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**Clinical assessment of the DALLOP NM transobturator tape by  
TRICOMED for the treatment of effort incontinence in women**

In days from 19.06.2012 till 02.10.2012 I performed 29 transobturator procedures using the DALLOP NM transobturator system.

While performing the procedures I did not encounter any technical problems connected with the transobturator sling of the tape. The biomechanical characteristics of the tape is very good (the tape does not curl and can be placed properly in the midurethral area). In the postoperative period I did not observe in any of the operated patients urinary retention (except for two patients, who also had the correction of uterine prolapse performed – they needed the Foley catheter to be left for two days). All the other patients were released home from the Clinic with general good condition on the second day after the procedure. The assessment performed after 4 weeks shows good incorporation of the implanted DALLOP NM tape by TRICOMED (in any of the operated patients there was no early postoperative erosion observed). The final assessment of the clinical effectiveness will be conducted after 3 months.

In summary, I would like to say that in my opinion the DALLOP NM system by TRICOMED meets modern criteria as for a polypropylene tape for the transobturator treatment of effort incontinence in women.

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