

FSN & FSCA Ref: 2020FA0002

Date: 17-Jan-2020

## <u>Urgent Field Safety Notice</u> <u>Product Removal- Hemospray Endoscopic Hemostat</u>

For Attention of: Chief Executive / Risk Management / Purchasing/ Recall Coordinator

### Contact details of local representative (name, e-mail, telephone, address etc.)

Cook Medical Europe Ltd.

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Limerick, Ireland

E-mail: European.FieldAction@CookMedical.com

Phone: Please refer to the attached Country Contacts List

For any further information or support concerning the information within this FSN, please contact your local Cook Medical Sales Representative or Cook Medical Europe Ltd.



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# <u>Urgent Field Safety Notice (FSN)</u> <u>Hemospray Endoscopic Hemostat</u>

	Information on Affected Devices				
1.	1. Device Type(s)				
	Hemospray Endoscopic Hemostat is an upper-gastrointestinal haemostasis device supplied sterile.				
1. 2. Commercial name(s)					
	Hemospray Endoscopic Hemostat				
1.	Primary clinical purpose of device(s)				
	This device is used for haemostasis of nonvariceal upper gastrointestinal bleeding.				
1.	4. Device Model/Catalogue/part number(s)				
	HEMO-7-EU, HEMO-10-EU				
1.	5. Affected serial or lot number range				
	All lot numbers manufactured 16 January 2017 to 15 January 2020.				

Reason for Field Safety Corrective Action (FSCA)						
2.						
	Cook Medical has received complaints regarding Hemospray Endoscopic Hem					
	devices for the handle and/or activation knob cracking or breaking while the device					
	activated, prior to and during use. This has led to the carbon dioxide cartridge exiting					
handle. Most of these complaints reported that the carbon dioxide cartridge exite						
handle with minimal force. However, there have been complaints that the carbon						
cartridge exited the handle with force. There has been one (1) complaint reporte						
	the user sustained a laceration to the hand which required basic first aid.					
2.	Hazard giving rise to the FSCA					
	Potential adverse effects to the user that may occur if an affected product is used include					
	superficial laceration, laceration, or permanent impairment of a body structure. Please					
	note that there have been no reports of a serious deterioration to the state of health to					
	the user due to the carbon dioxide cartridge exiting the handle.					
2.	3. Probability of problem arising					
	The probability of this incident occurring is 0.022%.					
2.	Predicted risk to patient/users					
	The individual risk of harm to the user is negligible.					
2.	5. Background on Issue					
	Cook Medical has received complaints regarding Hemospray Endoscopic Hemostat					
	devices for the handle and/or activation knob cracking or breaking while the device is					
	activated; some of which have led to the carbon dioxide cartridge exiting the device.					
	There is no root cause for this issue at this time.					



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	Type of Action to mitigate the risk						
3.	1.	Action To Be Taken by the User					
			arantine	Device	⊠ Return Device		
		Other					
	Please complete the enclosed Reply Form. Where product is indicated as being returned, our Customer Services department will contact you to organize the return and issue you with the relevant Returns Authorization number. Please include contact details on the Reply Form.						
	Returned Product should be addressed to: Cook Medical EUDC Robert-Koch-Straße, 2 52499 Baesweiler Germany						
	Credit will be provided for the returned affected products where applicable.						
3.	2.	By when should the action be completed?	Within fi	ve (5) busines	s days of receipt.		
3.	3.	Is customer Reply Required	* ?k	Yes, withi	n five (5) business days of receipt.		
3.	4.	4. Action Being Taken by the Manufacturer					
		⊠ Product Removal					
		Hemospray devices are being removed from the market and should be returned to Cook per the attached directions on the Field Action Reply Form.					
3	5.	By when should the action be completed?	Within five (5) business days of receipt.				
3.	6.	Is the FSN required to be communicated to the patier user?	nt /lay	No			

### **General Information**



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4.	1. FSN Type	New	
4.	2. Further advice or information already expected in follow-up FSN?	No	
4.	Manufacturer information     (For contact details of local representation	ative refer to page 1 of this FSN)  Cook Endoscopy/Wilson-Cook Medical, Inc.  4900 Bethania Station Road, Winston-Salem, NC USA	
4.	The Competent (Regulatory) Authority of your country has been informed about this communication to customers.		
4.	5. Name/Signature	Blair Younts Team Lead, Regulatory Reporting & Field Actions	

# 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. Please transfer this notice to other organisations on which this action has an impact. 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.