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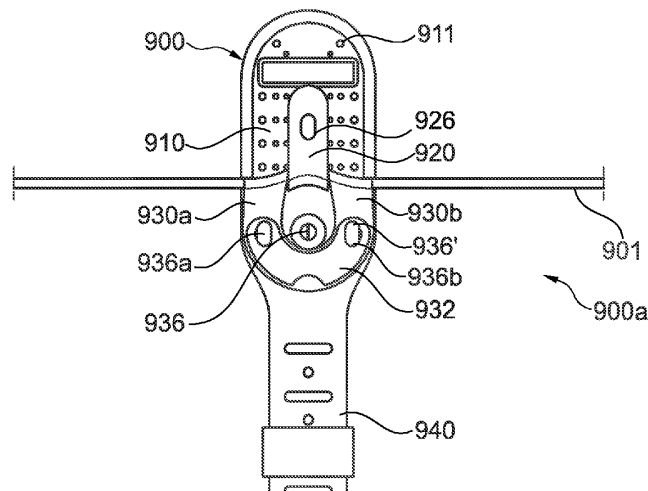


Fig. 16

(57) Abstract: Disclosed is a securement device (100) for securement of a flexible conduit (101a, 101b), a medical system comprising a securement device and a conduit secured thereto; and a method of securing a flexible conduit. A securement device comprises a support portion and elastically extendable first (132a) and second straps (120) coupled thereto. In use, the straps are attached to a flexible conduit, which is urged into a curved or convoluted pathway. The straps may elastically extend when tension is applied to the conduit and the securement device isolates the conduit extending to one side of the securement device from tension applied to the conduit on the other side of the securement device.

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