

Use of Low-Thrombin Fibrin Sealant Glue After Axillary Lymphadenectomy for Breast Cancer to Reduce Hospital Length and Seroma.

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Abstract:

Micro-Abstract A prospective evaluation of 149 axillary lymph node dissection (ALND) procedures in 2 groups using either drainage or a drainless procedure with fibrin glue and a padding technique was performed. No difference was observed in seroma punctures, but an interesting significantly reduced postoperative hospital stay length. Quilting sutures and fibrin glue after ALND is a promising technique for reducing hospital stays and costs.

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