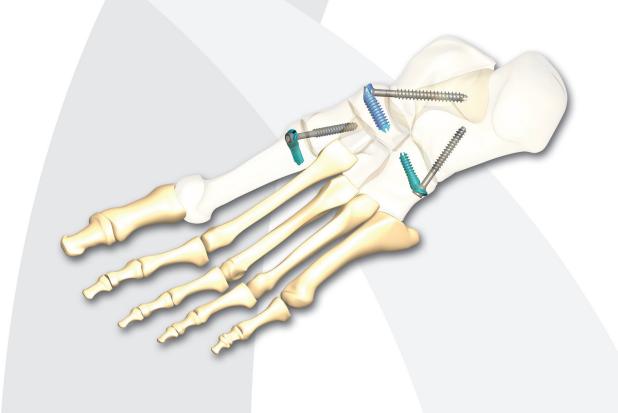
# IOFX 2.0 FUSION FIXATION

# Surgical Technique





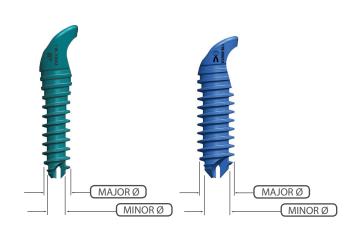


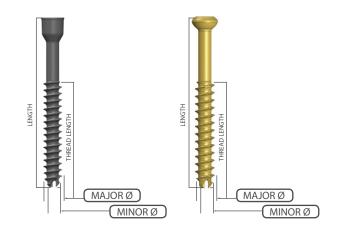
## **INDICATIONS FOR USE**

The IO FiX Intraosseous Fixation System is intended for reduction and internal fixation of arthrodeses, osteotomies, intra- and extrarticular fractures and nonunions of the small bones and joints of the foot and ankle. The two-part construct is specifically intended for use in Talonavicular, Calcaneocuboid, Metatarsocuneiform, and ankle arthrodesis, as well as Metatarsal Osteotomies.

**NOTE:** This technique guide illustrates the placement of an IO FiX 2.0 construct for a Talonavicular Fusion.

# **Implant Specifications**

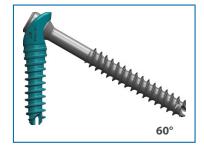




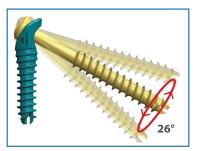
IO FiX 2.0 X-Posts	Angle	X-Post Lengths	Major Diameter	Minor Diameter
Small X-Post (Aqua)	60°	15, 20, 25, 30mm	4.5mm	3.0mm
Medium X-Post (Blue)	60°	20, 25, 30mm	6.5mm	4.5mm

Screw	Screw Lengths	Major Diameter	Minor Diameter	Thread Length
4.3mm Tapered Locking	26-40 (2 mm increments) 45, 50	4.3mm	2.8mm	Length-15mm
5.0mm Tapered Locking	26-40 (2 mm increments) 45, 50	5.0mm	3.4mm	Length-15mm
4.5mm Headed (Non-Locking)	26-40 (2 mm increments) 45, 50	4.5mm	3.0mm	Length-15mm

## **Locking Construct**



### **Non-Locking Construct**







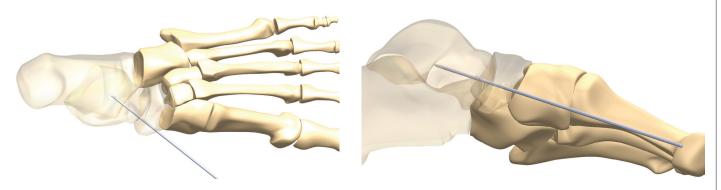
# **Exposure and Joint Preparation**

The standard incision, dissection, joint exposure and denuding techniques for arthrodesis should be performed as per the surgeon's preference.

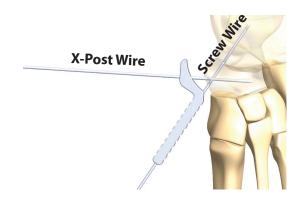
# STEP 1: X-Post Wire Placement

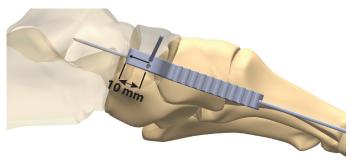
The placement of the X-Post dictates the Tapered Locking Screw trajectory as they interlock at a 60° angle. Utilize the Alignment Guide to assist with X-Post placement:

- Place a 1.6mm Guidewire through the joint in the ideal screw trajectory
- Confirm the placement of this wire with fluoroscopy (AP and Lateral) as it represents screw placement



- Place the Alignment Guide over the Guidewire and slide it towards the joint
- Place the X-Post Guidewire through the Alignment Guide 10mm from the joint line (this ensures clearance of the screw threads past the joint line)
- If the X-Post is placed greater than 10mm from joint, over drill the near cortex with a 4.5mm drill
- Confirm X-Post Guidewire placement with fluoroscopy (AP and Lateral) and then remove the initial screw trajectory Guidewire





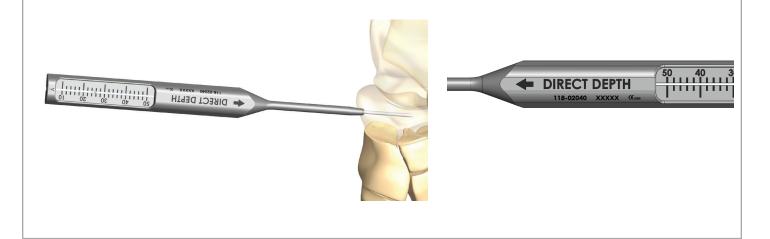
X-Post Guidewire holes are located 10mm back from the edge of the Alignment Guide





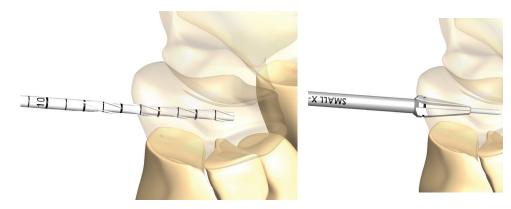
# STEP 2: Determine X-Post Length

• Place the Depth Gauge (Direct Depth) over the Guidewire and down to bone to determine the length of the X-Post



# STEP 3: Bone Preparation for the X-Post Drill & Countersink

- Select the appropriate Cannulated Drill and Countersink based on the desired X-Post
- Place the Cannulated Drill over the Guidewire and advance to the pre-determined X-Post length
- Advance the appropriate sized Countersink until the laser mark comes in contact with the cortical bone



X-Post	X-Post Drill	Countersink
Small (Aqua)	3.0mm	Small
Medium (Blue)	3.4mm	Medium

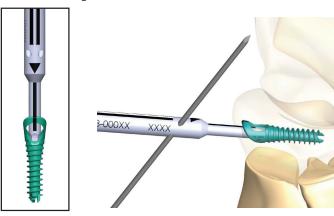


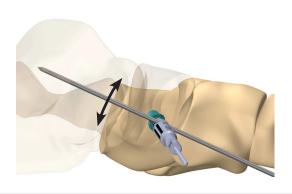


# STEP 4: X-Post Placement

- Align the X-Post and 3.0 Hex Driver with the laser marked arrow and black line as depicted below
- Using two hands, pass the X-Post over the Guidewire and rotate until flush with the cortex. The laser marking on the driver/implant should orient towards the intended fusion area

**TIP:** Place a wire through the hole on the driver, as shown, to confirm and fine tune screw trajectory.

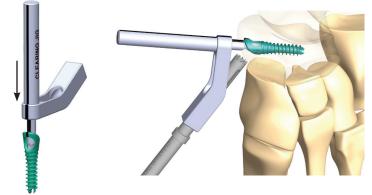


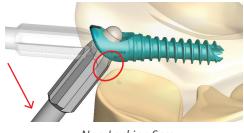


# **STEP 5: Clearing Step**

It is critical to create an accurate path to allow for the proper orientation of the Drill Guide and subsequent Screw.

- Remove the 3.0 Hex Driver and Guidewire
- Fully seat the Clearing Jig into the X-Post (align laser marking on jig with the implant)
- Advance the Clearing Trephine (power) through the jig and down to bone
- The trephine has a positive stop and will clear the exact amount of bone at the ideal 60° orientation





Non-Locking Screw

**NOTE:** For Headed (Non-Locking) Screws, additional clearing with the Clearing Tool or rongeurs may be required to allow for proper screw trajectory.



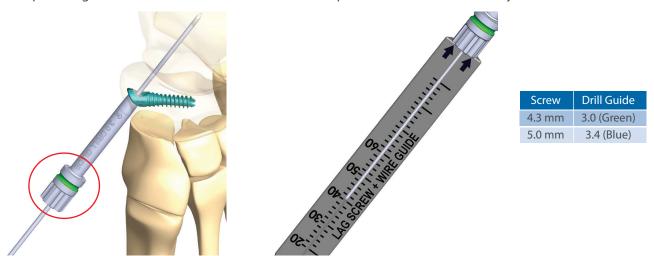


# STEP 6: Guidewire Placement (Locking Screws)

# **Tapered Locking Screw Placement**



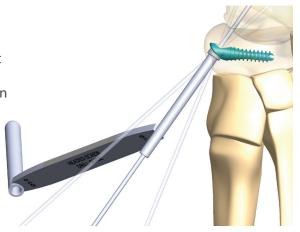
- Assemble the "TOP HAT" Guidewire and Drill Guide:
  - Thread the 1.6 Guidewire Guide into the appropriate Drill Guide
- Insert the Drill Guide assembly into the eyelit of the X-Post
- Advance a 1.6mm Guidewire through the Drill Guide
- · Verify Guidewire position and depth with fluoroscopy
- Determine the length of the Screw by measuring the Guidewire with the "Lag Screw + Wire Guide" side of the Depth Gauge over the Guidewire and down to the top of the Drill Guide Assembly.



# STEP 6a: Guidewire Placement (Non-Locking Screw)

The Headed (Non-Locking) Screws can be used with the X-Post and allows for variability of placement.

- Utilize the Headed Screw Drill Guide taking care to stay within the allowable 26° cone of angulation when advancing the Guidewire through the guide
- Determine the length of the screw with "Lag Screw + Wire Guide" side of the Depth Gauge over the wire and down to the top of the Drill Guide







# STEP 7: Screw Pilot Hole

All screws are self drilling and self tapping. Pre-drilling with a cannulated drill is left up to the surgeon's discretion. **Pre-drilling for the Tapered Locking Screws:** 

- Unthread and remove the Wire Guide from the Top Hat Assembly
- Select the appropriate Cannulated Drill based on the desired Screw
- Advance the Cannulated Drill over the Guidewire and down to the desired depth



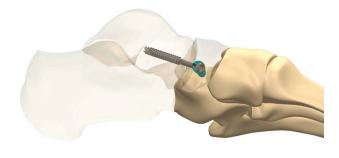
Screw Type and Size	Pilot Drill
4.3mm Tapered Locking	3.0mm
5.0mm Tapered Locking	3.4mm
4.5mm Headed (Non-Locking)	3.0mm

**NOTE:** Utilize the Headed Screw Drill Guide for the Low Profile Headed Screw (Non-Locking)

# **STEP 8: Screw Insertion**

- Prior to inserting the screw, ensure the joint is manually compressed
- Insert the screw over the Guidewire with the 3.0mm Hex Driver
- Final tightening of the Tapered Locking Screw should be applied with two finger pressure and care should be taken not to over tighten the construct



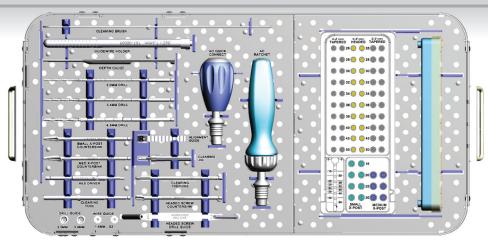


#### **IMPLANT REMOVAL**

- Clear any tissue ingrowth from the Screw
- Insert the 3.0mm Hex Driver into the Screw and back out the Screw by turning counterclockwise
- Insert the 3.0mm Hex Driver into the X-Post and back out the Screw by turning counterclockwise







# X-Posts

	Part Number	Description
	SMALL X-PO:	ST (AQUA)
	118-70615	SMALL X-POST - 15mm
	118-70620	SMALL X-POST - 20mm
	118-70625	SMALL X-POST - 25mm
	118-70630	SMALL X-POST - 30mm
MEDIUM X-POST (BLUE)		OST (BLUE)
	118-80620	MEDIUM X-POST - 20mm
	118-80625	MEDIUM X-POST - 25mm
	118-80630	MEDIUM X-POST - 30mm

## Screws

Part Number	Description
Ø4.3 Tapered	Locking Screws
118-43026	Ø4.3 Tapered Locking Screw x 26mm
118-43028	Ø4.3 Tapered Locking Screw x 28mm
118-43030	Ø4.3 Tapered Locking Screw x 30mm
118-43032	Ø4.3 Tapered Locking Screw x 32mm
118-43034	Ø4.3 Tapered Locking Screw x 34mm
118-43036	Ø4.3 Tapered Locking Screw x 36mm
118-43038	Ø4.3 Tapered Locking Screw x 38mm
118-43040	Ø4.3 Tapered Locking Screw x 40mm
118-43045	Ø4.3 Tapered Locking Screw x 45mm
118-43050	Ø4.3 Tapered Locking Screw x 50mm
Ø5.0 Tapered	Locking Screws
118-50026	Ø5.0 Tapered Locking Screw x 26mm
118-50028	Ø5.0 Tapered Locking Screw x 28mm
118-50030	Ø5.0 Tapered Locking Screw x 30mm
118-50032	Ø5.0 Tapered Locking Screw x 32mm
118-50034	Ø5.0 Tapered Locking Screw x 34mm
118-50036	Ø5.0 Tapered Locking Screw x 36mm
118-50038	Ø5.0 Tapered Locking Screw x 38mm
118-50040	Ø5.0 Tapered Locking Screw x 40mm
118-50045	Ø5.0 Tapered Locking Screw x 45mm
118-50050	Ø5.0 Tapered Locking Screw x 50mm
Ø4.5 Headed	(Non-Locking) Screws
118-45126	Ø4.5 Low Profile Headed Screw x 26mm
118-45128	Ø4.5 Low Profile Headed Screw x 28mm
118-45130	Ø4.5 Low Profile Headed Screw x 30mm
118-45132	Ø4.5 Low Profile Headed Screw x 32mm
118-45134	Ø4.5 Low Profile Headed Screw x 34mm
118-45136	Ø4.5 Low Profile Headed Screw x 36mm
118-45138	Ø4.5 Low Profile Headed Screw x 38mm
118-45140	Ø4.5 Low Profile Headed Screw x 40mm
118-45145	Ø4.5 Low Profile Headed Screw x 45mm
118-45150	Ø4.5 Low Profile Headed Screw x 50mm

#### Instruments

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Part Number	r Description		
Disposable I	isposable Instruments		
101-00006	Guidewire - 1.6mm		
101-00023	Cleaning Brush - 1.6mm		
118-02030	Cannulated Drill - 3.0mm		
118-02034	Cannulated Drill - 3.4mm		
101-00013	Cannulated Drill - 4.5mm		
118-02002	IO FIX 2.0 X-Ray Template		
118-02076	Small X-Post Countersink		
118-02077	Medium X-Post Countersink		
118-02045	Headed Screw Countersink		
118-02111	Clearing Trephine		
Reusable Ins	truments		
101-00009	Guidewire Holder - 1.6mm		
102-00017	AO Quick Connect Handle		
118-00030	3.0 Hex Driver		
118-02000	Instrument Tray and Screw Caddy		
118-02013	Headed Screw Drill Guide		
118-02015	Clearing Tool		
118-02031	Clearing Jig		
118-02032	Alignment Guide		
118-02039	Handle (Medium AO Ratchet)		
118-02040	Depth Gauge		
118-02160	Wire Guide - 1.6mm		
118-02300	Drill Guide - 3.0mm		
118-02340	Drill Guide - 3.4mm		

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