A PATIENT'S GUIDE AlloMend® Acellular dermal matrix



IS ALLOMEND ACELLULAR DERMAL MATRIX SAFE?

AlloSource has been delivering safe allografts for more than 30 years and adheres to strict donor screening protocols. AlloMend ADM is made using specialized washing and sterilization processes, which minimize the risk of the body rejecting the tissue when implanted, thus ensuring the safety of the tissue. AlloMend ADM is a sterile product with similar safety standards to other medical products that may be used during your procedure.

What is AlloMend[®] Acellular dermal matrix

HOW IS ALLOMEND ACELLULAR DERMAL MATRIX USED?

Your surgeon is likely to use ADM because it behaves in the same way as your body's own tissue. AlloMend ADM comes in unique sizes and shapes to meet the needs of your procedure and is used to replace or repair dermal tissue that has been removed from the body during your surgical procedure. Depending on the procedure type, your surgeon will attach AlloMend ADM to the specific anatomy that is being treated.

For additional information on AlloMend ADM, visit allosource.org/products/allomend.

The medical term for your body's skin is "dermis" or "dermal tissue." AlloMend Acellular Dermal Matrix, or ADM, is a type of skin graft, called an allograft, that is made from donated human dermal tissue from a deceased person. The tissue donation process is similar to when someone donates their organs for transplantation.

Thank Your Tissue Donor

Write a "thank you" letter to the family of your tissue donor that provided the allograft for your procedure through the Pathways program!

During your surgery, you may receive donated human tissue that was given by a generous person, a tissue donor and their family.

The Pathways program partners with allograft providers, including AlloSource, to honor the gift of donation and give allograft recipients the opportunity to write a "thank you" letter to their tissue donor's families. **Before writing your letter, make sure you get the associated tissue number, from your health care professional, to ensure your letter gets to the donor family.**



SCAN HERE TO THANK YOUR DONOR

"Since the tissue transplant, I have been working on my recovery and planning for my future. For this, I am very grateful to you and your loved one. My family and I will always remember your act of kindness and generosity" -TISSUE RECIPIENT This information is for educational purposes only and does not substitute professional medical advice, diagnosis, or treatment. Always consult with a qualified healthcare professional regarding any medical advice or concerns.



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