

**510(k) Summary**  
**(per 21 CFR 807.92)**  
**Low Adherent AFM Ag Dressings**

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**3. DEVICE NAME**

Proprietary Name: Low Adherent AFM Ag Dressings  
Common/Usual Name: Wound Dressing  
Classification Name: Dressing, Wound, Drug (Product Code, FRO)

**4. DEVICE CLASSIFICATION**

FDA has not finally classified silver-containing wound dressings. The Office of Device Evaluation has published the document, Draft Guidance for the Preparation of a Premarket Notification for a Non-Interactive Wound and Burn Dressing, revision March 31, 1995, which includes Hydrophilic (procode KMF), Occlusive (procode MGP), Hydrogel (procode MGQ), and Porcine dressings (procode KGN). Other types of wound dressings are also non-interactive, and the guidance document is applicable to them as well, including Dressing (procode FRO) and Dressing, Wound, Hydrophilic (procode NAC). Most silver-containing wound dressing devices have been given the product code FRO but not classified, including the applicable predicate devices.

## 5. PREDICATE DEVICES

- Milliken Silver Wound Dressing (Milliken Healthcare Products, LLC) Cleared August 22, 2005 under K051445.

## 6. DEVICE DESCRIPTION

The Low Adherent AFM Ag Dressings are sterile, single-use wound care dressings for use in moist wound management. The dressings are designed to contact the wound as a primary dressing and permit the passage of fluids. The dressings provide a protective environment for the wound and an effective protection against microbial contamination in the dressing. The devices are effective antimicrobial barrier dressings against both Gram-positive and Gram-negative bacteria, including the following organisms: methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* (MRSA), methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus epidermidis* (MRSE), vancomycin-resistant *Enterococcus faecalis* (VRE), *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*, and *Acinetobacter baumannii*.

## 7. INTENDED USE

Low Adherent AFM Ag Dressings are indicated for management of partial thickness burns, incisions, skin grafts, donor sites, lacerations, abrasions, and Stage I-IV dermal ulcers (vascular, venous, pressure and diabetic). The Low Adherent AFM Ag Dressings provide an antimicrobial barrier to microbial colonization in the dressing and reduce microbial penetration through the dressing.

## 8. TECHNOLOGICAL CHARACTERISTICS AND SUBSTANTIAL EQUIVALENCE

The subject of this Special 510(k) is a modification of the Milliken Silver Wound Dressing that was previously cleared on August 22, 2005 under Premarket Notification Number K051445. The subject of this Special 510(k) is the addition of a low adherent wound contact layer.

No modification is being made to any other components. The Low Adherent AFM Ag Dressings is identical to the original Milliken Silver Wound Dressings (K051445) except that it has been modified by the addition of a low adherent wound contact layer. The modification is minor and does not affect safety and effectiveness of the device.

## 9. PERFORMANCE TESTING

Validation activities to support the use of the Low Adherent AFM Ag Dressings consisted of three main elements:

- Biocompatibility Testing
- Validation of Antimicrobial Effectiveness
- Sterility Validation

Testing of the Low Adherent AFM Ag Dressings has demonstrated that the wound dressing fulfills prospectively defined performance criteria and that the modified system meets user needs.



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Re: K103141

Trade/Device Name: Low Adherent AFM Ag Dressings  
Regulatory Class: Unclassified  
Product Code: FRO  
Dated: December 10, 2010  
Received: December 13, 2010

Dear Ms. Warren:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration. Please note: CDRH does not evaluate information related to contract liability warranties. We remind you; however, that device labeling must be truthful and not misleading.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register.

Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21 CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Part 801); medical device reporting (reporting of medical device-related adverse events) (21 CFR 803); good manufacturing practice requirements as set

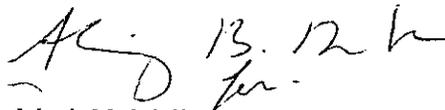
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forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820); and if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (Sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801), please go to <http://www.fda.gov/AboutFDA/CentersOffices/CDRH/CDRHOffices/ucm115809.htm> for the Center for Devices and Radiological Health's (CDRH's) Office of Compliance. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR Part 807.97). For questions regarding the reporting of adverse events under the MDR regulation (21 CFR Part 803), please go to <http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/Safety/ReportaProblem/default.htm> for the CDRH's Office of Surveillance and Biometrics/Division of Postmarket Surveillance.

You may obtain other general information on your responsibilities under the Act from the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 796-7100 or at its Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/ResourcesforYou/Industry/default.htm>.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark N. Melkerson", with a date "13. 12. 12" written above it.

Mark N. Melkerson

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Enclosure

## Indications for Use

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Prescription Use X  
(Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

AND/OR

Over-the-Counter Use \_\_\_\_\_  
(21 CFR 807 Subpart C)

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

  
(Division Sign-Off)  
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