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Re: K162609  
   Trade/Device Name: ClearPath Aligner  
   Regulation Number: 21 CFR 872.5470  
   Regulation Name: Orthodontic Plastic Bracket  
   Regulatory Class: Class II  
   Product Code: NXC  
   Dated: May 30, 2017  
   Received: May 30, 2017  

Dear Patsy J Trisler, JD, RAC:  

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.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801), please contact the Division of Industry and Consumer Education 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. 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.

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 http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/ResourcesforYou/Industry/default.htm.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure
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Indications for Use

The ClearPath Aligner is a series of clear, lightweight, plastic appliances indicated for the correction of dental malocclusion in patients with permanent dentition (i.e. all second molars). The ClearPath Aligner is intended to position teeth by way of continuous gentle force.

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 – K162609

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Device Trade Name: ClearPath Aligner
Common Name: Clear Braces
Classification Name: Orthodontic Plastic Bracket
Classification Number: 21 CFR 872.5470
Product Code: NXC
Regulatory Class: 2

Predicate Device: K123514 ClearPath Aligner, ClearPath Orthodontics
Reference Device: No reference devices were included

Statement of Intended Use: The ClearPath Aligner is a series of clear, lightweight, plastic appliances indicated for the correction of dental malocclusion in patients with permanent dentition (i.e. all second molars). The ClearPath Aligner is intended to position teeth by way of continuous gentle force.

Device Description: ClearPath Orthodontics uses clear, thin, thermoformed plastic material for the manufacture of its ClearPath Aligner. The aligners are provided non-sterile and are customized for each patient according to the molds provided by the treating dentist or orthodontist.

Depending on the patient need and the treatment plan, a series of aligners may be used. The duration of use for each aligner is 14 days and it is to be worn except during meals.

Mechanism of Action: Each ClearPath Aligner exerts gentle force to achieve progressive realignment of the teeth until the final correction has been attained.

Summary of Technological Characteristics: ClearPath Orthodontics manufactures the customized aligners based on standard molds sent to the company by the prescribing dentist or orthodontist. The molds are made after the clinician has assessed the patient’s teeth, designed a treatment plan, and taken the impressions.

The plastic used for fabrication of the aligners is a commonly used thermoformed plastic, used in many dental appliances. It has a long history of safe and biocompatible use for this purpose.
**Performance Testing**

*Bench/Animal Testing*

No *in vitro* or animal testing were required for this product because the identical design and materials compared to the predicate device assure that the preformed aligners are capable of performing similarly to the predicate device for the specified intended use.

**Clinical Evaluations**

The reason for this 510(k) was to expand the indication to include realignment of all permanent teeth. The predicate ClearPath Aligner (K123514) is intended “for minor anterior tooth movement”.

Clinical case reports were submitted in the 510(k) to demonstrate that the aligners can effectively realign all permanent teeth as indicated.

**Comparison to Predicate Device:**

The ClearPath Aligner is identical to the predicate device. The difference is the original ClearPath Aligner (predicate) had the indication, as noted, that was limited to anterior tooth movement. The data submitted in the 510(k) support the broader indications for use.

**Substantial Equivalence Conclusion**

Thus, based on:

- the same intended use,
- the same design,
- identical materials,
- identical methods used for fabricating the aligners, and
- submission of clinical reports that demonstrate the device performs as intended,

it can be concluded that the ClearPath Aligner is substantially equivalent to the predicate device.