



September 18, 2019

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Re: K183438

Trade/Device Name: Geomed Vascular Dilators  
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 870.4475  
Regulation Name: Surgical vessel dilator  
Regulatory Class: Class II  
Product Code: DWP  
Dated: July 26, 2019  
Received: July 30, 2019

Dear Angelika Scherp:

This letter corrects our substantially equivalent letter of September 3, 2019.

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. Although this letter refers to your product as a device, please be aware that some cleared products may instead be combination products. The 510(k) Premarket Notification Database located at <https://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/cdrh/cfdocs/cfpmn/pmn.cfm> identifies combination product submissions. 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) for devices or postmarketing safety reporting (21 CFR 4, Subpart B) for combination products (see <https://www.fda.gov/combination-products/guidance-regulatory-information/postmarketing-safety-reporting-combination-products>); good manufacturing practice requirements as set forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820) for devices or current good manufacturing practices (21 CFR 4, Subpart A) for combination products; 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 <https://www.fda.gov/medical-devices/medical-device-safety/medical-device-reporting-mdr-how-report-medical-device-problems>.

For comprehensive regulatory information about medical devices and radiation-emitting products, including information about labeling regulations, please see Device Advice (<https://www.fda.gov/medical-devices/device-advice-comprehensive-regulatory-assistance>) and CDRH Learn (<https://www.fda.gov/training-and-continuing-education/cdrh-learn>). 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 (<https://www.fda.gov/medical-devices/device-advice-comprehensive-regulatory-assistance/contact-us-division-industry-and-consumer-education-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,

  
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Enclosure

## Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known)

K183438

Device Name

Geomed Vascular Dilators

Indications for Use (Describe)

Geomed Vascular Dilators are devices used to enlarge or calibrate vessels during coronary artery bypass or angioplasty procedures. They are designed to locate orifices, to trace the course of abnormal vessels, and to perform various maneuvers of dilation and measurement of annulus and lumen diameters.

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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<b>Manufacturer</b>	<b>Geomed Medizin-Technik</b>	<b>Instrumed K100518</b>
<b>Indications for Use</b>	Geomed Vascular Dilators are devices used to enlarge or calibrate vessels during coronary artery bypass or angioplasty procedures. They are designed to locate orifices, to trace the course of abnormal vessels, and to perform various maneuvers of dilation and measurement of annulus and lumen diameters.	INSTRUMED vessel dilators are devices used to enlarge or calibrate vessels during coronary artery bypass or angioplasty procedures. They are designed to locate orifices, to trace the course of abnormal vessels, and to perform various maneuvers of dilation and measurement of annulus and lumen diameters.
<b>Design</b>	Tapered tip connected to a handle by wire.	Tapered tip connected to handle by wire.
<b>Garrett Vascular Dilator</b>		
<b>Tip Diameter</b>	1.0-5.0 mm	1.0-5.0 mm
<b>Length</b>	140 mm / 210 mm	140 mm / 210 mm
<b>DeBakey Vascular Dilator</b>		
<b>Tip Diameter</b>	1.0-10.0 mm	1.0-10.0 mm
<b>Length</b>	190 mm	190 mm
<b>Material</b>	ASTM F 899-12b Stainless Steel	ASTM F 899-07 Stainless Steel
<b>Patient Contact</b>	Blood vessels, transient (<15 min.)	Blood vessels, transient (<15 min.)
<b>Sterility</b>	Non-sterile	Non-sterile
<b>Reusable</b>	Yes	Yes

**Performance Testing:**

The subject Geomed Vascular Dilators are very similar to the predicate device in terms of intended use and technology. Design verification and validation testing to support determination of substantial equivalence consisted of the following tests:

- Tensile strength testing of the tip-to-wire and handle-to-wire bonds, indicating that the bond strength is sufficient to withstand forces experienced during clinical use
- Verification of device dimensions
- Validation testing of the recommended end user manual and automated cleaning procedures
- Validation testing of the recommended end user steam sterilization process
- Full-cycle validation testing of drying time after sterilization

Cleaning and sterilization validation testing was conducted in accordance with the recommendations outlined in FDA Guidance Document “Reprocessing Medical Devices in Health Care Settings: Validation Methods and Labeling” (03/17/2015).

Acceptance criteria were met for all tests performed.

**Conclusion:**

The subject device Geomed Vascular Dilators has the same technological characteristics and indications for use as the predicate device. The information provided in this 510(k) submission, including results of non-clinical testing, indicates that Geomed Vascular Dilators are substantially equivalent to the predicate device.