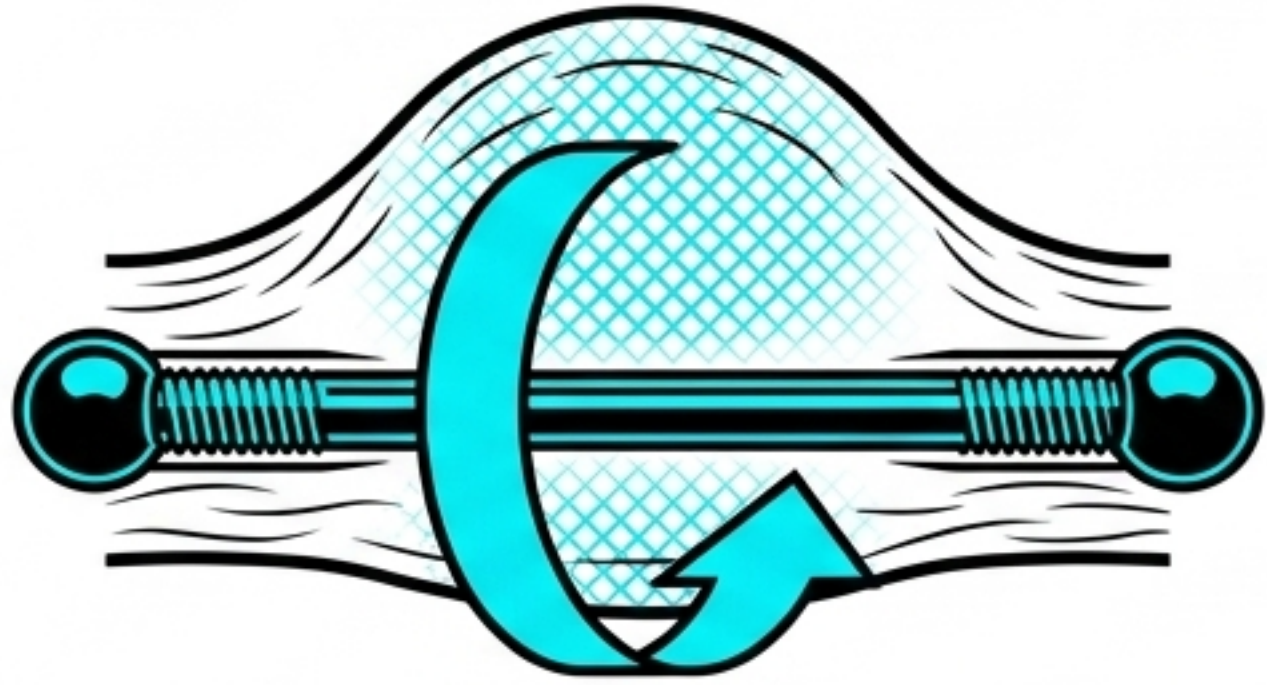
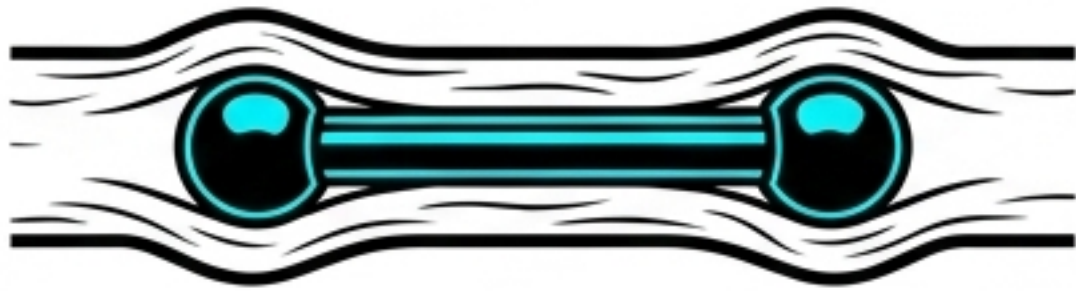




Initial jewelry accommodates expected tissue swelling.

Swelling subsides completely within 4 to 8 weeks.

Excess jewelry length becomes a lever arm.
Lateral forces push the long bar.



This shifts the piercing channel angle.
A shifted angle causes irritation bumps.

**Sustained lateral loads transmit torque through the fistula walls.
DOWNSIZE JEWELRY AFTER SWELLING SUBSIDES.**