

Date: 2022-01-27

Field Safety Notice: Intended Use Modification ECG Prewired Electrodes: CLARAVUE

For Attention of: Vigilance Responsible / Healthcare team / Biomedical Engineering Department

SUMMARY:




Before using Monophasic Defibrillators, Remove the ECG Prewired Electrodes CLARAVUE.

No incidents were reported to us on the nearly 4 million of CLARAVUE sold but as preventive action, Nissha Medical Technologies has decided to inform end-user about the potential risk of using this product with **Monophasic** defibrillators.

Indeed, if defibrillator is directly in contact with electrodes on each side it may hypothetically lead to sparks on the connector between wires of CLARAVUE and Trunk Cable (as shown on below picture). This potential failure may reduce the energy delivered to the patient which may lead to the inefficiency of the defibrillation. In addition, it may be a fire ignition source.



Urgent Field Safety Notice (FSN)
ECG Prewired Electrodes : CLARAVUE
Risk addressed by FSN

1. Information on Affected Devices																															
1.	<div>1. Device Type(s)</div> <div>CLARAVUE® are prewired electrodes intended for use in electrocardiographic procedures, as passive sensors for the derivation of electrical signals from the heart, in a hospital setting by qualified medical personnel. The prewired electrodes are pre-gelled, single patient use, non-sterile, and are to be applied on clean intact skin. Intended patient groups are adults, children, and infants.</div> <div></div>																														
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2 Reason for Notification of Preventive Action	
2.	1. Description of the product problem No incident, but potential risk of sparks if use of monophasic defibrillator
2.	2. Hazard giving rise to the FSCA Potential sparks while using monophasic defibrillator may lead to inefficient defibrillation due to loss of energy which may lead to failure of the resuscitation procedure.
2.	3. Probability of problem arising This problem is highly unlikely as no incidents were reported over the nearly 4 million products sold over the past 10 years.

3. Type of Action to mitigate the risk					
3.	1. Action To Be Taken by the User <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Identify Device <input type="checkbox"/> Quarantine Device <input type="checkbox"/> Return Device <input type="checkbox"/> Destroy Device </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <input type="checkbox"/> On-site device modification/inspection <input type="checkbox"/> Follow patient management recommendations </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Take note of amendment/reinforcement of Instructions For Use (IFU) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> None </div> <p>Check if Monophasic Defibrillator is available at your location, if yes, take necessary preventive action as training and labelling.</p>				
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3.	5. Action Being Taken by the Manufacturer <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Product Removal <input type="checkbox"/> On-site device modification/inspection </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Software upgrade <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IFU or labelling change </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> None </div> <p>Please find enclosed the update IFU for information and diffusion.</p>				
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4. General Information		
4.	1. FSN Type	New
4.	2. Manufacturer information (For contact details of local representative refer to page 1 of this FSN)	
	a. Company Name	NISSHA MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIES SAS
	b. Address	23-25 Boulevard de la Paix 95800 Cergy
	c. Website address	NisshaMedical.com
4.	3. The Competent (Regulatory) Authority of your country has been informed about this communication to customers.	
4.	4. Name/Signature	Roch MIGNOT Quality & Regulatory Affairs Manager

Transmission of this Field Safety Notice	
	<p>This notice needs to be passed on all those who need to be aware within your organisation or to any organisation where the devices have been transferred.</p> <p>Please maintain awareness on this notice and resulting action for an appropriate period to ensure effectiveness of the corrective action.</p> <p>Please report all device-related incidents to the manufacturer, distributor or local representative, and the national Competent Authority if appropriate, as this provides important feedback.</p>

5. ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RECEIPT TO SEND BACK by email to : FRquality@nisshamedical.com		
5	1. Health Institution / Distributor / Customer	
5	2. Name and Function	
5.	3. Name/Signature	
	<i>I understand the FSN and I transmit the information to all users of CLARAVUE electrodes.</i>	