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Re: K153262  
Trade/Device Name: PUREtrace™  
Regulation Number: 21 CFR§ 884.2720  
Regulation Name: External Uterine Contraction Monitor and Accessories  
Regulatory Class: II  
Product Code: OSP  
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Dear Aron Wierts:

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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You may obtain other general information on your responsibilities under the Act from the Division of Industry and Consumer Education at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 796-7100 or at its Internet address

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Sincerely yours,

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Enclosure

## Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known)

K153262

Device Name

PUREtrace™

Indications for Use (Describe)

PUREtrace™ is an electromyography (EMG) device that non-invasively measures intrapartum uterine activity.

PUREtrace™ is indicated for use on women who are at term ( $\geq 37$  completed weeks), in labor, with singleton pregnancies.

The signal is acquired from surface electrodes that are placed on the maternal abdomen. PUREtrace™ is intended for use by healthcare professionals in a clinical setting.

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 K153262

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**Proprietary or Trade Name:** PUREtrace™  
**Common/Usual Name:** External uterine contraction monitor  
**Classification:** 21 CFR 884.2720  
**Classification Name:** External uterine contraction monitor and accessories  
**Regulatory Class:** II  
**Product code:** OSP, uterine electromyographic monitor

**Predicate Device:** Monica Healthcare AN24 (K112390)

### Device Description:

PUREtrace is a device for registering the electrical activity of the uterine muscle (myometrium) of laboring patients. PUREtrace consists of a multi surface-electrode patch (Graphium patch) and a hardware module (PUREtrace module). The Graphium patch is applied to the abdomen of the patient and acquires the electromyography (EMG) signal of the uterine muscle (electrohysterography, EHG). During a contraction, a large number of uterine muscle cells contract in a controlled manner and the changes in potential can be measured as changes in electrical potential on the skin of the pregnant woman's abdomen. This signal is sent to the PUREtrace module, converted into a measure for uterine activity and subsequently sent to a compatible fetal monitor where it is displayed as a tocogram. PUREtrace is available in multiple variants with different output connectors to facilitate interfacing with various fetal monitors.

### Indications for use:

PUREtrace™ is an electromyography (EMG) device that non-invasively measures intrapartum uterine activity. PUREtrace™ is indicated for use on women who are at term ( $\geq 37$  completed weeks), in labor, with singleton pregnancies. The signal is acquired from surface electrodes that are placed on the maternal abdomen. PUREtrace™ is intended for use by healthcare professionals in a clinical setting.

### Predicate Comparison

The following table compares PUREtrace to the predicate device with respect to indications for use and technological characteristics:

	<b>Subject Device:</b> PUREtrace K153262	<b>Predicate Device:</b> Monica AN24 K112390
<b>Indications for Use</b>	PUREtrace™ is an electromyography (EMG) device that non-invasively measures intrapartum uterine activity. PUREtrace™ is indicated for use on women who are at term (≥37 completed weeks), in labor, with singleton pregnancies. The signal is acquired from surface electrodes that are placed on the maternal abdomen. PUREtrace™ is intended for use by healthcare professionals in a clinical setting.	The Monica AN24 is an intrapartum maternal-fetal monitor that non-invasively measures and displays fetal heart rate (FHR), uterine activity (UA), and maternal heart rate (MHR). The AN24 acquires and displays the FHR tracing from abdominal surface electrodes that pick up the fetal ECG (fECG) signal. Using the same surface electrodes, the AN24 also acquires and displays the UA tracing from the uterine electromyography (EMG) signal and the MHR tracing from the maternal ECG signal (mECG). The AN24 maternal-fetal monitor is intended for use by healthcare professionals in a clinical setting.
<b>Operating principle (for UA measurement)</b>	Transabdominal electromyography	Transabdominal electromyography
<b>System components / parts</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PUREtrace module (hardware module)</li> <li>• Patch cable</li> <li>• Graphium patch (sensor)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Monica AN24 recorder/ monitor (hardware module)</li> <li>• Electrode cable connector</li> <li>• Electrodes (sensor)</li> <li>• Battery charger AN24</li> </ul>
<b>Patient interface (materials)</b>	Surface electrodes incorporated in single electrode patch	Surface electrodes
<b>Patient interface (use characteristics)</b>	Single patient use, disposable	Single patient use, disposable
<b>Power source</b>	AC Mains power (50/60Hz) Class II medical grade power supply unit	Battery operated
<b>Display of (uterine activity) information</b>	Information to be displayed on an external fetal monitor	Information to be displayed on an external device, such as a fetal monitor

PUREtrace has the same intended use but different technological characteristics compared to the predicate device. The differences in technological characteristics do not raise different questions of safety and effectiveness.

#### **Summary of non-clinical performance testing**

Non-clinical tests were conducted to verify that PUREtrace met all design specifications and is substantially equivalent to the predicate. The test results demonstrated that the proposed device complies with the following standards:

- Biocompatibility testing per ISO 10993-1:2009 including cytotoxicity (ISO 10993-5:2009), sensitization (ISO 10993-10:2010) and irritation (ISO 10993-10:2010)
- Electrical Safety testing per IEC 60601-1:2005 + CORR. 1 (2006) + CORR.2 (2007) with US deviations per AAMI/ANSI ES 60601-1:2005/(R)2012 and A1:2012
- Electromagnetic Compatibility testing per IEC 60601-1-2:2007

Software verification and validation testing was also conducted as recommended in FDA's Guidance Document "Guidance for the Content of Premarket Submissions for Software Contained in Medical Devices" (May 11, 2005).

#### **Summary of clinical performance testing**

An observational clinical study has been conducted with an enrollment of 42 women at term and in active labor, who were simultaneously monitored on uterine activity (UA) with PUREtrace, tocodynamometry (TOCO) and intrauterine pressure catheter (IUPC). 40 UA registrations that consisted of sufficient useable data were assessed to evaluate the performance of PUREtrace. The tracings were reviewed by three individual clinical investigators, who were blinded to the technology used and the study subjects corresponding with the tracings. The clinical investigators assessed the interpretability of the tracings. In addition, they annotated the tracings by marking all deflections they assessed to be uterine contractions. The study demonstrated that PUREtrace performed substantially equivalent to the predicate device for displaying uterine activity of term pregnant women in active labor.

#### **Substantial Equivalence Conclusion**

Based on the comparison and analysis above, PUREtrace is substantially equivalent to the predicate device.