



Guideline Amendment Summary

Incontinence after Prostate Treatment

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The changes below constitute updates made in the 2024 Amendment:

Section	Document Update
Purpose	This section has been modified as it was duplicate information already discussed in the Introduction section
Methodology	The methodology section has been updated to note updated search dates and amendment peer review details
Introduction	Section has been updated to include text on defining social incontinence and mild, moderate, and severe incontinence The subsections on Panel Formation and Article Selections has been updated to reflect the 2024 review process
Determination of Evidence Strength	This section has been updated to include AUA's Strength of Evidence system. Table 1 has been added to define AUA's Strength of Evidence
Peer review and Document Approval	This section has been updated with new information on the peer review and approval process
Statement #1	Statement has been updated to expand localized prostate cancer treatment The supporting text has been updated to provide information on the effects of radiation therapy on continence
Statement #2	Statement has been updated to expand localized prostate cancer treatment The supporting text has been updated to provide information on impact of radiation therapy sexual continence



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Statement #17	Statement has been updated to include “mild to severe” stress urinary incontinence after prostate treatment
Statement #20	Statement wording has been modified to make the recommendation actionable; however, the meaning of the statement has not changed Supporting text edits were made, and a paragraph has been removed for clarification
Statement #21	Statement wording has been modified to make the recommendation actionable; however, the meaning of the statement has not changed Supporting text edits were made to add “bothersome isolated climacturia”
Statement #22	Statement has been updated to specify “non-radiated patients” and to cover “mild to severe” stress urinary incontinence after prostate treatment The recommendation type has been modified from “Moderate” to “Conditional” as per AUA guideline nomenclature. The supporting text has been modified to discuss new data
Statement #24	Statement wording has been modified to make the recommendation actionable; however, the meaning of the statement has not changed Supporting text has been updated to include information on sling efficacy and outcomes amongst the radiated population
Statement #27	This is a new statement based on new literature
Statement #32	This statement was previously Statement #31 and moved into the Complications after Surgery section The statement text was not changed
Statement #33	This is a new Expert Opinion statement developed by the Panel with new supporting text



Section	Document Update
Statement #35	<p>This statement has been updated to replace “climacturia” with “incontinence during sexual activity”</p> <p>New evidence supported an upgrade in recommendation type from “Conditional” to “Moderate” recommendation</p> <p>The supporting text was updated to reflect the recommendation change</p>
Future Directions	<p>This section has been updated to include information on ATOMS® adjustable transobturator sling as well as information on future refinements to therapies that affect continence after prostate treatment</p>
References	<p>The references were updated to support the new additions throughout the Guideline</p>
Algorithm	<p>The AUS Failure Algorithm has been updated to specify Cystoscopy at the beginning</p> <p>“Add cuff” was removed from the box after PRB with normal fluid</p> <p>“Increase pressure in PRB” was changed to “Higher pressure PRB”</p>

Note: Additional editorial changes were made throughout the guideline to align with current AUA guideline criteria and for consistency purposes. These additional changes were not substantial and were not content-related.