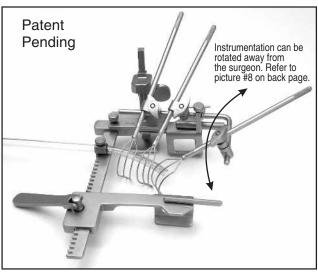
# McCarthy Mini-Sternotomy Retractor with Universal Lift

### **INDICATIONS FOR USE:**

Patrick McCarthy, MD, Chief of Cardiac Services, Northwestern Memorial Hospital designed the McCarthy Mini Sternotomy Retractor in conjunction with Kapp Surgical Instrument, Inc. This self-retaining retractor was designed to provide excellent exposure for a variety of valve operations, Maze procedure, or other intra cardiac procedures. It can also be used for mini sternotomy or coronary artery bypass operations or for mini sternotomy procedures depending upon the patient's size. The removable lift attachment allows for better exposure for valve procedures.



McCarthy Mini-Sternotomy Retractor (Complete set) Cat.# KS-7600

View from right side of patient

## McCarthy Mini-Sternotomy Retractor with Universal Lift

- A 5 inch modified chest spreader.
- Small but strong, with unique blades for ease of access retracting for either a proximal or distal mini-sternotomy procedure.
- Wire baskets are smaller and more malleable for better retraction allowing more surgical exposure.
- Optional CO<sub>2</sub> tubing clip can be attached at any point along the rear bar.

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Universal Lift Cat.# KS-7650



View cephalad to the sternum

#### **Universal Lift**

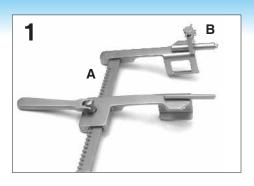
The Universal Lift is placed on the sternal retractor arm that is attached to the patient's left side and is used to lift the left side of the patient's sternum.

The Lift acts as a jack to lift the patient's left chest approximately 1 to 2 inches, resulting in greater surgical exposure.

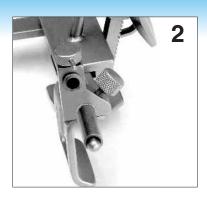




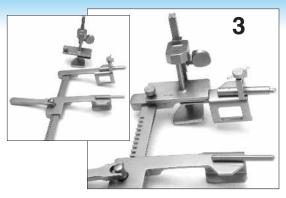
## McCarthy Mini-Sternotomy Retractor INSTRUCTIONS



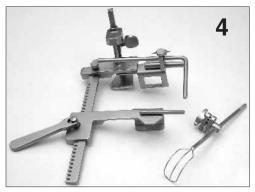
**Picture #1** Position your chest spreader (A). Slide the Main Bracket (B) onto the chest spreader moving right to left.



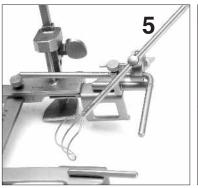
**Picture #2** Main Bracket mounted on the chest spreader. Main Bracket must have screw facing outside of chest cavity.



**Picture #3** Universal Lift w/ Retractor. Lift is placed on the sternal retractor arm that is attached to the patient's left side and is used to lift the left side of the patient's sternum.



**Picture #4** Right Angle Transverse Bar mounted in Main Bracket & optional Split Universal Clamp shown with retractor blade.

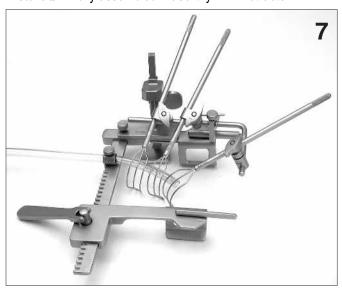


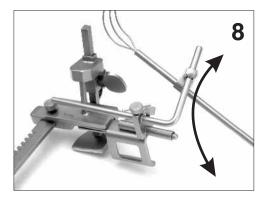
**Picture #5** If desired, the Split Universal Clamp can be attached next to stop washer.



**Picture #6** McCarthy Mini Retractor with blades and suction tubing shown.







Picture #8

Additional feature:
The Right Angle
Transverse Bar can
be rotated in an
upward position away
from the surgeon and
the surgical site.

Caution: Nuts and screws are not removable.