

# SMART STAPLING GREATER CONSISTENCY

By using Smart technology, Signia™ stapler adapts to tissue variation as you fire. Combined with Tri-Staple™ technology this delivers **more consistent staple lines.**



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# THE FUTURE OF STAPLING IS IN YOUR HAND.

The Signia™ stapler is fully powered which means it rotates, articulates and fires all with a single hand enabling the surgeon to stay focused on the surgical site.

The Signia™ stapler with Adaptive Firing™ technology, adjusts firing speed based on force feedback during clamping and firing to optimise staple formation and deliver more consistent staple lines.<sup>2,3</sup>

The Signia™ stapler doesn't just adapt to tissue variability, it lets you know when it does, with audible and visual feedback displayed on the handle — before you fire. It's made possible by tissue-sensing technology.<sup>1-3</sup>

When the Signia™ stapler is clamped on tissue, it will:

- Display real-time feedback, showing the device is ready to fire<sup>5</sup>
- Set one of three firing speeds based on the tissue clamped<sup>2,3</sup>
- Adjust firing speed based on tissue variability and thickness<sup>1-3</sup>

When the Signia™ stapler is combined with Tri-Staple™ technology you will also receive:

- Less stress on tissue<sup>7</sup>
- Greater perfusion into the staple line<sup>8</sup>
- Outstanding performance in variable tissue

■ Fully powered articulation, rotation, clamping, and firing provides precision and manoeuvrability<sup>4</sup>

■ An LED screen displays real-time feedback

■ Well-balanced in the hand during use<sup>6</sup>

■ Single-handed operation frees your other hand to focus on the surgical site<sup>1</sup>



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