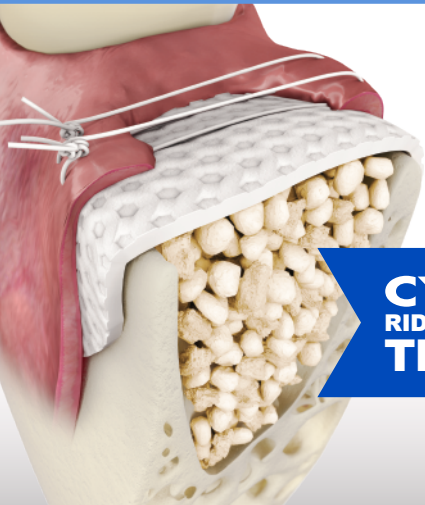
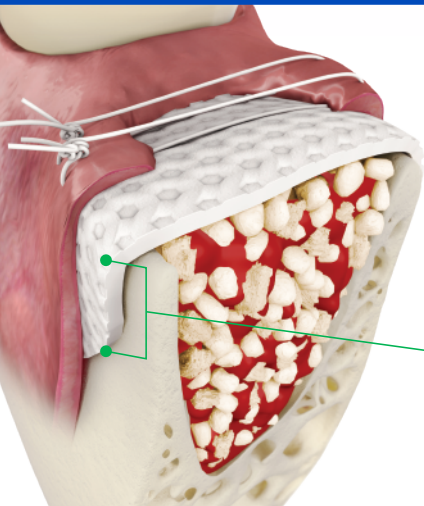


PREVENTING COMPLICATIONS



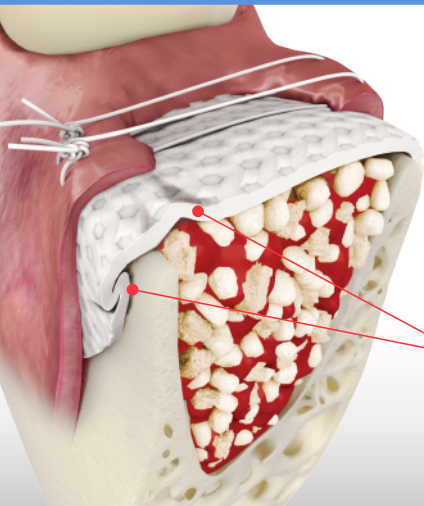
CYTOPLAST[®]
RIDGE PRESERVATION
TECHNIQUE

► *Ensure the dPTFE membrane is tucked 3-5 mm subperiosteally.*



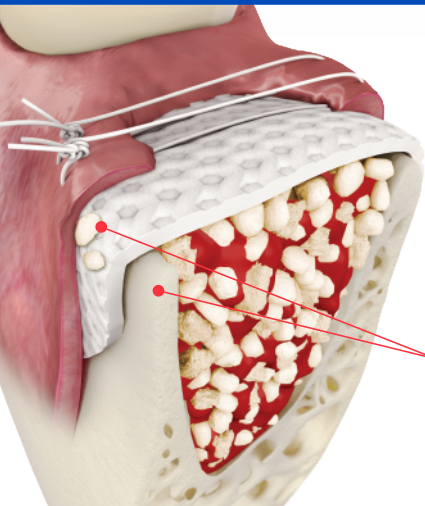
3-5 mm

► Ensure there are ***no wrinkles or folds*** in the membrane.



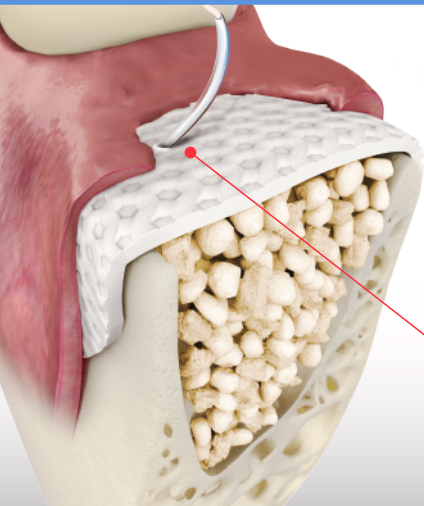
***No wrinkles
or folds***

► Ensure **no stray graft particles** are present between the flap and dPTFE membrane prior to and after suturing. Careful suction and vigorous postoperative irrigation with sterile saline can be used to ensure all stray graft particles have been removed.



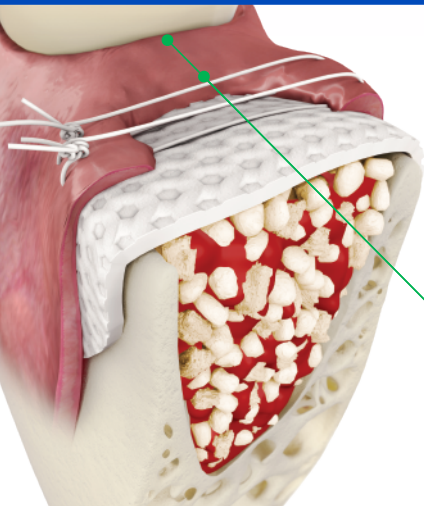
No stray particles

► **Avoid puncturing** the exposed portion of the dPTFE membrane with the needle when suturing.



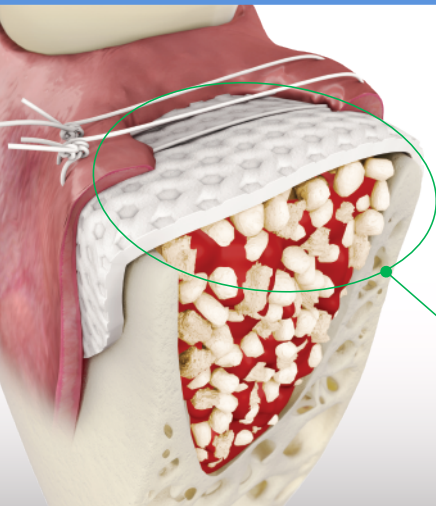
Don't puncture

► *Ensure the dPTFE membrane is trimmed at least **1.5 mm** away from adjacent teeth.*



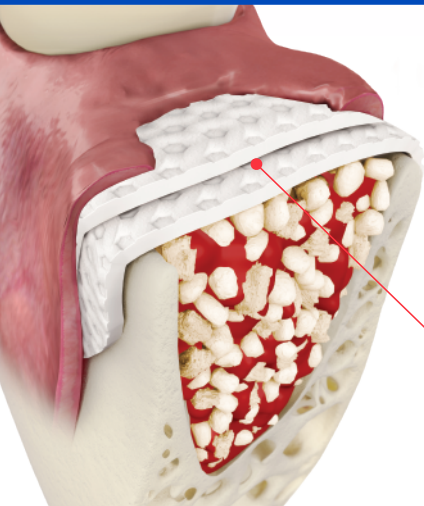
1.5 mm away

► If possible, the membrane should **rest on bone**
360 degrees around the socket margins.



*Membrane on
360° of bone*

► In cases of multiple extraction sites where two or more membranes will be used, ensure a minimum distance (gap) of 0.5 mm between adjacent membranes. ***It is important that membranes are not overlapped.***



***Do not overlap
membranes***