

Figure S1. Summary of the planned procedures in this clinical trial.

Period	Screening	Baseline/ Operation	Follow-up	
Visit No.	1	2	3	4
	Within 2 weeks before surgery	Day 0	1 week ± 3 days	4 weeks ± 7 days
Informed Consent	○			
Demographic Survey	○			
Medical History / Drug Administration History	○			
Physical Examination / Vital Signs	○	○	○	○
Laboratory Tests ¹	○		○	○
Pregnancy Test ²	○			○
Review of Inclusion/Exclusion Criteria	○	○		
Enrollment and Randomisation		○		
Intervention		○		
Evaluation of Efficacy				
- Visceral slide test	○ ³			○
- Assessment of adhesion symptoms			○	○
- Pain assessment (VAS)	○			○
- Surgeon satisfaction assessment		○		○
- Patient satisfaction assessment				○
Medications		○	○	○
Adverse Events		○	○	○

1: Laboratory test results within 4 weeks from the baseline could have been used as the baseline results.
- Hematology: Red blood cells (RBCs), hemoglobin, hematocrit, platelet, white blood cells (WBCs) with differential count (neutrophils, lymphocytes, monocytes, eosinophils, basophils)
- Coagulation test: Prothrombin time (PT), activated partial thromboplastin time (aPTT)
- Biochemistry: Calcium, sodium, potassium, chloride, creatinine, blood urea nitrogen (BUN), alanine aminotransferase (ALT), aspartate aminotransferase (AST), alkaline phosphatase (ALP), total bilirubin, albumin, total protein, total cholesterol, glucose (Fasting), C-reactive protein (CRP)
- Urinalysis: pH, specific gravity, protein, glucose, urobilinogen, ketone, RBCs, WBCs
2: Urine β-HCG pregnancy test was performed at screening and visit 4 for a woman of childbearing potential.
3: Visceral slide test was performed at screening for evaluation of preoperative abdominal adhesion.

Table S1. Overall satisfaction for patients and surgeons at 4 weeks after surgery

	Experimental group	Comparator group	<i>p</i>
Full analysis set	(<i>n</i> = 63, %)	(<i>n</i> = 58, %)	
Assessed by patients			0.875 ¹
0 (poor)	0	0	
1 (fair)	9 (14.3)	6 (10.3)	
2 (good)	12 (19.0)	13 (22.4)	
3 (very good)	19 (30.2)	16 (27.6)	
4 (excellent)	23 (36.5)	23 (39.7)	
Not answered	0	0	
Score	2.9 ± 1.1 (1.0–4.0)	3.0 ± 1.0 (1.0–4.0)	0.716 ²
Assessed by surgeons			<0.001 ¹
0 (poor)	0	0	
1 (fair)	0	30 (51.7)	
2 (good)	1 (1.6)	15 (25.9)	
3 (very good)	32 (50.8)	13 (22.4)	
4 (excellent)	28 (44.4)	0	
Not answered	2 (3.2)	0	
Score	3.4 ± 0.5 (2.0–4.0)	1.7 ± 0.8 (1.0–3.0)	<0.001 ²
Per protocol set	(<i>n</i> = 60, %)	(<i>n</i> = 58, %)	
Assessed by patients			0.967 ¹
0 (poor)	0	0	
1 (fair)	6 (10.0)	6 (10.34)	
2 (good)	12 (20.0)	13 (22.41)	
3 (very good)	19 (31.7)	16 (27.59)	
4 (excellent)	23 (38.3)	23 (39.66)	
Not answered	0	0	
Score	3.0 ± 1.0 (1.0–4.0)	3.0 ± 1.0, (1.0–4.0)	0.955 ²
Assessed by surgeons			<0.001 ¹
0 (poor)	0	0	
1 (fair)	0	30 (51.7)	
2 (good)	1 (1.7)	15 (25.9)	
3 (very good)	31 (51.7)	13 (22.4)	
4 (excellent)	28 (46.7)	0	
Not answered	0	0	
Score	3.5 ± 0.5 (2.0–4.0)	1.7 ± 0.8 (1.0–3.0)	<0.001 ²

Presented with mean ± SD (range) or *n* (%).¹ Chi-squared test and ² Wilcoxon's rank sum test were used.

Abbreviations: SD, standard deviation.

Table S2. Surgeon satisfaction with handling anti-adhesion agents on the day of surgery

	Experimental group	Comparator group	<i>p</i>
Full analysis set	(<i>n</i> = 63, %)	(<i>n</i> = 58, %)	
Assessed by surgeons			<0.001 ¹
0 (poor)	0	0	
1 (fair)	0	30 (51.7)	
2 (good)	0	16 (27.6)	
3 (very good)	32 (50.8)	12 (20.7)	
4 (excellent)	29 (46.0)	0	
Not answered	2 (3.2)	0	
Score	3.5 ± 0.5 (3.0–4.0)	1.7 ± 0.8 (1.0–3.0)	<0.001 ²
Per protocol set	(<i>n</i> = 60, %)	(<i>n</i> = 58, %)	
Assessed by surgeons			<0.001 ¹
0 (poor)	0	0	
1 (fair)	0	30 (51.7)	
2 (good)	0	16 (27.6)	
3 (very good)	31(51.7)	12 (20.7)	
4 (excellent)	29 (48.3)	0	
Not answered	0	0	
Score	3.5 ± 0.5 (3.0–4.0)	1.7 ± 0.8 (1.0–3.0)	<0.001 ²

Presented with mean ± SD (range) or *n* (%). ¹ Chi-squared test and ² Wilcoxon's rank sum test were used.

Abbreviations: SD, standard deviation.

Table S3. Comparisons of adverse events among the three groups in safety set

	Experimental group (n = 64)		Control group (n = 61)		Comparator group (n = 58)		p
	No. of patients (%) (95% CI)*	No. of events	No. of patients (%) (95% CI)*	No. of events	No. of patients (%) (95% CI)*	No. of events	
Treatment Emergent Adverse Events (TEAE)		Mild 108		Mild 91		Mild 105	0.375 ¹
	54 (84.4) (75.5–93.3)	Moderate 13	47 (77.0) (66.5–87.6)	Moderate 10	50 (86.2) (77.3–95.1)	Moderate 14	
		Severe 0		Severe 2		Severe 3	
		Total 121		Total 103		Total 122	
Adverse Device Effect (ADE)		Mild 1		Mild 0		Mild 0	N/A
	1 (1.6) (0.0–8.4)	Moderate 0	0 (0.0–5.9)	Moderate 0	0 (0.0–6.2)	Moderate 0	
		Severe 0		Severe 0		Severe 0	
		Total 1		Total 0		Total 0	
Serious TEAE		Mild 0		Mild 0		Mild 0	>0.999 ²
	1 (1.6) (0.0–8.4)	Moderate 1	1 (1.6) (0.0–8.8)	Moderate 1	1 (1.7) (0.0–9.2)	Moderate 1	
		Severe 0		Severe 0		Severe 0	
		Total 1		Total 1		Total 1	
Serious ADE		Mild 0		Mild 0		Mild 0	N/A
	0 (0.0–5.6)	Moderate 0	0 (0.0–5.9)	Moderate 0	0 (0.0–6.2)	Moderate 0	
		Severe 0		Severe 0		Severe 0	
		Total 0		Total 0		Total 0	

* 95% confidence interval of incidence rate of TEAE/ADE.

¹ Chi-square or ² Fisher's exact test was used in comparisons of categorical variables among the three groups.

Abbreviations: CI, confidence interval; N/A, not applicable.