

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Food and Drug Administration

MEDWATCH

FORM FDA 3500A (2/13)

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For use by user-facilities, importers,
distributors and manufacturers for
MANDATORY REPORTING

Mfr Report #

UF/Importer Report #

FDA Use Only

A. PATIENT INFORMATION

1. Patient Identifier

2. Age at Time of Event

3. Sex

4. Weight

in confidence

or

Date of Birth

☐ Female

☐ Male

lbs

or

kgs

B. ADVERSE EVENT OR PRODUCT PROBLEM

1. ☐ Adverse Event and/or ☐ Product Problem (e.g., defects/malfunctions)

2. Outcomes Attributed to Adverse Event (Check all that apply)

☐ Death (mm/dd/yyyy)

☐ Disability or Permanent Damage

☐ Life-threatening

☐ Congenital Anomaly/Birth Defect

☐ Hospitalization - initial or prolonged

☐ Other Serious (Important Medical Events)

☐ Required Intervention to Prevent Permanent Impairment/Damage (Devices)

3. Date of Event (mm/dd/yyyy)

4. Date of This Report (mm/dd/yyyy)

5. Describe Event or Problem

6. Relevant Tests/Laboratory Data, Including Dates

7. Other Relevant History, Including Preexisting Medical Conditions (e.g., allergies, race, pregnancy, smoking and alcohol use, hepatic/renal dysfunction, etc.)

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C. SUSPECT PRODUCT(S)

1. Name (Give labeled strength & mfr/labeler)

2. Dose, Frequency & Route Used

3. Therapy Dates from/to (If unknown, give duration or best estimate)

4. Diagnosis for Use (Indication)

5. Event Abated After Use Stopped or Dose Reduced?

6. Lot #

7. Exp. Date

8. Event Reappeared After Reintroduction

9. NDC# or Unique ID

10. Concomitant Medical Products and Therapy Dates (Exclude treatment of event)

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D. SUSPECT MEDICAL DEVICE

1. Brand Name

2. Common Device Name

2b. Procode

3. Manufacturer Name, City and State

4. Model #

Lot #

5. Operator of Device

Catalog #

Exp. Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

☐ Health Professional

☐ Lay User/Patient

☐ Other:

Serial #

Unique Identifier (UDI) #

6. If Implanted, Give Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

7. If Explanted, Give Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

8. Is this a Single-use Device that was Reprocessed and Reused on a Patient?

☐ Yes ☐ No

9. If Yes to Item No. 8, Enter Name and Address of Reprocessor

10. Device Available for Evaluation? (Do not send to FDA)

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Returned to Manufacturer on (mm/dd/yyyy)

11. Concomitant Medical Products and Therapy Dates (Exclude treatment of event)

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E. INITIAL REPORTER

1. Name and Address

Phone #

Email Address

2. Health Professional?

☐ Yes ☐ No

3. Occupation

4. Initial Reporter Also Sent Report to FDA

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unknown

Submission of a report does not constitute an admission that medical personnel, user facility, importer, distributor, manufacturer or product caused or contributed to the event.

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F. FOR USE BY USER FACILITY/IMPORTER (Devices Only)

1. Check One <input type="checkbox"/> User Facility <input type="checkbox"/> Importer		2. UF/Importer Report Number	
3. User Facility or Importer Name/Address			
4. Contact Person		5. Phone Number	
6. Date User Facility or Importer Became Aware of Event (mm/dd/yyyy)		7. Type of Report <input type="checkbox"/> Initial <input type="checkbox"/> Follow-up # _____	
8. Date of this Report (mm/dd/yyyy)			
9. Approximate Age of Device		10. Event Problem Codes (Refer to coding manual) Patient Code _____ Device Code _____	
11. Report Sent to FDA? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (mm/dd/yyyy)		12. Location Where Event Occurred <input type="checkbox"/> Hospital <input type="checkbox"/> Outpatient Diagnostic Facility <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Ambulatory Surgical Facility <input type="checkbox"/> Nursing Home <input type="checkbox"/> Outpatient Treatment Facility <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	
13. Report Sent to Manufacturer? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (mm/dd/yyyy)			
14. Manufacturer Name/Address			

G. ALL MANUFACTURERS

1. Contact Office — Name/Address (and Manufacturing Site for Devices)		2. Phone Number	
		3. Report Source (Check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign <input type="checkbox"/> Study <input type="checkbox"/> Literature <input type="checkbox"/> Consumer <input type="checkbox"/> Health Professional <input type="checkbox"/> User Facility <input type="checkbox"/> Company <input type="checkbox"/> Representatives <input type="checkbox"/> Distributor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	
4. Date Received by Manufacturer (mm/dd/yyyy)		5. (A)NDA # _____ IND # _____ BLA # _____ PMA/510(k) # _____	
6. If IND, Give Protocol #			
7. Type of Report <input type="checkbox"/> 5-Day <input type="checkbox"/> 30-Day <input type="checkbox"/> 7-Day <input type="checkbox"/> Periodic <input type="checkbox"/> 10-Day <input type="checkbox"/> Initial <input type="checkbox"/> 15-Day <input type="checkbox"/> Follow-Up# _____		Combination Product <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Pre-1938 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes OTC Product <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	
8. Adverse Event Term(s)		9. Manufacturer Report #	

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H. DEVICE MANUFACTURERS ONLY

1. Type of Reportable Event <input type="checkbox"/> Death <input type="checkbox"/> Serious Injury <input type="checkbox"/> Malfunction		2. If Follow-Up, What Type? <input type="checkbox"/> Correction <input type="checkbox"/> Additional Information <input type="checkbox"/> Response to FDA Request <input type="checkbox"/> Device Evaluation	
3. Device Evaluated by Manufacturer? <input type="checkbox"/> Not Returned to Manufacturer <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Evaluation Summary Attached <input type="checkbox"/> No (Attach page to explain why not) or provide code: _____		4. Device Manufacture Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	
		5. Labeled for Single Use? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
6. Event Problem and Evaluation Codes (Refer to coding manual) Patient Code _____ — _____ — _____ Device Code _____ — _____ — _____ Method _____ — _____ — _____ — _____ Results _____ — _____ — _____ — _____ Conclusions _____ — _____ — _____ — _____			
7. If Remedial Action Initiated, Check Type <input type="checkbox"/> Recall <input type="checkbox"/> Notification <input type="checkbox"/> Repair <input type="checkbox"/> Inspection <input type="checkbox"/> Replace <input type="checkbox"/> Patient Monitoring <input type="checkbox"/> Relabeling <input type="checkbox"/> Modification/Adjustment <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____		8. Usage of Device <input type="checkbox"/> Initial Use of Device <input type="checkbox"/> Reuse <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
		9. If action reported to FDA under 21 USC 360i(f), list correction/removal reporting number:	

10. <input type="checkbox"/> Additional Manufacturer Narrative		and/or	11. <input type="checkbox"/> Corrected Data	

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B.5. Describe Event or Problem *(continued)*

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B.6. Relevant Tests/Laboratory Data, Including Dates *(continued)*

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B.7. Other Relevant History, Including Preexisting Medical Conditions *(e.g., allergies, race, pregnancy, smoking and alcohol use, hepatic/renal dysfunction, etc.) (continued)*

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Concomitant Medical Products and Therapy Dates *(Exclude treatment of event) (For continuation of C.10 and/or D.11; please distinguish)*

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Other Remarks