What Reli™ Sutures are available? Are they absorbable or non-absorbable?

- Silk Black Braided – Non-absorbable
- Polypropylene – Non-absorbable
- Black Nylon - Non-absorbable
- Green Polyester – Non-absorbable
- Coated PGA Braided (dyed and non-dyed) - Absorbable
- Plain Gut - Absorbable
- Chromic Gut – Absorbable
- Monofilament – Absorbable

What is the difference between absorbable and non-absorbable sutures?

Absorbable sutures are naturally dissolved and digested by the body’s cells and fluids in the area where the sutures are embedded during the healing process. These types of sutures are typically used internally.

Non-absorbable sutures cannot be digested by the body and must be removed. These types of sutures are typically used for external cuts and incisions.

What suture needle shapes does MYCO Medical offer?

- Reverse Cutting (REV)
- Taper Cut (TAP CUT)
- Taper Point (TAP PT)
- Spatula

What suture needle sizes does MYCO Medical offer?

Needle sizes include 3/8 and ½ circles in multiple design configurations.

What range of suture sizes (diameters) and lengths are offered in Reli™ Sutures?

Suture sizes range from 1-0 (0) to 6-0 (000000) with suture lengths including 10”, 18” and 27”.
How are Reli™ Sutures sterilized?

Plain Gut and Chromic Gut sutures are sterilized via gamma radiation.

Polypropylene, Polyester Green Braided, Silk Black Braided, Coated PGA Braided, and Black Nylon sutures are sterilized via ethylene oxide.

When or where are different kinds of sutures used?

Silk Black Braided and Chromic Gut sutures are typically used during oral surgery. Polypropylene and Polyester Green Braided sutures are usually used by hospitals, whereas surgery centers utilize Monofilament sutures. Black Nylon sutures and Coated PGA sutures are most often used by plastic surgeons and dermatologists.

Can I buy Reli™ Sutures directly from MYCO Medical?

MYCO Medical currently utilizes a distribution-only sales model. Please contact your local distributor representative for product information and availability.