

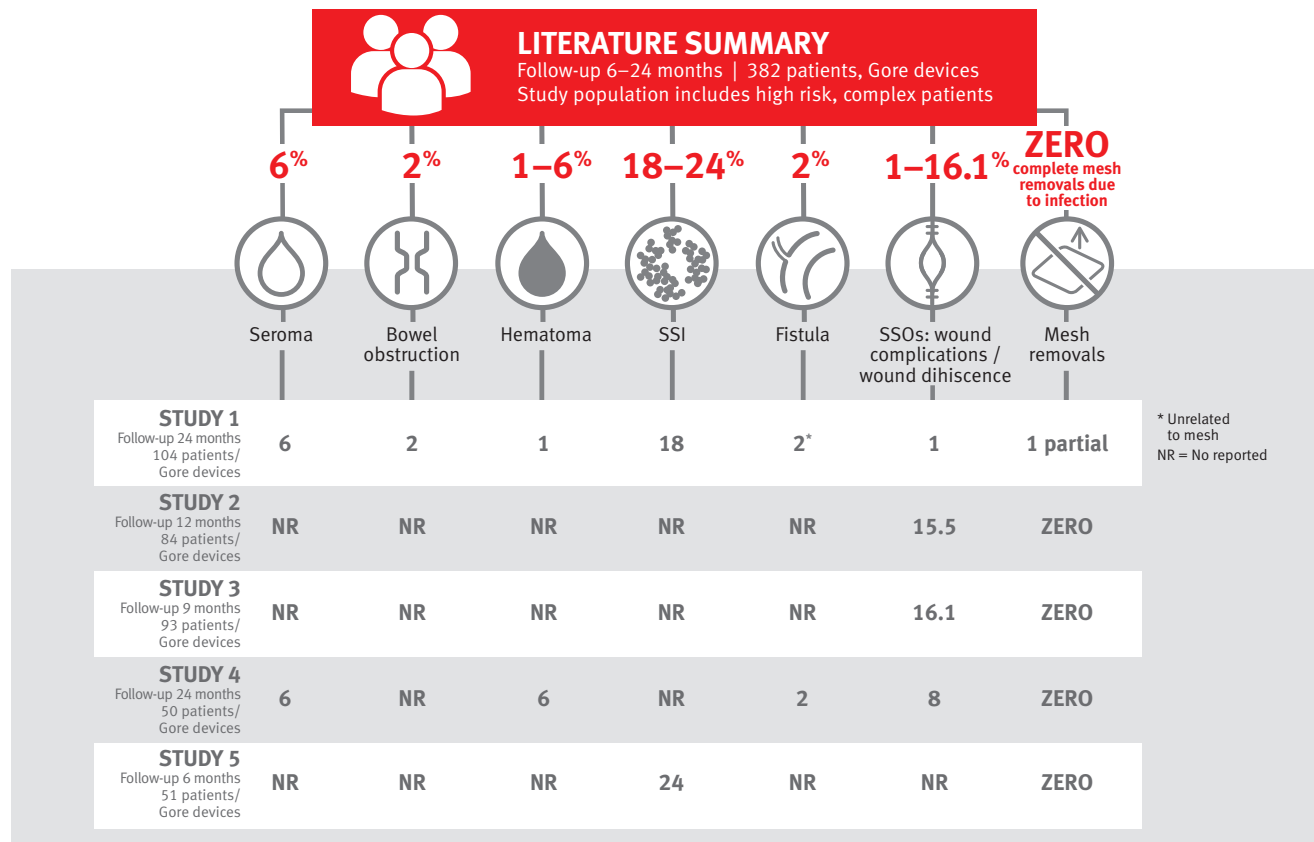
# Better AWR Outcomes. Reinforced by Data.



*Confidence for you... Confidence for your patients*

**GORE® BIO-A® Tissue Reinforcement** is designed as an alternative to **longer-term resorbable and permanent meshes** to offer a strong repair while avoiding risk for long-term mesh-related complications

**Proven LOW complication rates in ventral hernia repair**



GORE® BIO-A® Tissue Reinforcement is the 3D bioabsorbable mesh with a Targeted Absorption Period of six to seven months through hydrolysis that:

- Ensures no permanent material left behind
- Avoids risk for long-term mesh-related complications
- Cells infiltrate and form vascularized soft tissue, with 1:1 tissue replacement and the formation of dense, organized collagen
- Repair strength increases over time<sup>1</sup>
- Unique bioabsorbable web technology with 20 years of safe clinical use
- Confidence in proven results: 10 years of clinical data, with 1,700 patients in the clinical literature



T I S S U E  
R E I N F O R C E M E N T

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# 10 YEARS EFFECTIVE CLINICAL USE

Complex and high-risk AWR cases  
Hiatal / Paraesophageal hernia repair  
Demonstrated economic value

- **MORE** than 150 publications
- **LOW** recurrence rates in hiatal hernias
- **LOW** recurrence rates in complex ventral hernias
- **OVER 1700** patients in the clinical literature
- **TARGETED** absorption period avoids the risk for long-term mesh-related complications
- **LOWER** cost alternative to other non-permanent products



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