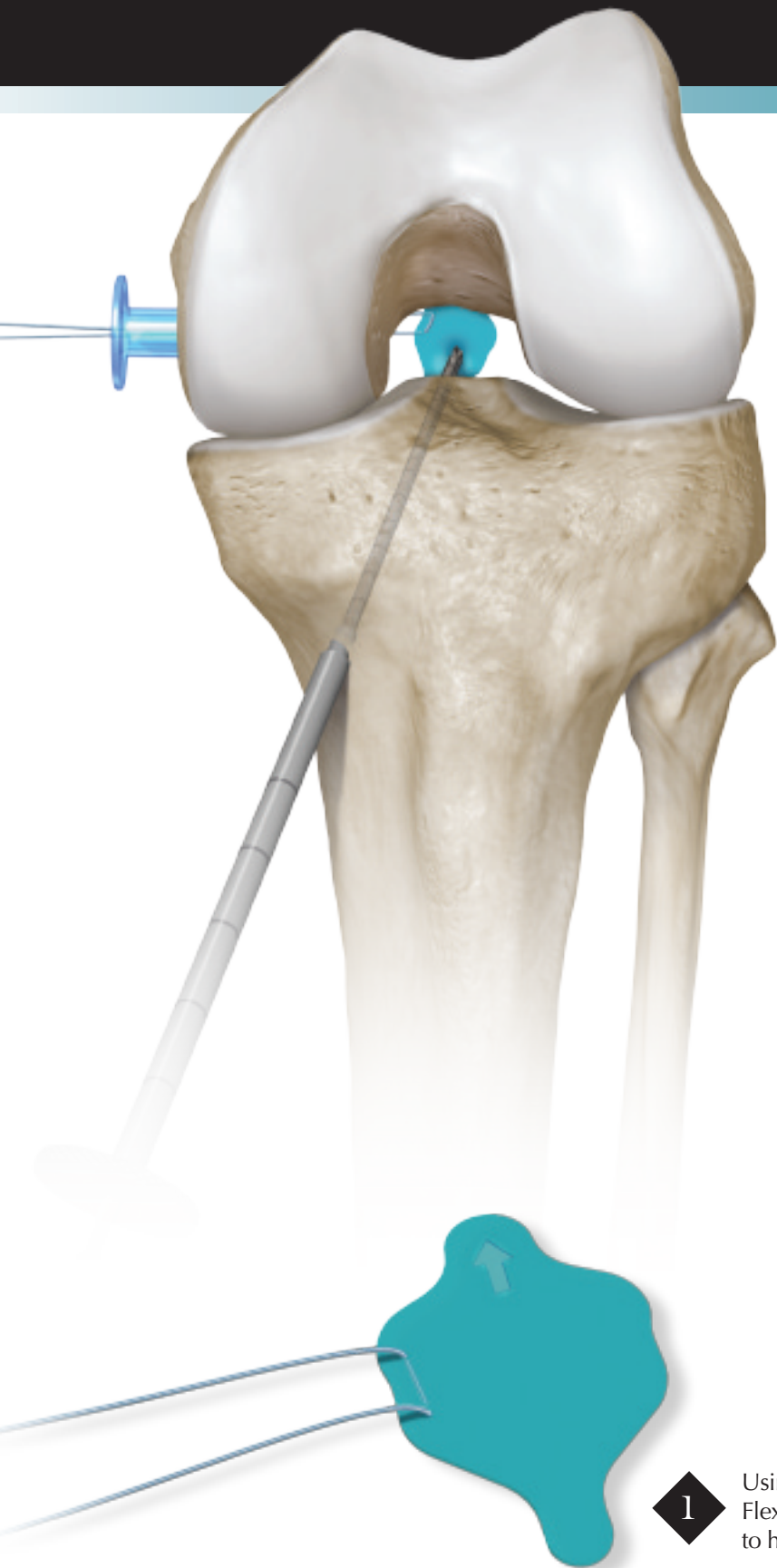


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Flexible Arthroscopy Retractor

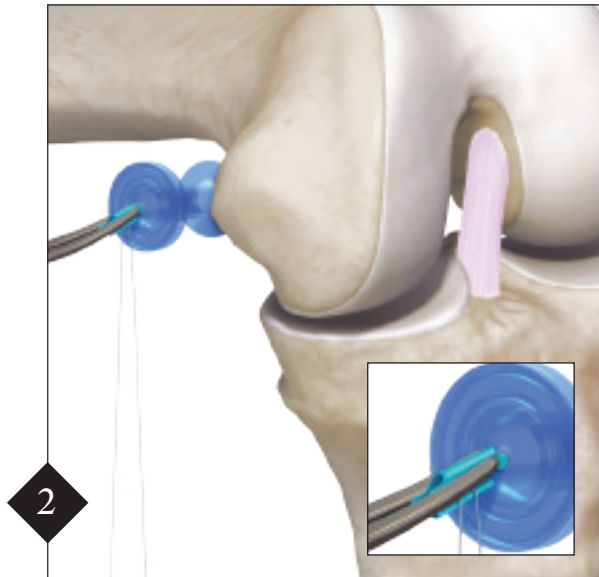


The Flexible Arthroscopy Retractor is made of tear-resistant polyurethane and has been designed to retract soft tissue and improve visualization in the posterior aspect of the knee during arthroscopic procedures. Retraction of soft tissue and clear visualization of the posterior tibial plateau is necessary in PCL procedures and can be beneficial for loose body removal, meniscal root avulsion and popliteal cyst debridement.

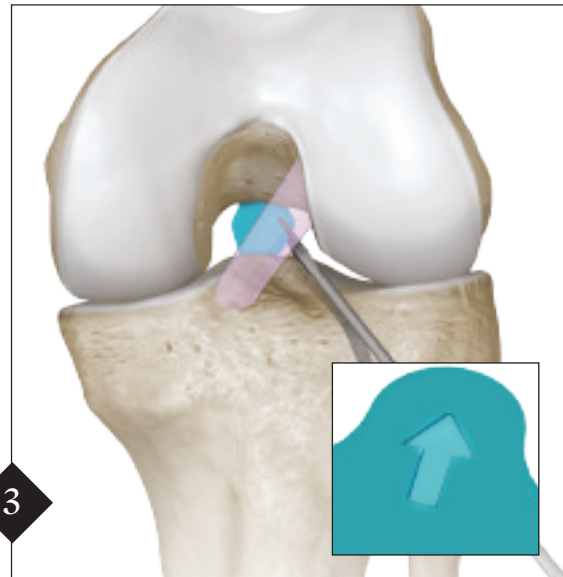


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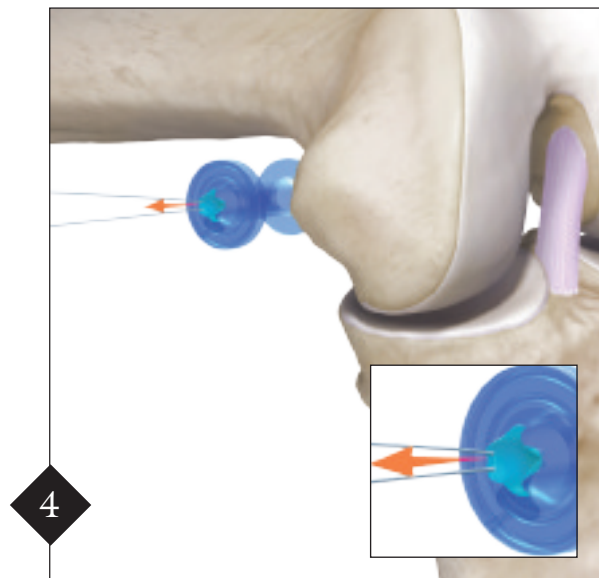
Using a curved needle, place a #2 FiberWire into the side of the Flexible Arthroscopy Retractor prior to insertion. This can be used to help place the FAR correctly, as well as remove it.



2 Through a PassPort Button Cannula™ placed in the posteromedial portal, use a hemostat to reduce the size of the FAR and push it into the knee.



3 The FAR can be guided, arthroscopically, into place using graspers or a probe. The arrow should be facing up (proximal) and the distal portion of the retractor should sit down below the tibial plateau. Either side of the polyurethane (smooth or brushed) can face into the joint.



4 To remove the FAR, pull on the sutures outside the knee. The FAR should exit the joint easily. If there is excessive resistance, stop pulling and readjust the angle of the FAR inside the knee to make for easy removal.

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