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3.0 Summary of Safety and Effectiveness Information [510(k) Summary]

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DEVICE NAME: Synthes (USA) LCP Proximal Femur Hook Plates

CLASSIFICATION: Class II § 21 CFR 888.3030: Plate , Fixation, Bone

PREDICATE DEVICE: Synthes (USA) LCP Proximal Femur Plates

DEVICE DESCRIPTION: The LCP Proximal Femur Hook Plates are contoured to match the anatomy of the proximal femur with a limited contact low profile design. The plate has dynamic compression holes combined with conical shaped threaded screw holes, which accept 4.5 mm cortex, 4.5 mm shaft screws, 4.0 mm or 5.0 mm locking screws, 5.0mm cannulated screws, and 7.3 mm cannulated locking & cannulated conical screws. The plates are available in a various lengths.

INTENDED USE: The LCP Proximal Femur Hook Plates are intended for fractures of the femur including: fractures of the trochanteric region, trochanteric simple, cervicotrochanteric, trochanterodiaphyseal, multifragmentary pertrochanteric, intertrochanteric, intertrochanteric reversed, or transverse or with additional fracture of medial cortex. Fractures of the proximal end of the femur combined with ipsilateral shaft fractures, metastatic fracture of the proximal femur and osteotomies of the proximal femur.

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIVALENCE: Comparative information presented supports substantial equivalence.

The term “substantial equivalence” as used in this 510(k) notification is limited to the definition of substantial equivalence found in the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act, as amended and as applied under 21CFR 807, Subpart E under which a device can be marketed without pre-market approval or reclassification. A determination of substantial equivalency under this notification is not intended to have any bearing whatsoever on the resolution of patent infringement suits or any other patent matters. No statements related to, or in support of substantial equivalence herein shall be construed as an admission against interest under the US Patent Laws or their application by the courts.



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Re: K032032

Trade/Device Name: Synthes (USA) LCP Proximal Femur Hook Plates
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 888.3030
Regulation Name: Single/multiple component metallic bone fixation appliances and accessories
Regulatory Class: II
Product Code: HRS
Dated: June 30, 2003
Received: July 2, 2003

Dear Ms. Boyle:

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.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to such 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.

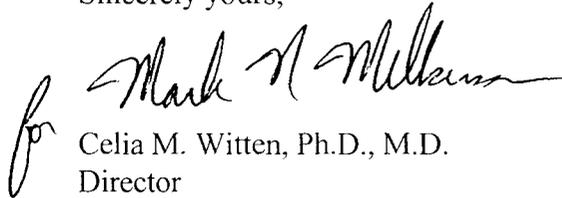
Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's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

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This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your Section 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801), please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4659. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR Part 807.97). 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) 443-6597 or at its Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/dsma/dsmamain.html>

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Celia M. Witten". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "C" and "W".

Celia M. Witten, Ph.D., M.D.
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Enclosure

2.0 Indications for Use Statement

510(k) Number (if known): K032032

Device Name: Synthes (USA) LCP Proximal Femur Hook Plates

Indications: Synthes (USA) LCP Proximal Femur Hook Plate is intended for fractures of the femur including: fractures of the trochanteric region, trochanteric simple, cervicotrochanteric, trochanterodiaphyseal, multifragmentary pertrochanteric, intertrochanteric, intertrochanteric reversed, or transverse or with additional fracture of medial cortex. Fractures of the proximal end of the femur combined with ipsilateral shaft fractures, metastatic fracture of the proximal femur and osteotomies of the proximal femur.

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

for Mark A. Milken
(Division Sign-Off)

Division of General, Restorative
and Neurological Devices

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Prescription Use _____
(Per 21 CFR 801.109)

OR

Over-The-Counter Use _____