ASA Surgical Technique

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Technique

1. For any all-suture anchor with needles, do not remove the needles from the protective packaging until the anchor has been fully inserted.
2. Remove PC tube from inserter, ensuring anchor sock stays loaded on the inserter. Attach inserter to the Quick Connect Handle (TIGO-02 or TIGO-34, per preference).
3. Wrap suture limbs around O-ring of the quick connect handle to secure.
4. Place drill guide (TIGO-09, TM-ASAT009, or TM-ASAT010) on desired location.
    a. For single loaded all-suture anchor, drill a 1.6 mm pilot hole
5. Optional for the double or triple loaded all-suture anchor: Drill or awl a pilot hole using corresponding size through the drill guide.
    a. Note: It is recommended to create a pilot hole using a drill when the bone density exceeds 40 pcf, or as determined necessary by the surgeon
6. Slide the inserter, with anchor, down the drill guide.
7. Mallet back of quick connect handle to insert the anchor until positive stop or until the laser line is buried, whichever comes first. Do not force the anchor or inserter any further.
8. Unwrap sutures from where they are secured.
9. Remove the inserter about 5 mm then pull all suture limbs at once, along the axis of the inserter, using the inserter as a backstop to initiate anchor deployment.
10. Remove inserter and drill guide, and, once again, pull all suture limbs in the same axis of insertion to fully deploy the anchor.
11. Slide sutures if needed to tie a knot.

For information regarding the indications, contraindications, warnings, precautions, sterilization, cleaning, and disinfection please see the instructions for use at www.tigonmedical.com/IFU.