



Bistouri

Log every cut.

iPhone

Welcome to Bistouri

Bistouri is a surgical case log for McGill residents. You log an OR case on your iPhone in under 30 seconds, see where you stand against your program's targets, and your program director follows your progress without a spreadsheet.

Get set up in 5 minutes

Install Bistouri from the App Store

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Scan the code with your iPhone camera, or search for **Bistouri** in the App Store. It's free and needs iOS 17 or later.

On Android? Ask for the Android guide. Bistouri runs in Chrome with the same account.



Bistouri on the App Store

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Sign in with your McGill email

Open Bistouri, enter your **@mcgill.ca** or **@mail.mcgill.ca** address and tap **Email me a code**. Type in the 6-digit code from the email. You never need a password.

No code after a couple of minutes? Check your Junk or Clutter folder, then tap Resend code. If your program director invited you with another address, use that one.

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Pick your program and PGY year

This loads your program's own procedure list, roles and targets. Cardiac Surgery and Vascular Surgery are open now. Add your name so your program director can see your progress.

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Log your first case

On the **Cases** tab, tap **+ Log case**. Pick the site, your role and the procedure, tick the steps you did yourself, then tap **Save case**.

Use + and – to count repeated steps, such as three distal anastomoses.

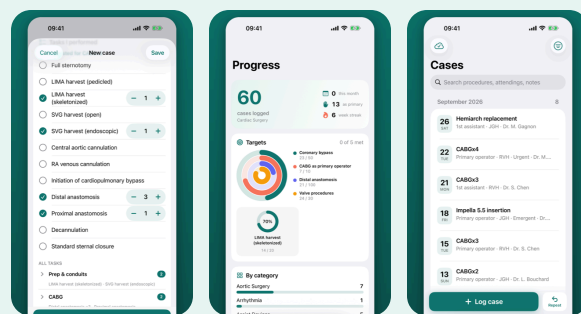
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See where you stand

The **Progress** tab shows your totals against your program's minimums. When you log a case, Bistouri also suggests the EPAs it could count toward, so you know what to request.

Make it a habit

Log the case right after you scrub out, while you still remember who did what. It takes less time than writing it down for later.



● Logging

- Search for a procedure by name or shorthand (e.g. "CABGx3")
- Tap **Repeat** to start a copy of your last case
- Say "Log a case in Bistouri" to Siri
- Log in the OR with no signal. Cases sync when you're back online.
- Tap a case to edit it. Swipe right to duplicate, left to delete.

● Progress

- Progress rings against your program's minimums
- Totals by category, your top tasks and your weekly streak
- Achievements. Major ones are announced to your program (you can make them anonymous in Settings).
- Settings → turn on the Face ID lock

No patient identifiers, ever

Never enter a patient's name, MRN, health card number or date of birth in any field. The private note on a case is encrypted and stays on your iPhone only. It is never uploaded or backed up, so it won't follow you to a new phone.

| Good to know

- Settings → **Export cases to Excel** gives you a copy of everything you've logged.
- New phone? Install Bistouri and sign in. Your cases come back on their own.
- Your program director sees your cases and progress. Other residents don't.

- Bistouri is a self-reported educational log. It doesn't replace your program's official records.
- You can delete your account and all your cases at any time in Settings.

| Questions or ideas

Email

Missing procedure, wrong task, a bug or an idea? Write to support@steadyhandsoftware.com.

Your program director

Your program director sets your procedure list and targets, and can invite residents who don't have a McGill address.

Happy logging.

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