### Testimonials regarding easy assemblage and usage

Kronner Medical Mfg. - Comment page 1 Comment page 1 Comment File ID: 20110311110541\_6779 Name: Robin Corning Email: robin.corning@chw.edu Hospital or ...: Northridge Hospital Medical Center City: Northridge State: CA Phone: (818) 885 - 8500 ext. 2948 Position: Supervisor Davinci Robotic Coordinator The comment: I would like to tell you how much easier the Sidekick has made our lives in Robotic GYN surgery. It basically has freed up a person that normally has to manipulate the uterus. It enables the assistant to put the uterus in a specific position and it stays where you put it, allowing for better exposure. The sidekick is so easy put together and so easy to use. Our surgeons love it and ask for it on all of their robotic GYN surgeries. I would highly recommend having a sidekick for any and all GYN surgeries. ----- 20110311110541\_6779 -----

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The Kronner truly functions as an extra employee
and has more than paid for itself already!
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The comment:
The Kronner Sidekick Device has brought great value to our Robotics Program at Baylor University Medical Center.
In addition to providing clinical support to our GYN
procedures, the Sidekick has helped address our surgical
staffing issues. We no longer have to designate a retractor
holder to these cases which allows us to allocate that
personnel to other pertinent cases.
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Position: Nurse
The comment:
http://www.kronner.com/cgi-bin/view_comments.pl?pg=1

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I have worked in the operating room for nearly 40 years as a scrub and circulating nurse. As proof of that I have arthritis in my hands shoulders and neck. So when called upon to hold uterine minipulators I would cringe. My peers have developed neck and shoulder nerve problems. When our Kronner was ordered it was placed at the bottom of the purchase list. As more complaints came over longer case times, it was moved to the head of the list. It holds much easier than the human hand, and has changed our lives for these type of procedures.

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#### Hospital #4 comment:

I find that the sidekick is an excellent addition to the instrumentation used in uterine manipulation. It relieves the stress and strain that goes with holding any manipulator for long periods of time during surgery, and plays a key role in the prevention of injury from having to hold the manipulator.

#### Hospital #5 comment:

Since the DaVinci Robot was introduced into our hospital we have had the pleasure of seeing our surgeons begin doing their procedures from their first day on the robot, to two years into our program. During this time frame there has been a learning curve for the entire team. With the introduction of the Kronner system, technicians have experienced a decrease in fatigue and repetitive-use injuries associated with prolonged use of manual uterine manipulators. Another benefit we have seen is the stability of the system, allowing the surgeons to work with a steady tissue surface, when cutting and dissecting. As the lead tech I find that virtually all the surgeons and my fellow techs are very satisfied with the Kronners ease of use. It has become a staple of every surgeon who works on the DaVinci and every case we do.

#### Hospital #6 comment:

The Kronner Sidekick streamlines my robot procedures! We have used on 30 + procedures and with the Sidekick I only have to have 1 CST to make the robot room run effectively and efficiently. Highly recommended!

#### Hospital #7 comment:

The Kronner Sidekick is a great asset to our robotic program. It definitely reduces the scrub tech's fatigue, which makes for a happier scrub tech and therefore a happier day. Thank you so much!