

MEDICAL CONNECTOR

ABSTRACT

A connector (1) is constituted by a first member (10) and a second member
5 (40). The first member (10) has a male connecting portion (11) at a first end and a
screwing structure (26) at a second end. The male connecting portion (11) is inserted
into a female connecting portion (41) of the second member (40). A first engagement
structure (15) is provided on the first member (10), and a second engagement structure
10 (45) is provided on the second member (40) so as to be able to abut against the first
engagement structure (15) in the circumferential direction. When a rotational force of
a predetermined value or greater is applied to the first member (10) in a tightening
direction (R1) of the screwing structure (26), one of the first engagement structure (15)
and the second engagement structure (45) is plastically deformed by the other, so that
15 the first member (10) is then rotatable in both forward and reverse directions relative
to the second member (40).

Fig. 3