



September 13, 2019

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Re: K190288

Trade/Device Name: Arthrex Tenodesis Button  
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 888.3040  
Regulation Name: Smooth or threaded metallic bone fixation fastener  
Regulatory Class: Class II  
Product Code: MBI  
Dated: August 9, 2019  
Received: August 12, 2019

Dear Ivette Galmez:

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.

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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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES  
Food and Drug Administration

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See PRA Statement below.

### Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known)

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Device Name

Arthrex Tenodesis Button

Indications for Use (Describe)

The Tenodesis Button is used for fixation of bone to bone or soft tissue to bone, and is intended as fixation post, a distribution bridge, or for distributing suture tension over areas of ligament or tendon repair in the knee, shoulder, and elbow and may include the following indications; anterior cruciate ligament, posterior cruciate ligament, pectoralis repair (minor/major), biceps tendon repair and reattachment (distal/proximal), acromioclavicular repair, and ulnar collateral ligament reconstruction.

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

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<b>Date Prepared</b>	March 26, 2019
<b>Submitter</b>	Arthrex Inc. 1370 Creekside Boulevard Naples, FL 34108-1945
<b>Contact Person</b>	Ivette Galmez Senior Regulatory Affairs Specialist 1-239-643-5553, ext. 71263 Ivette.galmez@arthrex.com
<b>Name of Device</b>	Arthrex Tenodesis Button
<b>Common Name</b>	Fastener, fixation, nondegradable, soft tissue
<b>Product Code</b>	MBI
<b>Classification Name</b>	21 CFR 888.3040: Smooth or threaded metallic bone fixation fastener
<b>Regulatory Class</b>	II
<b>Predicate Device</b>	K123341: Arthrex Pec Repair Button, Large Pec Button, Biceps Button and Proximal Biceps Button
<b>Purpose of Submission</b>	This traditional 510(k) premarket notification is submitted to obtain clearance for the Arthrex Tenodesis Button. This submission contains a modification to the device labeling to include the "MR Conditional" statement in accordance with the FDA Guidance, "Establishing Safety and Compatibility of Passive Implants in the Magnetic Resonance (MR) Environment".
<b>Device Description</b>	The Arthrex Tenodesis Button is made of titanium alloy. The proposed button is preloaded onto a driver/insertor, for single use. The holes in the button allow for the buttons to be threaded with Arthrex non-absorbable suture.
<b>Indications for Use</b>	The Arthrex Tenodesis Button is used for fixation of bone to bone or soft tissue to bone, and is intended as fixation post, a distribution bridge, or for distributing suture tension over areas of ligament or tendon repair in the knee, shoulder, and elbow and may include the following indications; anterior cruciate ligament, posterior cruciate ligament, pectoralis repair (minor/major), biceps tendon repair and reattachment (distal/proximal), acromioclavicular repair, and ulnar collateral ligament reconstruction.
<b>Performance Data</b>	<p>Tensile testing and cyclic loading was conducted to demonstrate that the proposed button performs similar to the predicate device.</p> <p>Non-clinical testing per the FDA Guidance, "Establishing Safety and Compatibility of Passive Implants in the Magnetic Resonance (MR) Environment", demonstrated that the Arthrex buttons are "MR Conditional".</p> <p>Bacterial endotoxin per EP 2.6.14/USP &lt;85&gt; was conducted to demonstrate that the device meets pyrogen limit specifications.</p>
<b>Conclusion</b>	<p>The Arthrex Tenodesis Button is substantially equivalent to the predicate device in which the basic design features and intended uses are the same. Any differences between the proposed device and the predicate device are considered minor and do not raise questions concerning safety or effectiveness.</p> <p>Based on the indications for use, technological characteristics, and the summary of data submitted, Arthrex Inc. has determined that the proposed devices are substantially equivalent to the currently marketed predicate device.</p>