



Vaxcel® Implantable Ports with PASV® Valve Technology

Port catheter systems are implanted in more than 300,000 patients annually in the U.S. to provide a means for long-term delivery of fluids and medications including chemotherapy. Vaxcel Implantable Ports with PASV Valve Technology are an option for clinicians looking for demonstrated results in clinical and economic outcomes.

PASV Valve Technology consists of a proximally located (between the port body and catheter), direction-specific valve that is designed to resist backflow and maintain patency between uses. It is designed to close after infusion or disconnection, open for sampling and remain closed during normal pressure fluctuations.

Ports with PASV Valve Technology have shown significant reductions in inadequate blood draws and occlusions in clinical studies. Savings in port maintenance and access time offset acquisition costs, resulting in significant net savings compared to non-valved ports.

Vaxcel Implantable Ports with PASV Technology have a twist-on locking collar designed to reduce detachment risk and promote secure catheter attachment. They also feature an enhanced target area: 78 percent larger than a conventional standard port and 24 percent larger than a conventional mini port. Their low-profile design is compact with excellent cosmetic appeal.

The Vaxcel Implantable Ports with PASV Valve Technology are available in the U.S., Canada and Europe. Contact Navilyst Medical for availability in other countries.

About Navilyst Medical

Navilyst Medical, headquartered in Marlborough, MA, was formed in February 2008 from Boston Scientific's Fluid Management and Vascular Access business units. Its breakthrough devices, including the PASV® Valve Technology, expanded line of Xcela® PICCs and world-leading NAMIC® Fluid Management products, help hospitals to achieve safe, favorable outcomes for patients. The Company distributes its products worldwide and has its lead U.S. manufacturing facility in Glens Falls, NY. The name Navilyst combines the *navi-* of *navigation* and the *-lyst* of *catalyst*, encompassing how a leading medical technology enterprise drives industry-changing innovation. For more information, please visit: www.navilystmedical.com.

-30-

CONTACT: Kerri Connors, Navilyst Medical
Phone: (508) 658 7962; Email: kerri.connors@navilyst.com