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Re: K172052

Trade/Device Name: Arthrex DynaNite Nitinol Staple

Regulation Number: 21 CFR 888.3030

Regulation Name: Single/Multiple Component Metallic Bone Fixation Appliances And Accessories

Regulatory Class: Class II

Product Code: JDR

Dated: October 18, 2017

Received: October 20, 2017

Dear Ms. Homan:

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 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.

Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21 CFR 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.

For comprehensive regulatory information about medical devices and radiation-emitting products, including information about labeling regulations, please see Device Advice (<https://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/DeviceRegulationandGuidance/>) and CDRH Learn (<http://www.fda.gov/Training/CDRHLearn>). Additionally, you may contact the Division of Industry and Consumer Education (DICE) to ask a question about a specific regulatory topic. See the DICE website (<http://www.fda.gov/DICE>) for more information or contact DICE by email ([DICE@fda.hhs.gov](mailto:DICE@fda.hhs.gov)) or phone (1-800-638-2041 or 301-796-7100).

Sincerely,

Katherine D. Kavlock -S

for

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Enclosure

**Indications for Use**

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See PRA Statement below.

510(k) Number (*if known*)

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Device Name

Arthrex DynaNite Nitinol Staple

**Indications for Use (Describe)**

The Arthrex DynaNite Nitinol Staple is intended to be used for fixation such as: LisFranc arthrodesis, mono or bi-cortical osteotomies in the forefoot, first metatarsophalangeal arthrodesis, Akin osteotomy, midfoot and hindfoot arthrodeses or osteotomies, fixation of osteotomies for hallux valgus treatment (Scarf and Chevron), and arthrodesis of the metatarsocuneiform joint to reposition and stabilize metatarsus primus varus.

Type of Use (*Select one or both, as applicable*)

Prescription Use (Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

Over-The-Counter Use (21 CFR 801 Subpart C)

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## 510(k) Summary

<b>Date Prepared</b>	June 30, 2017
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<b>Name of Device</b>	Arthrex DynaNite Nitinol Staple
<b>Common Name</b>	Staple
<b>Product Code</b>	JDR
<b>Classification Name</b>	21 CFR 888.3030: Single/multiple component metallic bone fixation appliances and accessories
<b>Regulatory Class</b>	II
<b>Predicate Device</b>	K043059: Wright Medical Technology Compression staple and simple staple K153129: MX Orthopedics dynaMX Tabbed Staple K993714: BioMedical Enterprises, Inc. Memograph Staple
<b>Purpose of Submission</b>	This Traditional 510(k) premarket notification is submitted to obtain clearance for the Arthrex DynaNite Nitinol Staple.
<b>Device Description</b>	The Arthrex DynaNite Nitinol Staple is a Nickel Titanium (Nitinol) bone fixation device intended to be permanently implanted. The implant is formed with two legs connected by a bridge and is offered in multiple combinations of bridge widths, leg lengths, and cross sections to accommodate various anatomies.
<b>Indications for Use</b>	The Arthrex DynaNite Nitinol Staple is intended to be used for fixation such as: LisFranc arthrodesis, mono or bi-cortical osteotomies in the forefoot, first metatarsophalangeal arthrodesis, Akin osteotomy, midfoot and hindfoot arthrodeses or osteotomies, fixation of osteotomies for hallux valgus treatment (Scarf and Chevron), and arthrodesis of the metatarsocuneiform joint to reposition and stabilize metatarsus primus varus.
<b>Performance Data</b>	To demonstrate product performance, Arthrex has conducted static four-point bending strength, pull-out strength, and fatigue resistance and compared the results to the predicate device. Corrosion and transformation temperature testing were also conducted.  Bacterial endotoxin per EP 2.6.14/USP <85> was conducted to demonstrate that the device meets pyrogen limit specifications.
<b>Conclusion</b>	The Arthrex DynaNite Nitinol Staple is substantially equivalent to the predicate device in which the basic design features and intended uses are the same. Any differences between the proposed device and the predicate device are considered minor and do not raise questions concerning safety or effectiveness.  Based on the indications for use, technological characteristics, and the summary of data submitted, Arthrex Inc. has determined that the proposed device is substantially equivalent to the currently marketed predicate device.