OPMI® Drapes with VisionGuard® Drape your microscope — not your view







Optics Unmatched optical quality

A drape lens that complements the surgical microscope

ZEISS optics for drapes – an idea whose time has come. Even when looking through ZEISS' legendary optics, it is difficult to believe VisionGuard is actually in place. VisionGuard ensures that the drape lens and microscope work as a single optical unit rather than interfering with each other and deteriorating the brilliant image of today's OPMI microscopes. OPMI Drapes are designed by a microscope company, a difference that sets them apart from any other drape available today.

More than just a lens cover

For over a century, optical engineers at Carl Zeiss have produced lenses using the most advanced techniques. Now they have succeeded in adapting these techniques to the manufacture of single—use drape lenses. VisionGuard is a genuine ZEISS lens engineered with a patented slanted design and is virtually free of optical aberrations and reflections. The revolutionary VisionGuard lenses are not just a lens cover for your drape, but a work of art from an optical master – Carl Zeiss.



VisionGuard drape lenses enable surgeons to operate with confidence by not compromising the view of the surgical site.

Freedom of movement

Carl Zeiss OPMI Drapes are designed to custom fit the surgical microscope, allowing the microscope to move as freely as needed. Straps are strategically placed along the drape to secure excess material up and out of the way. In addition, Carl Zeiss continues to develop enhancements, such as the AutoDrapeTM function on OPMI PenteroTM. A vacuum is created and the drape clings to the microscope head and carrier arm, remaining out of the sterile field without impairing mobility. With or without AutoDrape, OPMI Drapes from Carl Zeiss do not impede the movement of the microscope.

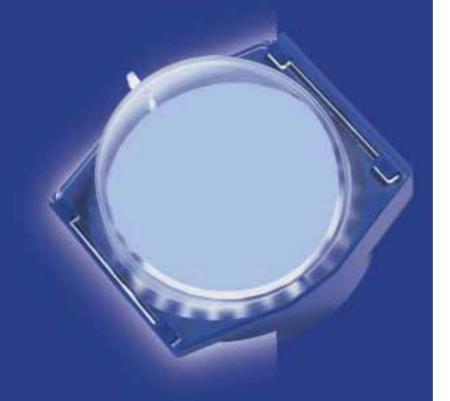




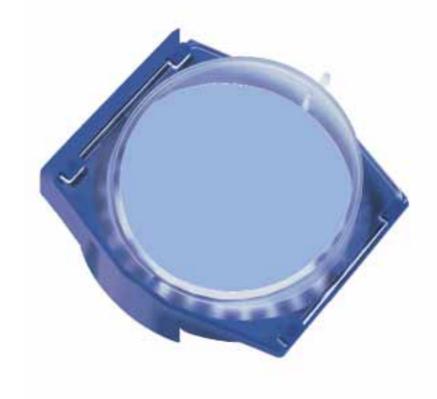
Rapid lens replacement

Furthermore, if VisionGuard becomes contaminated during a procedure, its uniquely designed slide mechanism permits easy and quick replacement with minimal interruption of the surgical workflow. Simply slide the splattered lens out of the housing, insert a new sterile lens* and continue the procedure in a matter of seconds with an unencumbered view and an uncompromised sterile field.

*Individually packaged, sterile VisionGuard lenses are available separately as an accessory. When replacing a VisionGuard lens please ensure that the applicable sterile technique is observed.



OPMI Drapes & VisionGuard



Proof positive

VisionGuard lenses are manufactured to Carl Zeiss' exacting optical specifications. Each and every lens must be approved by an automated inspection system, ensuring that each lens meets these exacting specifications. Electron microscope images vividly demonstrate that these are not mere lens covers; they are lenses of the highest optical quality.



Even magnified at 300x, the surface of VisionGuard lenses (far right) displays none of the optical aberrations so apparent in other available lens covers.





Straps and closures are conveniently placed and easy to seal and reseal.

Air evacuation for an excellent fit: AutoDrape System.

Preserving the sterile field Sterility

The best of both worlds

Outstanding optics and an intact sterile field: in the past, these were often mutually exclusive. Today, VisionGuard allows you to have both. The lens is virtually invisible to the surgeon and does not compromise the optical quality of the microscope while safeguarding the sterile field.

Lenses instead of new drapes

Should a lens become contaminated during a procedure, VisionGuard can be easily replaced. Simply slide the splattered lens out of the housing and insert a new sterile lens.* With standard drapes, either the entire drape must be replaced or the contaminated lens cover has to be removed, compromising the sterile field.

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VisionGuard lenses can be quickly and easily replaced thanks to the practical slide mechanism.*



Carl Zeiss' attention to detail

A soft, clear, easy–to–handle material allows the microscope and its accessories to be viewed right through the drape – even without the AutoDrape function, as on OPMI Pentero. Straps are strategically placed along the drape to secure excess material up and out of the way. The eyepiece covers are easy to secure and reposition. In addition, some drape models include latex–free rubber bands for even more flexible positioning, all at an affordable price.

Local service and support

Contact your local Carl Zeiss representative for a free sample and a price quote and experience the optical clarity of OPMI Drapes with VisionGuard. See for yourself how OPMI Drapes can help maximize OR efficiency.





Managing assets and efficiency

When only the best is good enough

Time spent in the OR is one of the most expensive managed assets – every moment counts. Carl Zeiss OPMI Drapes with VisionGuard provide superiority in two key areas: sterile field preservation and OR efficiency.

Sterile field preservation does not have to mean poor vision

Sterile working conditions are not only essential for patients to prevent infections during a procedure, they are also vital to the OR team to avoid exposure to blood-borne pathogens. Drapes help to ensure that these sterile conditions are not compromised. As some available drape lenses have such poor optical quality, surgeons may wish to remove the drape lens to see clearly through the microscope. However, removing it creates a hole in the sterile field directly above the surgical site. Uncovered objective lenses on a surgical microscope can become so contaminated that they present a danger to non-sterile staff who disinfect the equipment after the procedure. With ZEISS VisionGuard drape lenses, there are no optical reasons to remove the drape lens prior to surgery. Finally, leaving the drape lens in place helps protect the investment of the surgical microscope, protecting the surface of the objective lens from contamination and thereby not accelerating wear and tear.

Efficiency at its best

OPMI Drapes ideally support the efficiency of the OR team in two key ways, saving time and money. First, OPMI Drapes are designed to be quick and easy to use. Second, should a lens become contaminated during a procedure, the splattered lens can simply be slid out of the housing, and a new sterile lens can be inserted* without re—draping the entire microscope. The surgeon can continue the procedure with an unencumbered view and an uncompromised sterile field within a few seconds. The bottom line is fewer drapes are needed and less time is wasted.

Attention to detail

Carl Zeiss aims to satisfy its customers with outstanding products and services, and that is why details are important. VisionGuard drape lenses are a clear demonstration of this dedication.



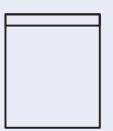
306075 Ideal for OPMI ORL, PRO magis, PROergo



326009 Ideal for OPMI 1, 6, 9 without accessories

326044 Ideal for colpscopes with ZEISS MM2 or similar

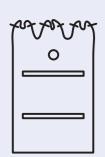
micromanipulator, non-sterile



326012 Ideal for all foot control panels, non-sterile



326050 Ideal for all rigid endoscopes, arthroscopes and laparoscopes



306070 Ideal for OPMI Vario,

Sensera, Movena, VISU 150, VISU 200, 111, MD, 11, OPMI VISU 140, VISU 160,

VISU 210

306025 Ideal for OPMI CS, ES, Vario,

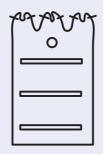
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326005 Ideal for OPMI 1, 6, 9

Specifications

OPMI Drapes from Carl Zeiss come in a wide variety of sizes and specifications to meet your draping needs. See below for a selection of the most popular configurations. For a complete listing of drape patterns and dimensions, please contact your local Carl Zeiss representative.

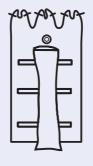
Drapes with VisionGuard have been optimized for OPMI surgical microscopes and diagnostic microscopes from Carl Zeiss. Please note that VisionGuard drape lenses (order no. 30XXXX) are only available on drapes with 65 mm lenses.



306071 Ideal for OPMI CS, ES326018 Ideal for OPMI 1, 6, 9 on larger floorstands



306026 Ideal for OPMI Pentero and OPMI Neuro



326048 Ideal for ZEISS MM4 or MM6 micromanipulator



326082 Ideal for use with 48 mm O.D.306084 Ideal for use with 65 mm O.D.

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