EXCLUSIVE PARTNER



Thermal Balloon Endometrial Ablation Treatment

Cavaterm

TM

**Abnormal Uterine Bleeding:** 



# Efficacy is her daily routine



### ABNORMAL UTERINE BLEEDING, A BURDEN IN HER DAILY LIFE

A loss of energy

Over 80 ml of blood loss/month, risk of anaemia : Tiredness, Shortness of breath, Iron deficiency

A waste of time and a major discomfort

Changing of sanitary protection ≥ 6 times/day Changing protection during the night



Overall, a real impairment in quality of life (2)

Difficulties maintaining usual personal, social and professional activities

MANY WOMEN
COPING WITH
AUB EXPERIENCE
EMOTIONAL DISTRESS:

- Depression
- Anxiety
- Lack of confidence (3)



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### Decision making is her strength

## ENDOMETRIAL ABLATION: when she wants it done, she means it

20% of women

of reproductive age complain at any one time of heavy menstrual bleeding <sup>(3)</sup>



to referal and subsequent treatment :

womens' own perception

of their own menstrual loss (1)

Each year, over 500,000 women in the world\* decide to proceed with endometrial ablation

\* Based on US and major European markets

#### **ENDOMETRIAL ABLATION TECHNIQUES**

With similar efficacy as

1st Generation, 2nd Generation



- Quicker 15 mins shorter procedure) (4)
- Short learning curve
- Less operative complications (4)
- Faster patient recovery (4)

Your decision:
which 2<sup>nd</sup> Generation
treatment to meet
the overall challenge
for efficacy?

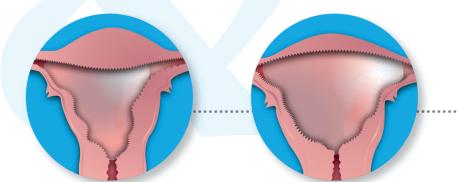


## REPRODUCIBLE EFFICACY ACROSS DIFFERENT UTERINE CAVITIES

One device to fit most uterine cavities ...

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... including more difficult-to-treat ones :



CAVATERM™ Adjustable balloon

Optimal use for 2<sup>nd</sup> generation procedures in your practice



#### Time saving

- Single training
- Optimal flow of procedures



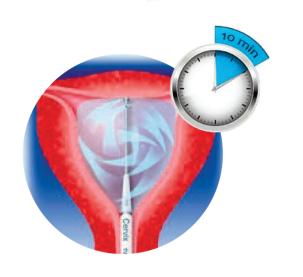
#### Cost saving

One reliable device to meet your practice needs

# The Effective way to be effective

### REPRODUCIBLE QUALITY ACROSS PROCEDURES

A well-defined time-to-efficacy to reach out for the whole uterine cavity lining



The **right time** with the **right parameters** for the **right quality** of ablation



No-rush yet fast onset of action



#### **Up-to-date and validated technology**

- Delivers constant and homogeneous temperature at the balloon surface
- Maintains effective temperature and pressure throughout the procedure



Precise and clear monitoring of procedure status

 Designed to provide explicit read-out of procedure completion

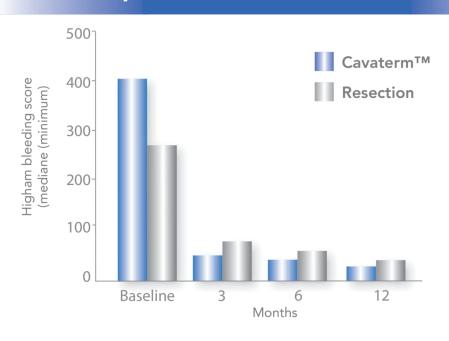






#### **RELIABLE OUTCOME**

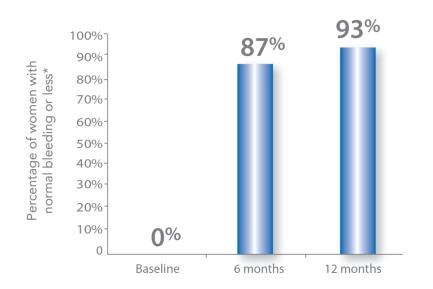
Similar bleeding scores *versus* resection at 3, 6 and 12 months (1)



Higham bleeding score at baseline, 3, 6 and 12 months. Median (range) values at baseline were 400 (110-1300) and 266 (104-555) in Cavaterm<sup>TM</sup> and resection groups, respectively.

Corresponding values at 12 months were 18 (0-222) and 12 (0-324), respectively.

### Procedure success at 6 and 12 months with Cavaterm<sup>TM</sup> (1)



9/10 patients satisfied after 2 years (2, 3)

## Choosing Cavaterm™: The Efficacy You Seek

Thousands
of women
have been successfully
treated with
Cavaterm<sup>TM</sup>

#### **SUSTAINABLE OUTCOME**

Effectively improve outcomes at 4 years (4, 5)

70 women followed up after Cavaterm™ procedure



93% of women

treated with Cavaterm<sup>TM</sup> avoided hysterectomy (4)

116 women followed up after Cavaterm™ procedure



93% of women

had a **normal level** of menstrual bleeding **or lower** after 4 years <sup>(5)</sup>

#### **FAVORABLE SAFETY PROFILE**

across clinical evaluations (1-5)

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### From training to follow-up services

#### A PARTNERSHIP YOU CAN COUNT ON

# FOR YOU AND YOUR TEAM

### Customized «Training upon delivery» program

- Full product and procedure training
- Support and assistance in the operating room by qualified product specialists
- Continuing product training and information on-demand
- Pain management peer sharing program

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Patient
awareness leaflet
on dysfunctional
uterine bleeding

Patient information guide on the procedure and post-procedure measures



#### Equipment quality & availability program

- Immediate handling of your requests (product supply, product information update)
- Loan of replacement Central Unit during servicing of your equipment
- Technical support and product servicing

#### Procedure quality assurance

A read-out tool records and displays the good progress of the procedure









#### Thermal Balloon ablation

The most popular 2<sup>nd</sup> generation technique in many Western countries

Thousands of patients successfully treated with Cavaterm™ over years of continuous clinical evaluation and product excellence





#### **VELDANA**

Committed to You, Your Team, Your Patients

from the short and long-term CLINICAL OUTCOME

Efficacy proven up to 4 years after treatment

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#### Indication

The Cavaterm™ system is indicated to ablate the endometrial lining of the uterus in premenopausal women with heavy menstrual bleeding due to benign causes for whom childbearing is complete.

#### **Contraindications**

Women presenting conditions listed below require examination, precautions and/or treatment before they can be treated with Cavaterm.

- Undiagnosed uterine bleeding
- Active infection of the internal and external genitalia
- Active urinary tract infection

A Cavaterm™ treatment is strictly contra-indicated for women presenting the following conditions

- Any premalignant or malignant condition by histology, e.g. adenomatous hyperplasia
- Any anatomical or pathological condition significantly deforming the uterine cavity and thus preventing the balloon from laying uniformly on the endometrium
- Any condition associated with a myometrio thickness less than 12 mm
- Any condition leading to uterine wall weakness regardless of myometrio thickness
- Any recent uterine damage or trauma
- Pregnancy or any desire to become pregnant in the future
- Uterine cavity length less than 4 cm or more than 10 cm (from the isthmus to the fundus)
- Cervical canal length more than 6 cm











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