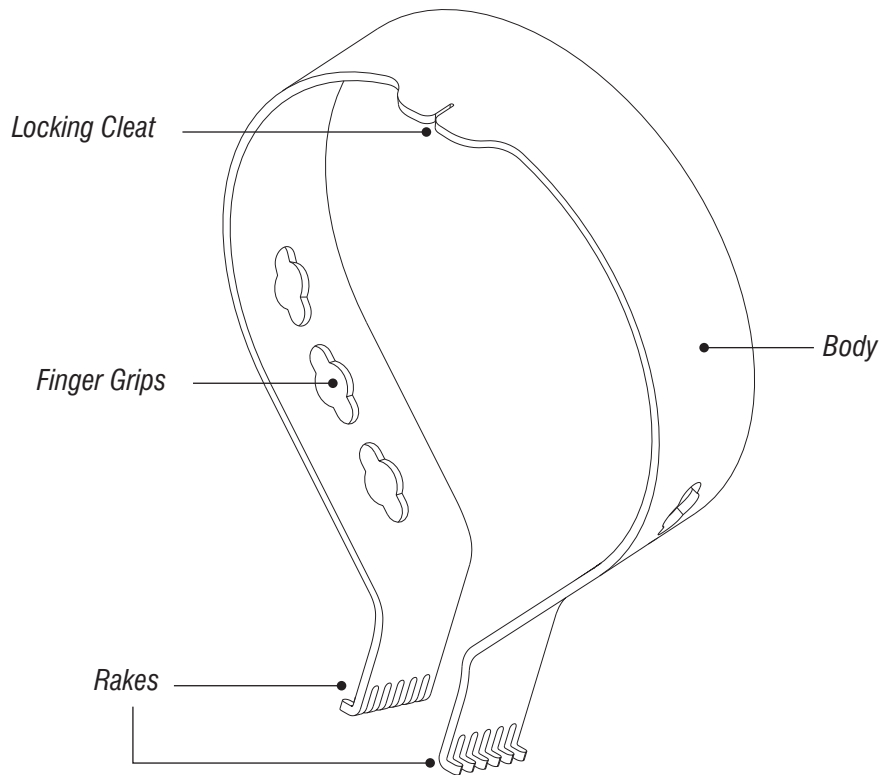


# PalmSpring™

## Instructions for Use

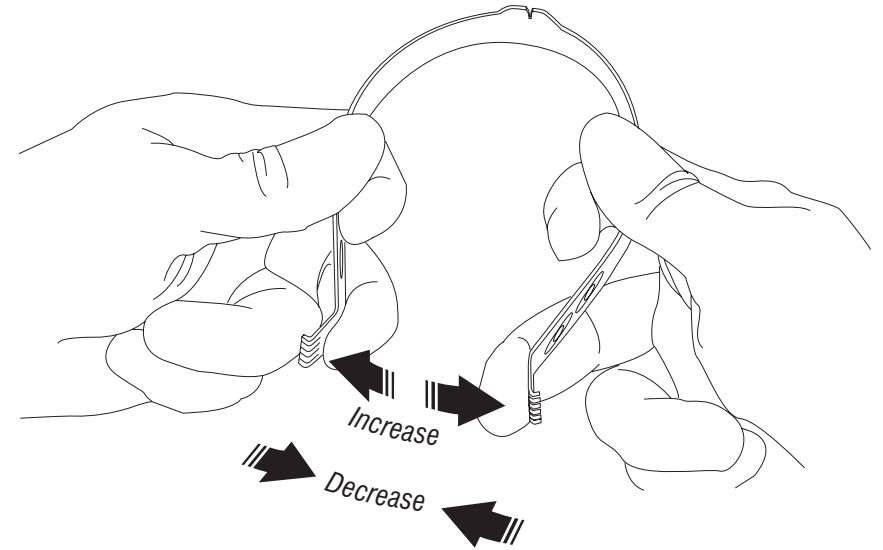


### INDICATIONS FOR USE:

PalmSpring™ is a self-retaining deep tissue retractor for small palmer incisions, which creates a 2 cm x 2 cm surgical aperture from a 2 cm incision.

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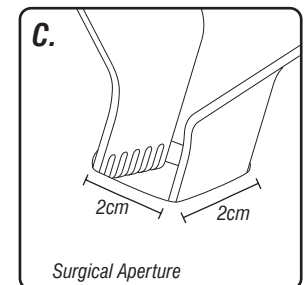
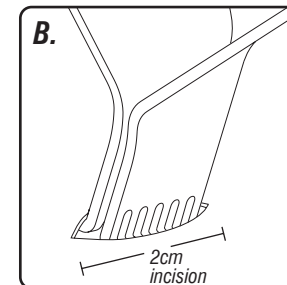
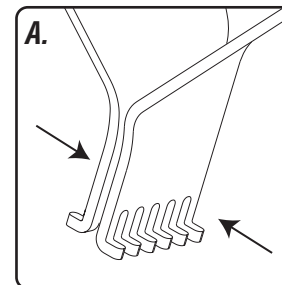
**Adjusting Tension:** Adjust the retractive force by bending the rakes inward or outward.



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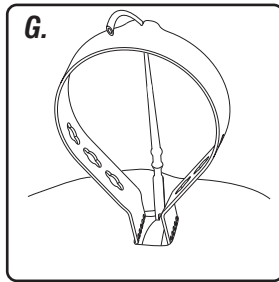
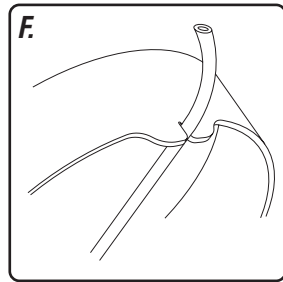
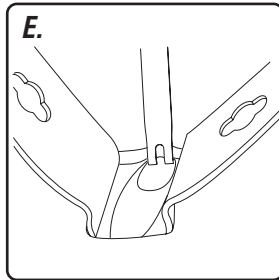
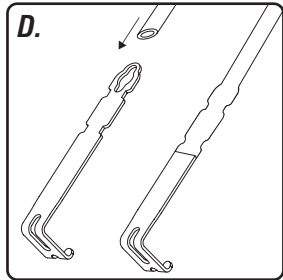
### Step 1 - Installing the PalmSpring™

- Compress the body until rakes touch. (Figure A)
- Insert PalmSpring™ into incision. (Figure B)
- Release grip. (Figure C)



## Step 2 - Adding a Proximal Fat Pad Lifter

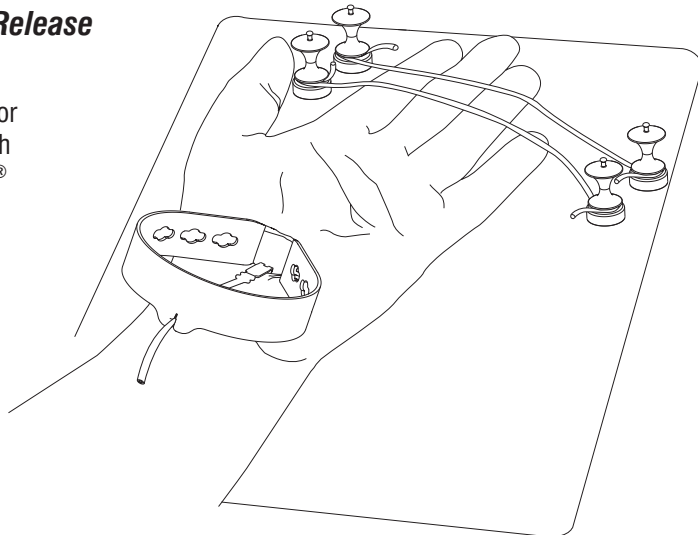
- Fasten CHES<sup>®</sup> elastomer to retractor. (Figure D)
- Position retractor. (Figure E)
- Secure elastomer to the cleat. (Figure F)



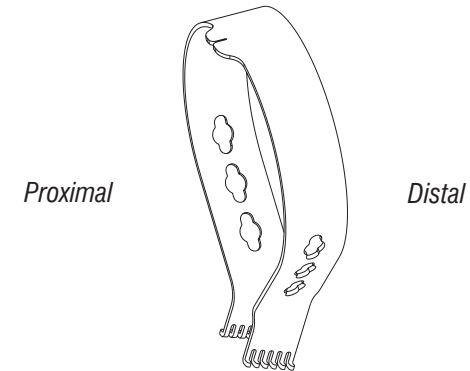
## Procedure Configuration

### Carpal Tunnel Release

The PalmSpring<sup>™</sup> can be used alone or in combination with the Canica CHES<sup>®</sup> Surgery System.



## Orientation



## Sterilization and Cleaning

**NOTE:** All reusable components are supplied in a non-sterile condition. The CHES<sup>®</sup> Elastomer is sold separately and supplied sterile, for single use only.

### Sterilization:

The following sterilization procedure should be followed prior to use:

Process:	Prevacuum Steam Autoclave
Temperature:	270 °F (132 °C)
Time:	4 minutes

### Cleaning:

After use, all reusable components should be cleaned manually with soap and water or by ultrasonic methods.

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