510(k) Summary

5.1 Type of Submission: Traditional

5.2 Preparation Date: 20<sup>th</sup> January 2014

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5.4 Identification of the Device:
Trade name: E-Shield Multi-paired Subdermal Needle Electrodes
Classification Name: Needle Electrode
Device Classification: II
Regulation Number: 882.1350
Panel: Neurology
Product Code: GXZ

5.5 Identification of the Predicate Device:
Predicate Device Name: RhythmLink International Subdermal Needle Electrodes
Manufacturer: RhythmLink International, LLC
Product Code: GXZ
510(k) Number: K022914
5.6 **Intended Use**

E-Shield Multi-paired Subdermal Needle Electrodes are intended for use with recording and monitoring equipment for the purpose of recording of biopotential signals. Examples include: Electromyography (EMG), Electroencephalograph (EEG) and Nerve potential signals. The electrodes are sterile and for single patient use only.

5.7 **Device Description**

E-Shield Multi-paired Subdermal Needle Electrodes are single use, disposable, monopolar, non-pyrogenic and sterilized stainless steel subdermal needle electrodes. Electrodes are applied in the study of biopotentials such as electroencephalograph (EEG), electromyography (EMG). Electrodes are invasive as they are placed subcutaneously or in contact with nerve or muscle tissue.

The subdermal needle electrodes can be used to record variety of types of neurological and neurophysiological evoked potentials, including but not limited to electroencephalogram (EEG), electromyogram (EMG) in hospital and clinical setting. It is highly recommended to be used of intra-operative neuromonitoring (IOM).

The electrodes consist of a stainless steel needle with a lead wire attached and the lead wires terminate in a safety connector. The electrodes are used under the supervision of a physician. Each sterilized PET box contains 2 sets of 5-paired subdermal needle electrodes and a safety shield attached to each set. The safety shield is used to cover the needle sharps and the multi-paired lead wires are designed in group for easy organizing. Grouped wire cable can be separated into 5 paired lead wires to reach different recording sites of a patient over desired length. For instance, it can be used for the recording in one limb muscle groups.

5.8 **Non-clinical Testing**

A series of safety tests were performed to assess the safety and effectiveness of the E-Shield Multi-paired Subdermal Needle Electrodes.
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ISO 10993-10:2010 Biological evaluation of medical devices - Part 10: Tests for irritation and skin sensitization  
ASTM F756-08, Standard Practice For Assessment Of Hemolytic Properties Of Materials.(Biocompatibility)  
USP 35-NF30:2012, \textless 151\textgreater  Pyrogen Test (USP Rabbit Test).(Sterility)  
ASTM F750-87 (Reapproved 2012), Standard Practice For Evaluating Material Extracts By Systemic Injection In The Mouse. (Biocompatibility) |
| Sterilization | ISO 10993-7:2008 Biological evaluation of medical device - Part 7: Ethylene Oxide sterilization residuals  
ISO 11135-1 2007 Sterilization of health care products - Ethylene oxide – Requirements for development, validation and routine control of a sterilization process for medical devices  
ISO 11737-1: 2006 Sterilization of Medical Devices – Microbiological Method – Part 1: Determination of a population of microorganisms on products  
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<th>Electromagnetic Compatibility &amp; Electrical Safety</th>
<th>IEC 60601-1 Medical electrical equipment Part 1: General requirements for basic safety and essential performance</th>
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<td>Performance</td>
<td>ISO 9626 First Edition 1991-09-01, Amendment 1 2001-06-01 Stainless Steel Needle Tubing For The Manufacture Of Medical Devices. (General Plastic Surgery/General Hospital)</td>
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- ASTM F88/F88M-09 Standard Test Method for Seal Strength of Flexible Barrier Materials
- ASTM D4332: 2001 Standard practice conditioning containers, packages or packaging components for testing.
- ASTM D4169-09, Standard Practice For Performance Testing Of Shipping Containers And Systems. (Sterility)
- ISO 11607-1 Packaging For Terminally Sterilized Medical Devices - Part 1: Requirements For Materials, Sterile Barrier Systems And Packaging Systems. (Sterility)
- ISO 11607-2 Packaging For Terminally Sterilized Medical Devices - Part 2: Validation Requirements For Forming, Sealing And Assembly Processes. (Sterility)
- ASTM F2096-11, Standard Test Method For Detecting Gross Leaks In Packaging By Internal Pressurization (Bubble Test). (Sterility)

The International Safe Transit Association (ISTA) Procedure 1A
5.9 Clinical Testing

No clinical test data was used to support the decision of safety and effectiveness.

5.10 Substantial Equivalence Determination

E-Shield Multi-paired Subdermal Needle Electrodes has similar intended use, fundamental scientific technology and technological characteristics with the predicate device, Rhythmlink International Subdermal Needle Electrodes. Information described below can demonstrate the E-Shield Multi-paired Subdermal Needle Electrodes is substantial equivalent to the predicate device.

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Design | Monopolar | Monopolar
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Anatomical sites | Subdermal, nerve or muscle tissue | Subdermal, nerve or muscle tissue
Materials | Stainless steel needle with lead wire attached. | Stainless steel needle with lead wire attached
Sterility | EO | unknown
Shelf life | 3 years | unknown
Mechanical safety | Packaged needle covered with a needle cover | unknown

5.11 Similarity and differences

The only difference between the subject device and predicate device is the proposed device is designed in 5-paired subdermal needle electrodes and a safety shield attached to each set. The safety shield is used to cover the needle sharps and the multi-paired lead wires are designed in group for easy organizing. Grouped wire cable can be separated into 5 paired lead wires to reach different recording sites of a patient over desired length. The subject device has tested on safety and performance tests and the test results were complied with the test requests. Therefore, the difference of subject device and predicate device didn’t raise any problems of safety or effectiveness. The proposed device is substantially equivalent to the predicate device in design, operation, intended use and performance claims.

5.12 Conclusion

After analyzing bench tests and safety testing data, it can be concluded that E-Shield Multi-paired Subdermal Needle Electrodes is as safe and effective as the predicate device.
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Re: K140200
  Trade/Device Name: E-Shield Multi-paired Subdermal Needle Electrodes
  Regulation Number: 21 CFR 882.1350
  Regulation Name: Needle Electrode
  Regulatory Class: II
  Product Code: GXZ
  Dated: June 16, 2014
  Received: June 17, 2014

Dear Mr. Chao-Shent Chao:

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.

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Sincerely yours,

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Enclosure
Indications for Use

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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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