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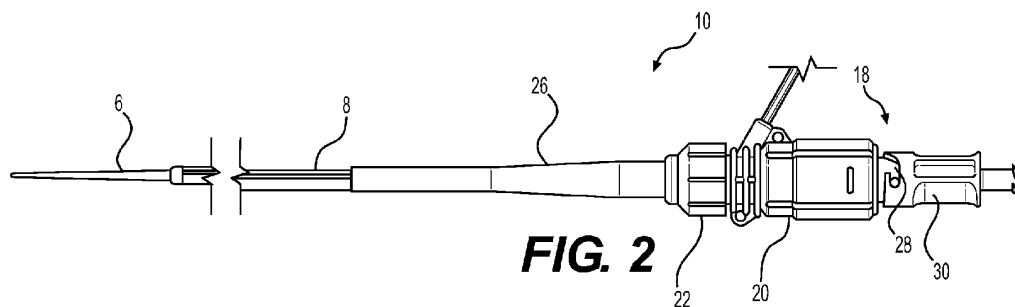
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(57) **Abstract:** A sheath locking system comprising an introducer locking hub 30 comprising a hub body 32 defining a locking channel 38 for engaging a corresponding guide 31 on a sheath locking sleeve 28. The sheath locking sleeve removably coupled to the introducer locking hub via engagement between the guide and the locking channel. The sheath locking sleeve is movable between an unlocked position where the sheath locking sleeve is rotationally and axially movable with respect to the introducer locking hub, and a locked position where the sheath locking sleeve is axially fixed with respect to the introducer locking hub.



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