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Urgent Field Safety Notice (RECALL)

Guedel Airways

For Attention of*: MDSO's, All clinical staff, Managers and users of the above products, including those who may use them remotely.

Contact details of local representative (name, e-mail, telephone, address etc.)*
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Risk addressed by FSN

	1. Information on Affected Devices*
1.	1. Device Type(s)*
	Guedel Airway
1.	2. Commercial name(s)
	One-piece Guedel airway, size 2, ISO 8.0, green One-piece Guedel airway, size 3, ISO 9.0, yellow
1.	3. Unique Device Identifier(s) (UDI-DI)
	5030267050659 5030267050680
	4. Primary clinical purpose of device(s)*
	To establish and maintain a patent airway.
1.	5. Device Model/Catalogue/part number(s)*
	REF: 1112080 REF: 1113090
1.	6. Software version
	N/A
1.	7. Affected serial or lot number range
	REF: 1112080 32407072 32408311 32409113 32409836 32410538 32411087 32413963 32414447 32415284 32415941 32416250 32420438 32420919 32421649 32422162 32422693 32423127 **REF: 1113090** 32405556 32407910 32411760 32412318 32413156 32413519 32413704 32417556 32418359 32419010 32419599 32420657 32421079 32422296 32423332 32423849 32424213
1.	8. Associated devices
	N/A.

	2. Reason for Field Safety Corrective Action (FSCA)*
2.	1. Description of the product problem*
	During manufacture small plastic burrs have been identified inside the Guedel Airways, as shown below.
2.	2. Hazard giving rise to the FSCA*
	The device is potentially contaminated with small plastic burrs inside the Guedel or packaging from the manufacturing process. If the burr becomes detached and is inhaled, it could result in potential complications such as airway obstruction, tissue irritation, inflammation and infection.
2.	3. Probability of problem arising
	High in the affected Lot number range.
2.	4. Predicted risk to patient/users
	The risks associated with the identified fault have been reviewed, where the probability of harm is low, but due to the higher rate of possible occurrence we feel it is essential to address the issue promptly to further reduce the risk of any potential patient harm.
2.	5. Further information to help characterise the problem
	N/A
2.	6. Background on Issue
	A non-conformance was raised for plastic burrs found inside the Guedel Airway during manufacture. The fault was caused by damaged production equipment contacting the inside of the Guedel Airway, which has since been corrected with no further problems identified. Further evaluation of products and manufacturing records has enabled us to confirm the range of products and lot numbers under this FSCA. No reports of this problem have been reported from the market to-date.
2.	7. Other information relevant to FSCA N/A

	3. Type of Action to mitigate the risk*	
3.	**1. Action To Be Taken by the User*** ☒ Identify Device ☒ Quarantine Device ☒ Return Device ☐ Destroy Device ☐ On-site device modification/inspection ☐ Follow patient management recommendations ☐ Take note of amendment/reinforcement of Instructions For Use (IFU) ☒ Other ☐ None Please distribute this Field Safety Notice to all potential users of the Guedel Airway devices listed above, within your facility. This is for their awareness of the potential problem and to carry out the following actions. 1. Identify and immediately quarantine any potentially affected products from the affected code and lot numbers listed above. 2. Please complete the Reply Form below to confirm the products you have identified, to arrange collection of the devices and a credit. 3. If you have no affected devices in stock, please confirm this using the Reply Form below. 4. Please return the Reply Form provided below to recalls@intersurgical.nl , to confirm receipt of this notice and that the necessary actions have been taken. **Please note**: This is a Recall. Please continue to report to Intersurgical any adverse events involving this product.	
3.	2. By when should the action be completed?	Immediately on receipt of this FSN and ongoing until no affected stock listed in this FSN is remaining.
3.	3. Particular considerations for: N/A Is follow-up of patients or review of patients' previous results recommended? Not applicable.	
3.	4. Is customer Reply Required? * (If yes, form attached specifying deadline for return)	Yes
3.	**5. Action Being Taken by the Manufacturer** ☒ Product Removal ☐ On-site device modification/inspection ☐ Software upgrade ☐ IFU or labelling change ☐ Other ☐ None	
3	6. By when should the action be completed?	Two months from receipt of the FSN
3.	7. Is the FSN required to be communicated to the patient /lay user?	No

3	8. If yes, has manufacturer provided additional information suitable for the patient/lay user in a patient/lay or non-professional user information letter/sheet?
	N/A

	4. General Information*	
4.	1. FSN Type*	New – Recall Notice
4.	2. For updated FSN, reference number and date of previous FSN	N/A
4.	**3.** For Updated FSN, key new information as follows:	
	N/A	
4.	4. Further advice or information already expected in follow-up FSN? *	No
4	5. If follow-up FSN expected, what is the further advice expected to relate to:	
	N/A	
4	6. Anticipated timescale for follow-up FSN	N/A
4.	7. Manufacturer information (For contact details of local representative refer to page 1 of this FSN)	
	a. Company Name	**Intersurgical Ltd.**
	b. Address	**Crane House, Molly Millars Lane, Wokingham, Berkshire, RG41 2RZ**
	c. Website address	**https://www.intersurgical.com/**
4.	8. The Competent (Regulatory) Authority of your country has been informed about this communication to customers. *	
4.	9. List of attachments/appendices:	**Customer Reply Form**
4.	10. Name/Signature	**Ivan Seniut, Group Quality and Regulatory Affairs Director, Intersurgical**

	Transmission of this Field Safety Notice
	This notice needs to be passed on all those who need to be aware within your organisation or to any organisation where the potentially affected devices have been transferred. (As appropriate) Please transfer this notice to other organisations on which this action has an impact. (As appropriate) Please maintain awareness on this notice and resulting action for an appropriate period to ensure effectiveness of the corrective action.

	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.

Note: Fields indicated by * are considered necessary for all FSNs. Others are optional.