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Another of the Lap Band Advantages is that the procedure will not require cutting or stapling of the stomach, resulting in no long-term scars.

Those who undergo this weight loss operation also soon discover that lap band surgery does not involve dividing, relocating or stapling internal organs, so there is minimal chance of bleeding or leakage.

The Lap band procedure does not result in permanent alteration of the stomach, or for that matter, any other section of the digestive system.

While the small intestine may seem like a large organ, one portion of the intestine may not be able to function in the same manner as another portion.

Since each portion is specifically assigned to take in certain nutrients, if that portion of the intestine is damaged or removed with a more invasive surgery, a patient may end up under nourished.

With the lap band operation, an individual's intestines remain intact, and in position.

Since a person's digestive organs remain intact during the lap band procedure, their body still absorbs all the nutrients with the food they consume.