

Products	Padlock Clip® defect closure system
Procedural Area	Hemostasis
Article	Successful endoscopic closure of a gastrocutaneous fistula using a ‘Padlock Clip®’
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Purpose	Share successful endoscopic closure of a gastrocutaneous fistula using a ‘Padlock Clip®’
Key Points	<p><u>Patient History</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 27-year-old woman with several comorbidities was suffering from skin erosion due to gastric contents leaking out of a gastrocutaneous fistula (GCF) that persisted after PEG tube removal • An EGD was performed and the internal opening of the GCF was identified <p><u>Treatment with Padlock Clip® defect closure system</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Padlock Clip® defect closure system was mounted on the scope, the fistula opening suctioned into the tissue chamber and the clip deployed • After the procedure, imaging confirmed successful closure of the fistula
Conclusions	“In selected cases, the Padlock Clip® defect closure system may represent another endoscopic, minimally invasive and cost-effective alternative to surgery for closure of tissue defects and fistulas within the gastrointestinal tract”
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