

What is the UroLift System?

The UroLift® System treatment is a revolutionary, minimally invasive approach to treating an enlarged prostate, or BPH, that lifts or holds the enlarged prostate tissue out of the way so it no longer blocks the urethra. There is no cutting, heating or removal of prostate tissue.

Clinical data has shown that the UroLift System treatment is safe and effective in relieving lower urinary tract symptoms due to BPH without compromising sexual function. The goal of the UroLift System treatment is to relieve symptoms so you can get back to your life and resume your daily activities.

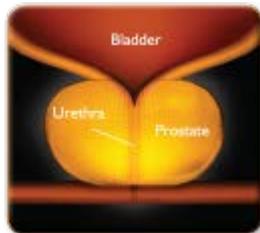
Medicare and many other private insurance companies cover the UroLift System.

Advantages of the UroLift System:

- rapid symptom relief, better than reported for medications
- risk profile better than reported for surgical procedures such as TURP
- preservation of sexual function
- return to normal activity in days not months
- increased quality of life
- no ongoing BPH medications
- nineteen clinical study publications; 4 years published clinical data

How does the UroLift System work?

It's a straightforward procedure that is performed by a urologist. The urologist places tiny implants to hold the prostate lobes apart, like open curtains on a window, to relieve compression on the urethra. This allows urine to flow normally again. The UroLift System treatment is done at the Owatonna Hospital under local anesthesia. Typically, patients return home the same day without a catheter.



Enlarged Prostate: An enlarged prostate compresses on the urethra, making it difficult for urine to flow.



Step 1: The UroLift Device is placed through the obstructed urethra to access the enlarged prostate.



Step 2: Small UroLift Implants are permanently placed to lift and hold the enlarged prostate tissues out of the way and increase the opening of the urethra. The permanent implants are delivered through a small needle that comes out of the UroLift delivery device and into the prostate.



Step 3: The UroLift delivery device is removed, leaving an open urethra designed to provide symptom relief.

Ask Your Doctor

The UroLift System is not for everyone – men with an obstructive or protruding median lobe of the prostate or those whose prostates are too big or too long are not candidates.

Talk with your doctor about your individual situation to find out if the UroLift System may be right for you or if one of our other therapies might be a better fit.