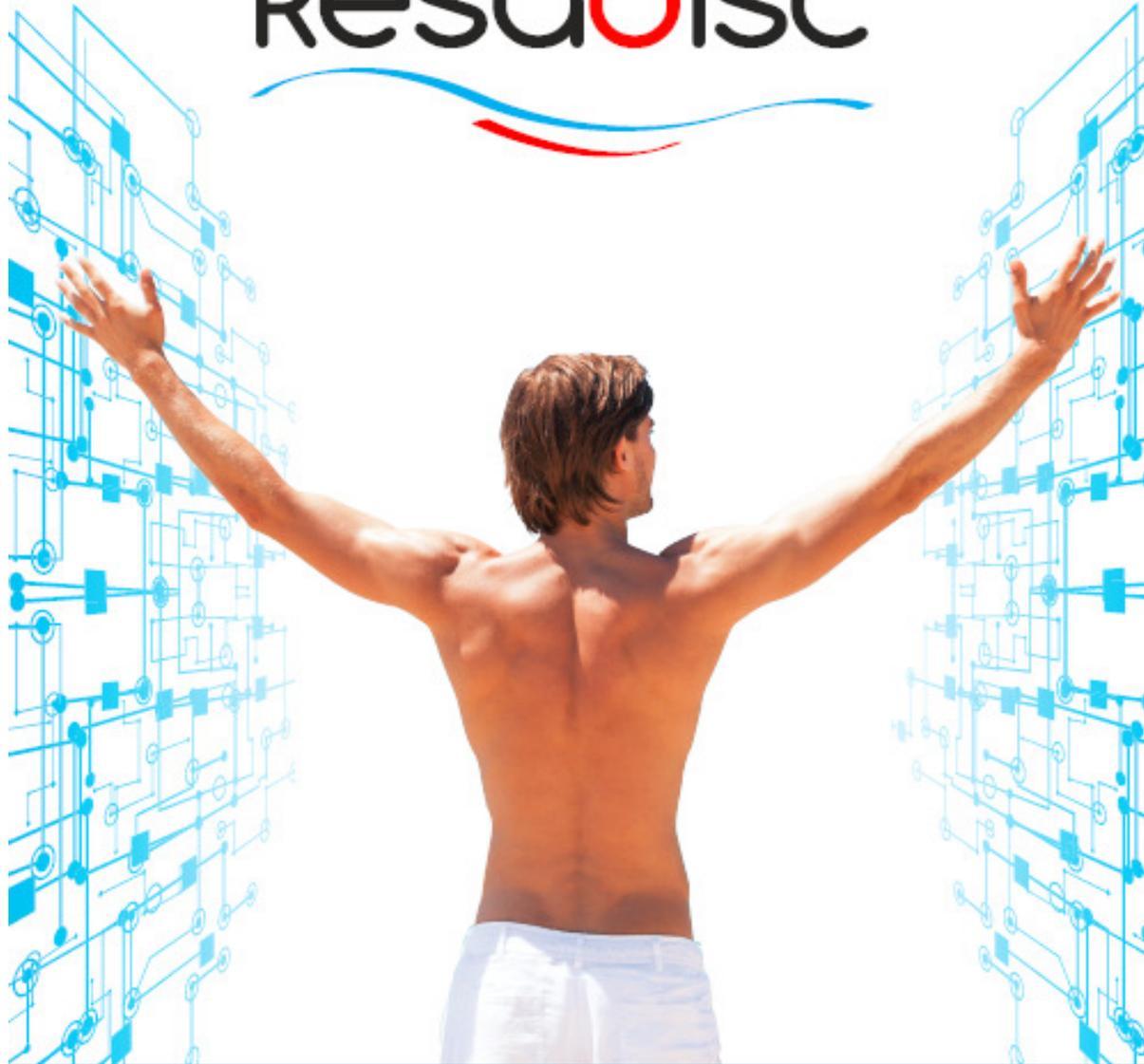


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THE INNOVATIVE SOLUTION
FOR THE DECOMPRESSION OF CERVICAL DISCS

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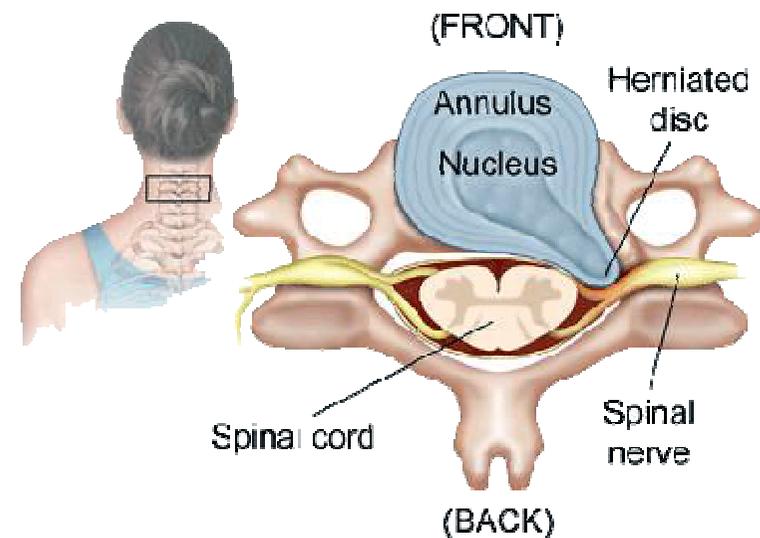


Resadisc is a bipolar device for minimally invasive decompression of the disc that uses the innovative technology of QMR[®] (Quantum Molecular Resonance), for the treatment of lumbar and cervical disc **protrusions**.



WHAT IS DISC PROTRUSION

Protrusion is the most common discopathy with **leakage of the disc** from its natural position (nucleus) moving to the surrounding space (annulus), getting in contact with nearby nerve roots. This phenomenon can occur when the disc loses thickness or undergoes dehydration.





THE SYMPTOMS OF CERVICAL DYSOPATHY

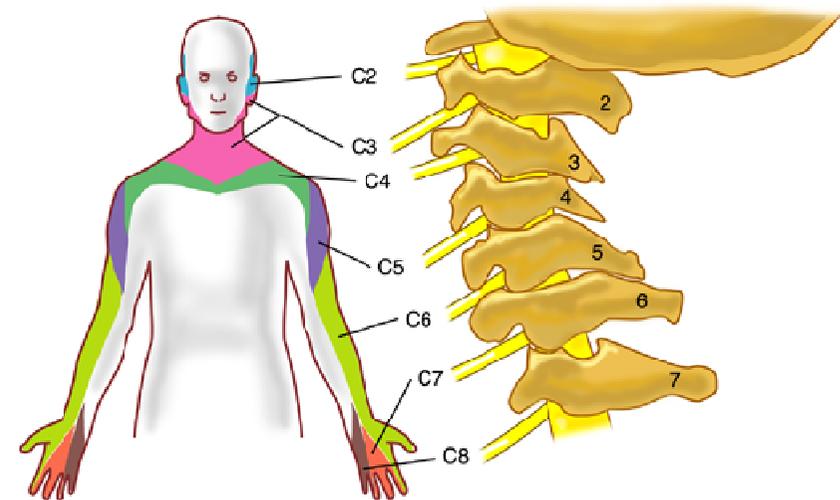
- NECK PAIN
- CEPHALGIA
- VERTIGO
- NAUSEA
- PAIN/tingling in the arm/fingers



THE ANATOMICAL SITE INVOLVED

Pain, paraesthesia or both symptoms together are common evidence coming from suffering anterior roots of the brachial plexus. Pain root topography is a fundamental aspect to evaluate properly.

Cervical disc protrusion interest districts C2 to C7, and nerves root C1 to C8. (First 7 nerves root come up from the vertebral canal above the correspondent cervical vertebra, and C8 nerve root comes through C7 to T1 vertebral foramen).



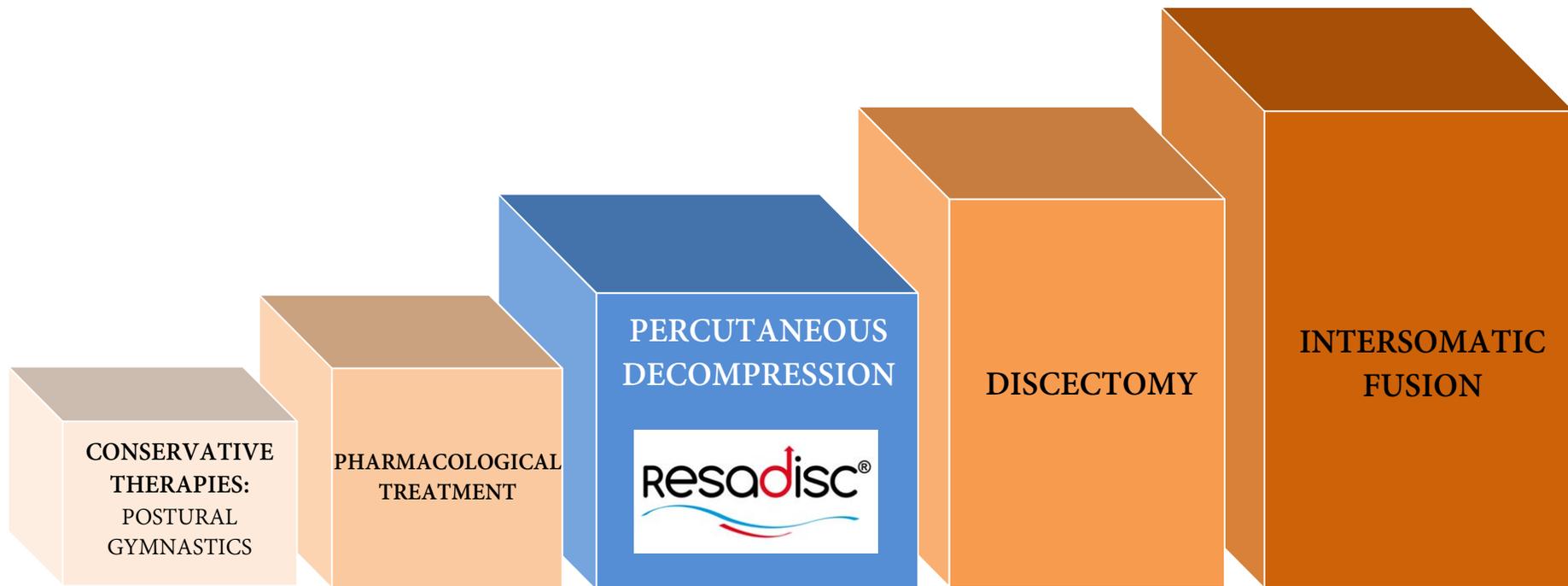


CLINICAL EVALUATION

LEVEL OF PROTRUSION	ROOT INVOLVED	SYMPTOMS
C4/5	C5	SHOULDER AND UPPER ARM
C5/6	C6	RADIAL SIDE OF THE FOREARM
C6/7	C7	DORSAL SIDE OF THE FOREARM
C7/T1	C8	ULNAR SIDE OF THE FOREARM



THE TREATMENT ALGORITHM



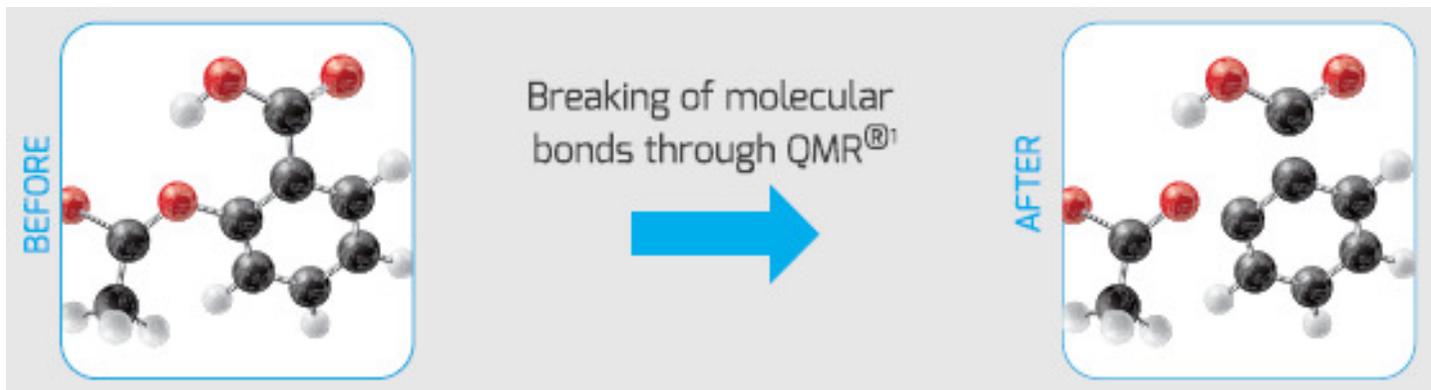
OUR SOLUTION

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QMR[®] TECHNOLOGY





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The energy of an RF current is transmitted through packets of minimum energy (Quantum)

Energy of each Quantum = $K \cdot$ wave frequency (of the RF current)

The higher is the frequency of the transmitted current, the higher is the energy transmitted by each Quantum of energy

● The size of the circle represents the energy contained in a Quantum of low frequency current

● Size of the circle represents the energy contained in a Quantum of high frequency current



LOW FREQUENCY CURRENT vs HIGH FREQUENCY CURRENT

Low frequency current is composed by low energy quantum

RF current generator



Target tissue

Increasing the intensity of the current meaning to increase only the number of quantum per second not the energy contained in the single quantum

RF current generator



Target tissue

Increasing the wave frequency of the current increases the energy contained in a single quantum - QMR[®]

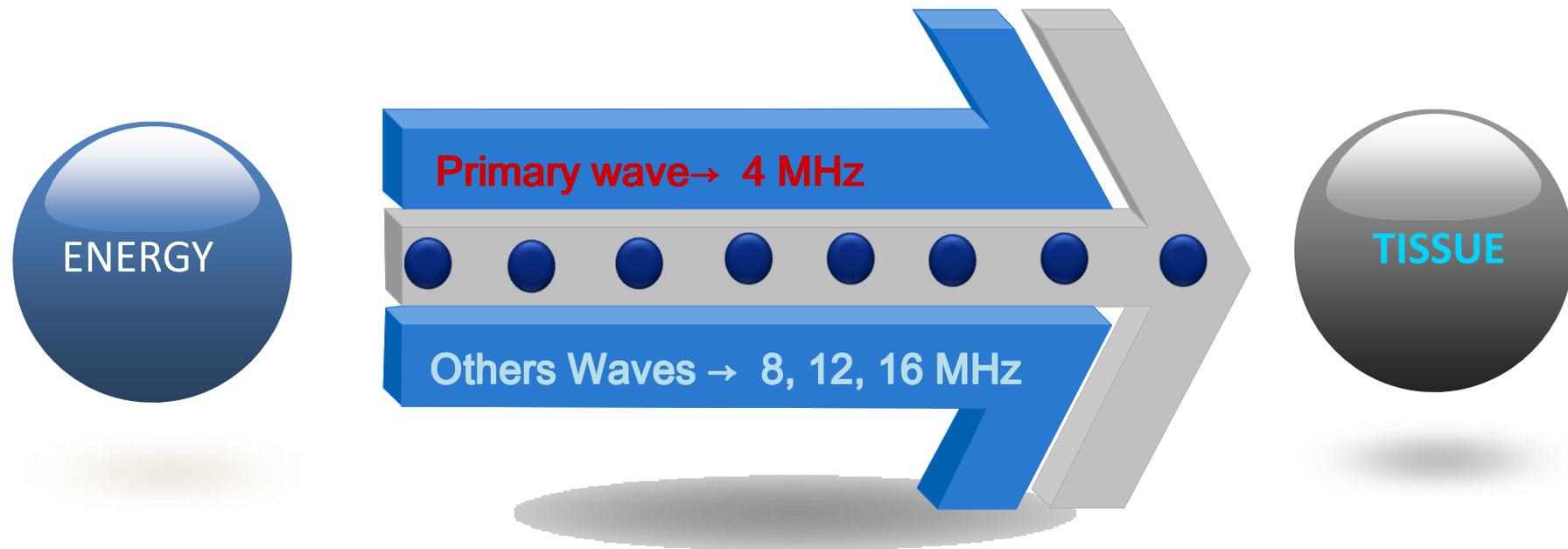
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REVOLUTIONARY TECHNOLOGY FOR TISSUE DECOMPRESSION



BIOLOGICAL EFFECT

Standard RF



QUANTUM MOLECULAR RESONANCE



Supplied Energy \neq Energy of bond

Molecular vibration

Increase temperature

Supplied Energy = Energy of bond

Breaking molecular bond

NO
Increase temperature
($T \leq 50^{\circ}\text{C}$)



FEATURES OF THE DEVICE



KIT FOR CERVICAL DISC DECOMPRESSION:



ACCESS NEEDLE

Diameter: 19G (0,91mm)

Length: 70 mm



BIPOLAR ELECTRODE

Diameter: 0,90 mm

Length: 95 mm

Insulation between 2 poles: 1,0 mm

Punta attiva: 2,0 mm

Cavo: 3m



RESABLATOR SMART: Automatic Resadisc® identification

Auto setting:

Automatic ablation power setting:

Cervical: 16W

Screen:

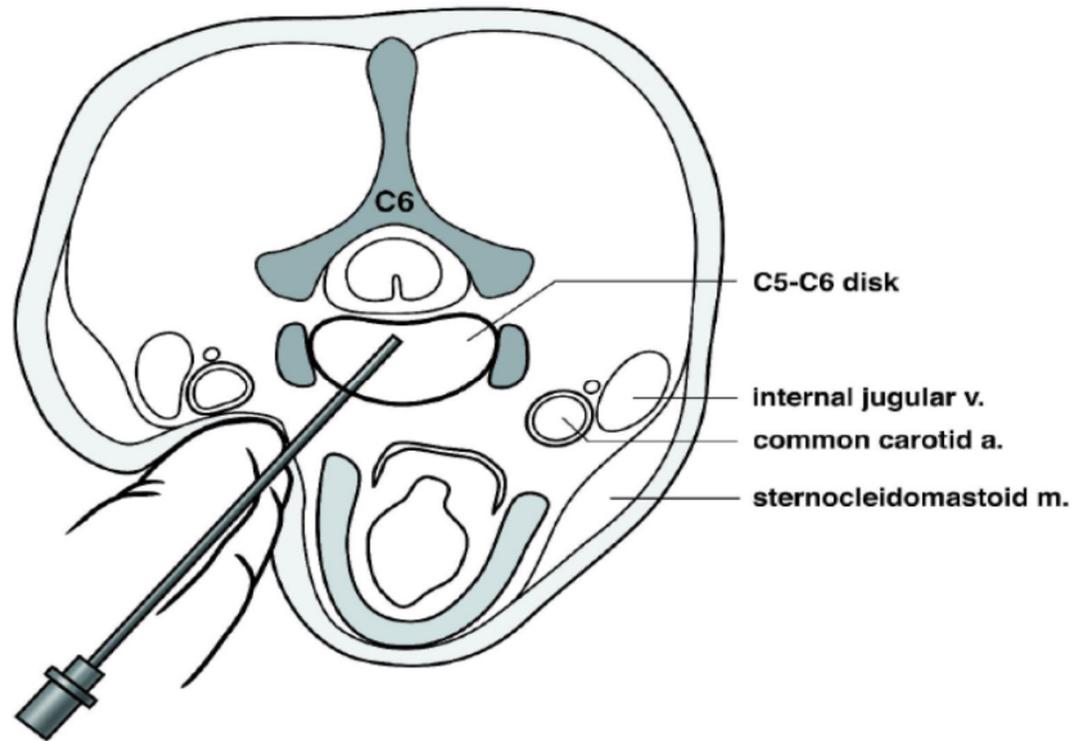
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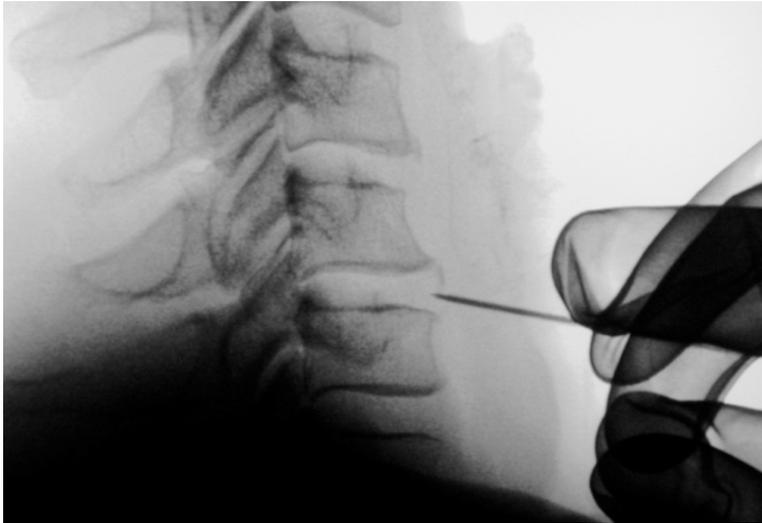
CERVICAL DECOMPRESSION SURGICAL TECHNIQUE

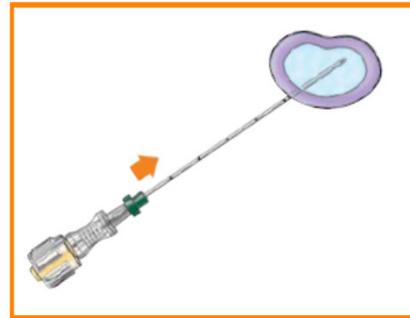


- The patient is placed in supine position
- The neck is hyperextended and the shoulders are lowered
- The disc level to be treated is identified with radioscopy
- The physician positions on the patient's right side is perfect to perform "**2 fingers approach**" moving carefully the following structures:
 - a) With forefinger: the carotid and the sternocleidomastoid muscle;
 - b) With middle finger: trachea and esophagus controlaterally
- Under radioscopic control, the needle is insert into the intervertebral disc between the vertebral bodies that the operator is perceiving while maintaining the digital pressure

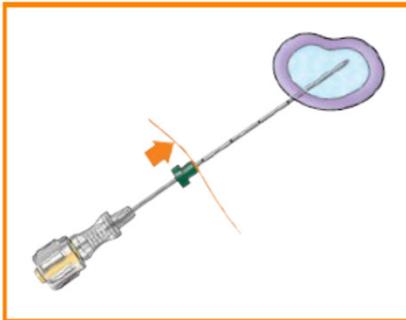
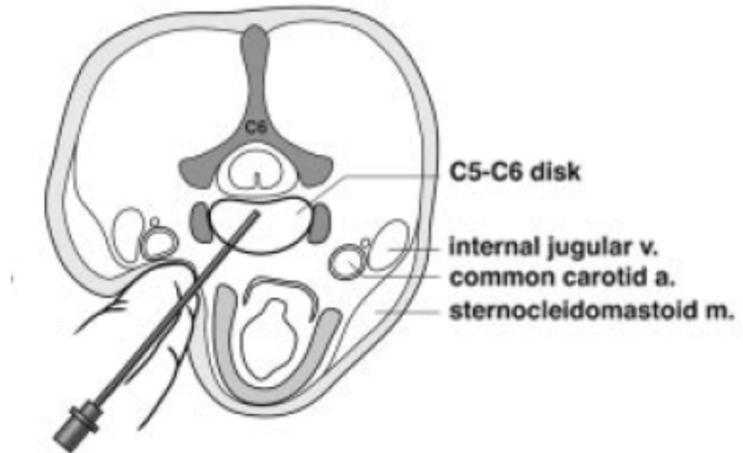








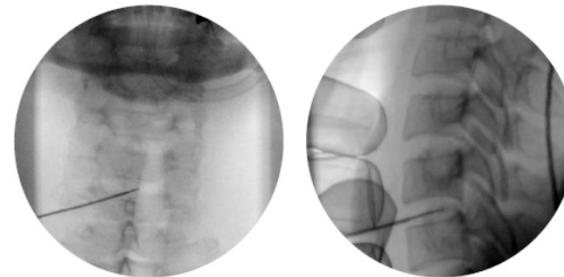
Dirigersi verso il terzo posteriore del nucleo



Marcatore riposizionato a livello della cute



Inserimento del wand con monitoraggio sotto guida fluoroscopica



Immagini fluoroscopiche



- The stylet of the access needle is removed and bipolar electrode connected to the QMR[®] Resablator SMART is inserted
- Automatic recognition of the generator (Resablator SMART) which is set to the power of 16W for cervical treatment
- 3 treatments are performed for 3 seconds each, rotating the electrode 360 degrees while delivering the decompression energy through the special pedal connected to the Resablator SMART generator



ADVANTAGES OF RESADISC SYSTEM



- Bipolar system
- Precise and localized decompression 1mm from the electrode tip
- Lower temperature <math><50^{\circ}\text{C}</math>
- No edema, no scarring and necrosis
- Reduction of post-operative pain
- Possibility of treating vertebral discs with a lower degree of hydration

