

# SCOUT<sup>®</sup> REPORT



News and Views on Surgical Guidance  
and Breast Tumor Localization

## SCOUT Surpasses a Quarter of a Million Procedures

Merit Medical has reached an important milestone as a quarter of a million patients have benefited from SCOUT wire-free Radar localization. Our commitment to ongoing product enhancements, customer training and support, and clinical education contributes to this achievement. However, this milestone would not be possible without the input and support of our valued customers.

initial placement. SCOUT's accuracy of  $\pm 1$  mm allows the surgeon to precisely locate tumors, increasing the probability of complete cancer removal. It reduces the likelihood of needing follow-up surgeries—a considerable advantage for early-stage breast cancer patients. In addition, the ability to strategically plan the incision without needing to follow the path of a wire may result in better cosmetic outcomes.



1. Merit Medical Systems, Inc – Data on File

### How did we get here?

With a clinically insignificant MRI artifact, there is no restriction on the imaging modalities that can be used effectively throughout a patient's treatment. This gives physicians the ability to place a reflector at the time of biopsy, prior to neoadjuvant chemotherapy (NAC), and to enable targeted axillary dissection. The SCOUT Reflector has minimal migration and can instill confidence that it has remained exactly in place days and months after

Although SCOUT has been used primarily for breast tumor localization, its soft-tissue indication has seen its utility expand to other parts of the body including soft-tissue sarcoma, lung, and lymph nodes.

# Our Commitment to You

Merit Medical remains committed to you, your staff, and the patients you serve. We are dedicated to delivering exceptional customer service as well as more product enhancements and platform expansion to help reduce the burden cancer places on your patients and their loved ones. Thank you for your ongoing support and partnership in wire-free localization with SCOUT.

We wish you, your families, your staff, and your patients Happy Holidays and a Happy New Year.



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