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510(k) Summary – EasyCare Tx System

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Classification Reference	21 CFR 868.5905
Product Code	73 BZD
Common/Usual Name	Non-continuous ventilator (IPPB)
Proprietary Name	EasyCare Tx System
Predicate Device(s)	TxControl (K072615) ResControl II (K040944)
Reason for submission	New Device

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Intended Use

The EasyCare Tx System comprises of the titration software, *EasyCare Tx*, and the connection module accessory, *Tx Link*.

The EasyCare Tx is intended to be used with ResMed continuous positive airway pressure (CPAP) or Bilevel devices that incorporate ResMed's proprietary communication protocol via the Tx Link. EasyCare Tx provides real time data and treatment settings display, and can also provide CPAP or Bilevel device setting changes remotely.

EasyCare Tx is intended to be used in a clinical environment.

The Tx Link is intended to provide connectivity between ResMed EasyCare Tx software and ResMed continuous positive airway pressure (CPAP) or Bilevel devices that incorporate ResMed's proprietary communication protocol. The Tx Link relays real-time signals measured by the CPAP or Bilevel device to a polysomnograph (PSG).

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Device Description

ResMed's EasyCare Tx System enables clinicians to monitor real-time patient and flow generator information and adjust flow generator settings as required from the control room within the sleep lab clinical setting.

The EasyCare Tx System includes:

- EasyCare Tx, a software application that executes on the end-user's PC and interfaces with the accessory Tx Link to view and set various flow generator parameters and settings; and
- Tx Link, a hardware accessory that connects to a flow generator incorporating ResMed's proprietary communication protocol, and interfaces to a remote PC via an Ethernet connection. The Tx Link also provides analog flow generator signals to third party Polysomnograph (PSG) systems, such as Embla (K971813).

Substantial Equivalence

The new device has the following similarities to the previously cleared predicate devices.

- Similar intended use
- Similar operating principle
- Similar technologies
- Similar manufacturing process

Design and Verification activities were performed on the EasyCare Tx System as a result of the risk analysis and design requirements. All tests confirmed the product met the predetermined acceptance criteria. ResMed has determined that the new device is Substantially Equivalent to the predicate devices. The new device complies with the applicable standards and requirements referenced in the FDA guidance documents:

- FDA Draft Reviewer Guidance for Ventilators (July 1995)
- FDA Guidance for the Content of Premarket Submissions for Software Contained in Medical Devices (May 11, 2005)
- FDA Guidance for Off-the-Shelf Software Use in Medical Devices (September 9,1999)
- FDA Guidance for Industry - Cybersecurity for Networked Medical Devices Containing Off-the-Shelf (OTS) Software (January 14, 2005)

Conclusion

The EasyCare Tx System is Substantially Equivalent to the previously cleared predicate devices, TxControl (K072615) and ResControl II (K040944).

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Re: K092026
Trade/Device Name: EasyCare Tx System
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 868.5905
Regulation Name: Noncontinuous Ventilator (IPPB)
Regulatory Class: II
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Dear Mr. Lubke:

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.

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 go to http://www.fda.gov/AboutFDA/CentersOffices/CDRH/CDRHOffices/ucm115809.htm for the Center for Devices and Radiological Health's (CDRH's) Office of Compliance. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR 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 Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance 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 yours,

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Enclosure

Indication for Use

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(Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D) (Part 21 CFR 807 Subpart C)

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