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# Moderma Flex CeraPlus Closed - HO#01OCT2022

## Proposed Variation on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Hollister, sought the addition of one variant to the current listing of the Moderma Flex CeraPlus Closed (SAS Code 80104B) in subgroup 1(b) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule. The product, including 4 variants, is currently listed at a unit price of $3.009, including a price premium of $0.274, with a maximum monthly quantity of 90 units.

## Variants to be added

The applicant requested the following variant be added to the existing listing for SAS Code 80104B.

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| **Product Code** | **Description** |
| 521101 | Protected single carbon filter, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, maxi, 450ml, standard headspace, no belt loops, 0.71mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, hydrocolloid self‑adhesive, standard wear, round, cut-to-fit, 64mm. |

## Background

This product was first listed on the SAS Schedule on 1 December 2016.

## Financial Analysis

Listing this variant will provide ostomates with an additional size option. The additional variant will be listed at the same price and same maximum monthly quantity as the current product range. Listing one variant to the current product range is unlikely to have a budgetary impact for the SAS.

## Recommendation

As this was an administrative change, this application was considered by the Panel secretariat in line with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*. The Panel secretariat recommended the addition of one variant to the current product range (4 variants) for Moderma Flex CeraPlus Closed (SAS Code 80104B) listed in subgroup 1(b) of the SAS Schedule at the unit price of $3.009, including a price premium of $0.274, with a maximum monthly quantity of 90 units. The product code for the new variant to be added under SAS Code 80104B is 521101. The Panel noted the secretariat’s recommendation at the October 2022 meeting.

## Context for Recommendation

The Panel secretariat, in accordance with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*, can process variations to products where there is no change to classification, pricing, maximum quantity or composition. All recommendations are subject to Government approval.

## Applicant’s Comment

The applicant noted the SPAP recommendation.

# Hollister ModermaFlex QuietWear – HO#02OCT2022

## Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Hollister Incorporated, sought the deletion of 5 variants from the current listing of Hollister ModermaFlex QuietWear (SAS Code 3500F) in subgroup 1(b) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule, as they are being discontinued. The product, including 6 variants, is currently listed at a unit price of $3.009 including a price premium of $0.274, with a maximum monthly quantity of 90 units.

## Substitute products

Hollister Moderma Flex (SAS Code: 3934C)

## Variants to be deleted

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Product Code** | **Description** |
| 42100 | Hollister ModermaFlex QuietWear |
| 42125 | Hollister ModermaFlex QuietWear |
| 42130 | Hollister ModermaFlex QuietWear |
| 42135 | Hollister ModermaFlex QuietWear |
| 42140 | Hollister ModermaFlex QuietWear |

## Background

This product was first listed on the SAS Schedule on 1 July 2017.

## Clinical Place for the Product

Not applicable.

## Financial Analysis

Substitute products are currently listed in subgroup 1(b) of the SAS Schedule at the same cost and maximum monthly quantity. It is unlikely that there would be any budgetary impact for the SAS as a consequence of deleting 5 variants of this product.

## Recommendation

As this was an administrative change, this application was considered by the Panel secretariat in line with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*. The Panel secretariat, noting equivalent products remained on the Schedule, recommended the deletion of 5 variants from the product range (6 variants) for Hollister Moderma Flex QuietWear (SAS Code 3500F) listed in subgroup 1(b) of the SAS Schedule. The Panel noted the secretariat’s recommendation at the October 2022 meeting.

Hollister is to advise stoma associations, ostomates, stomal therapy nurses and the Australian Council of Stoma Associations of the deletion. A period of approximately 6 months from the date of the recommendation (18 October 2022) should be given to allow users of the product to seek a suitable alternative and to enable stoma associations to manage their stock levels.

## Context for Recommendation

The Panel secretariat, in accordance with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*, usually processes deletions to products. This includes consideration of whether appropriate alternative products remain available on the SAS Schedule. Suggested alternative products are noted by the secretariat but not referenced in the SAS Schedule.

## Applicant’s Comment

The applicant noted the SPAP recommendation.

# Hollister Karaya Paste – HO#03OCT2022

## Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Hollister Incorporated, sought the deletion of the entire product range of the current listing of Hollister Karaya Paste (SAS Code 3535C) in subgroup 9(j) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule, as it is being discontinued. The product, including one variant, is currently listed at a unit price of $11.280 with a maximum monthly quantity of 3 units.

## Substitute products

Hollister Adapt Paste (SAS Code: 9906J)

## Variants to be deleted

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Product Code** | **Description** |
| 7910 | Hollister Karaya Paste |

## Background

This product was first listed on the SAS Schedule on 1 April 2011.

## Clinical Place for the Product

Not applicable.

## Financial Analysis

Substitute products are currently listed in subgroup 9(j) of the SAS Schedule at the same cost and maximum monthly quantity. It is unlikely that there would be any budgetary impact for the SAS as a consequence of deleting this product.

## Recommendation

As this was an administrative change, this application was considered by the Panel secretariat in line with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*. The Panel secretariat, noting equivalent products remained on the Schedule, recommended the deletion of the entire product range for Karaya Paste (SAS Code 3535C) listed in subgroup 9(j) of the SAS Schedule. The Panel noted the secretariat’s recommendation at the October 2022 meeting.

Hollister is to advise stoma associations, ostomates, stomal therapy nurses and the Australian Council of Stoma Associations of the deletion. A period of approximately 6 months from the date of the recommendation (18 October 2022) should be given to allow users of the product to seek a suitable alternative and to enable stoma associations to manage their stock levels.

## Context for Recommendation

The Panel secretariat, in accordance with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*, usually processes deletions to products. This includes consideration of whether appropriate alternative products remain available on the SAS Schedule. Suggested alternative products are noted by the secretariat but not referenced in the SAS Schedule.

## Applicant’s Comment

The applicant noted the SPAP recommendation.

# Hollister Moderma Flex - HO#04OCT2022

## Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Hollister Incorporated, sought the deletion of one variant from the current listing of Hollister Moderma Flex (SAS Code 9943H) in subgroup 1(c) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule, as it is being discontinued. The product, including 11 variants, is currently listed at a unit price of $4.707 including a price premium of $0.274, with a maximum monthly quantity of 60 units.

## Substitute products

Hollister Moderma Flex (SAS Code: 9943H)

## Variants to be deleted

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Product Code** | **Description** |
| 22800 | Hollister Moderma Flex |

## Background

This product was first listed on the SAS Schedule on 1 April 2011.

## Clinical Place for the Product

Not applicable.

## Financial Analysis

Substitute products are currently listed in subgroup 1(c) of the SAS Schedule at the same cost and maximum monthly quantity. It is unlikely that there would be any budgetary impact for the SAS as a consequence of deleting one variant of this product.

## Recommendation

As this was an administrative change, this application was considered by the Panel secretariat in line with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*. The Panel secretariat, noting equivalent products remained on the Schedule, recommended the deletion of one variant from the product range (11 variants) for Moderma Flex Firm Convex Closed (SAS Code 9943H) listed in subgroup 1(c) of the SAS Schedule. The Panel noted the secretariat’s recommendation at the October 2022 meeting.

Hollister is to advise stoma associations, ostomates, stomal therapy nurses and the Australian Council of Stoma Associations of the deletion. A period of approximately 6 months from the date of the recommendation (18 October 2022) should be given to allow users of the product to seek a suitable alternative and to enable stoma associations to manage their stock levels.

## Context for Recommendation

The Panel secretariat, in accordance with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*, usually processes deletions to products. This includes consideration of whether appropriate alternative products remain available on the SAS Schedule. Suggested alternative products are noted by the secretariat but not referenced in the SAS Schedule.

## Applicant’s Comment

The applicant noted the SPAP recommendation.

# Hollister Moderma Flex – HO#05OCT2022

## Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Hollister Incorporated, sought the deletion of 2 variants from the current listing of Hollister Moderma Flex (SAS Code 5675Q) in subgroup 2(b) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule, as they are being discontinued. The product, including 14 variants, is currently listed at a unit price of $6.578 including a price premium of $0.205, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

## Substitute products

Hollister Moderma Flex CeraPlus Convex Drainable (SAS Code: 80111J)

## Variants to be deleted

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Product Code** | **Description** |
| 56940 | Hollister Moderma Flex |
| 56801 | Hollister Moderma Flex |

## Background

This product was first listed on the SAS Schedule on 21 November 2011.

## Clinical Place for the Product

Not applicable.

## Financial Analysis

Substitute products are currently listed in subgroup 2(b) of the SAS Schedule at the same cost and maximum monthly quantity. It is unlikely that there would be any budgetary impact for the SAS as a consequence of deleting 2 variants of this product.

## Recommendation

As this was an administrative change, this application was considered by the Panel secretariat in line with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*. The Panel secretariat, noting equivalent products remained on the Schedule, recommended the deletion of 2 variants from the product range (14 variants) for Moderma Flex Firm Convex Drainable Flexwear (SAS Code 5675Q) listed in subgroup 2(b) of the SAS Schedule. The Panel noted the secretariat’s recommendation at the October 2022 meeting.

Hollister is to advise stoma associations, ostomates, stomal therapy nurses and the Australian Council of Stoma Associations of the deletion. A period of approximately 6 months from the date of the recommendation (18 October 2022) should be given to allow users of the product to seek a suitable alternative and to enable stoma associations to manage their stock levels.

## Context for Recommendation

The Panel secretariat, in accordance with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*, usually processes deletions to products. This includes consideration of whether appropriate alternative products remain available on the SAS Schedule. Suggested alternative products are noted by the secretariat but not referenced in the SAS Schedule.

## Applicant’s Comment

The applicant noted the SPAP recommendation.

# Hollister Moderma Flex Convex Maxi Closed Pouch – HO#06OCT2022

## Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Hollister Incorporated, sought the deletion of one variant from the current listing of Hollister Moderma Flex Convex Maxi Closed Pouch (SAS Code 80063W) in subgroup 1(c) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule, as it is being discontinued. The product, including 6 variants, is currently listed at a unit price of $4.707 including a price premium of $0.274, with a maximum monthly quantity of 60 units.

## Substitute products

Hollister Moderma Flex (SAS Code: 9943H)

## Variants to be deleted

|  |  |
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| **Product Code** | **Description** |
| 2283051 | Hollister Moderma Flex Convex Maxi Closed Pouch |

## Background

This product was first listed on the SAS Schedule on 1 January 2016.

## Clinical Place for the Product

Not applicable.

## Financial Analysis

Substitute products are currently listed in subgroup 1(c) of the SAS Schedule at the same cost and maximum monthly quantity. It is unlikely that there would be any budgetary impact for the SAS as a consequence of deleting one variant of this product.

## Recommendation

As this was an administrative change, this application was considered by the Panel secretariat in line with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*. The Panel secretariat, noting equivalent products remained on the Schedule, recommended the deletion of one variant from the product range (6 variants) for Moderma Flex Firm Convex Flex (SAS Code 80063W) listed in subgroup 1(c) of the SAS Schedule. The Panel noted the secretariat’s recommendation at the October 2022 meeting.

Hollister is to advise stoma associations, ostomates, stomal therapy nurses and the Australian Council of Stoma Associations of the deletion. A period of approximately 6 months from the date of the recommendation (18 October 2022) should be given to allow users of the product to seek a suitable alternative and to enable stoma associations to manage their stock levels.

## Context for Recommendation

The Panel secretariat, in accordance with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*, usually processes deletions to products. This includes consideration of whether appropriate alternative products remain available on the SAS Schedule. Suggested alternative products are noted by the secretariat but not referenced in the SAS Schedule.

## Applicant’s Comment

The applicant noted the SPAP recommendation.

# Hollister New Image – HO#07OCT2022

## Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Hollister Incorporated, sought the deletion of 2 variants from the current listing of Hollister New Image (SAS Code 3726D) in subgroup 7(a) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule, as they are being discontinued. The product, including 5 variants, is currently listed at a unit price of $3.504 with a maximum monthly quantity of 60 units.

## Substitute products

Hollister New Image Urostomy (SAS Code: 80018L)

## Variants to be deleted

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Product Code** | **Description** |
| 18412 | Hollister New Image |
| 18413 | Hollister New Image |

## Background

This product was first listed on the SAS Schedule on 1 April 2011.

## Clinical Place for the Product

Not applicable.

## Financial Analysis

Substitute products are currently listed in subgroup 7(a) of the SAS Schedule at the same cost and maximum monthly quantity. It is unlikely that there would be any budgetary impact for the SAS as a consequence of deleting 2 variants of this product.

## Recommendation

As this was an administrative change, this application was considered by the Panel secretariat in line with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*. The Panel secretariat, noting equivalent products remained on the Schedule, recommended the deletion of 2 variants from the product range (5 variants) for New Image Two Piece Urostomy Pouch Maxi (SAS Code 3726D) listed in subgroup 7(a) of the SAS Schedule. The Panel noted the secretariat’s recommendation at the October 2022 meeting.

Hollister is to advise stoma associations, ostomates, stomal therapy nurses and the Australian Council of Stoma Associations of the deletion. A period of approximately 6 months from the date of the recommendation (18 October 2022) should be given to allow users of the product to seek a suitable alternative and to enable stoma associations to manage their stock levels.

## Context for Recommendation

The Panel secretariat, in accordance with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*, usually processes deletions to products. This includes consideration of whether appropriate alternative products remain available on the SAS Schedule. Suggested alternative products are noted by the secretariat but not referenced in the SAS Schedule.

## Applicant’s Comment

The applicant noted the SPAP recommendation.

# Moderma Flex CeraPlus Drainable Pouch without Tape – HO#09OCT2022

## Proposed Listing on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Hollister, sought listing of the Moderma Flex CeraPlus Drainable Pouch without Tape in subgroup 2(a) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule. The product (one variant) was proposed for listing at a unit price of $4.879, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

## Comparator

The applicant nominated Moderma Flex CeraPlus Drainable Pouch without Tape (SAS Code 80109G) as the comparator. The product (10 variants) is currently listed in subgroup 2(a) of the SAS Schedule at the unit price of $4.879, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

## Background

This was the Stoma Product Assessment Panel’s (the Panel) first consideration of this product.

## Clinical Place for the Product

The proposed product is an alternative for users requiring a one-piece drainable baseplate.

## Clinical Analysis

The Panel noted that the proposed product is an additional variant to the existing product range for Hollister Moderma Flex CeraPlus offering users a variant with a drainable pouch to remove tape borders with no other structural changes to the product.

## Economic Analysis

The Panel noted that the proposed product is an expansion to the existing product range for Hollister Moderma Flex CeraPlus range providing ostomates with an alternative product without tape. The applicant is seeking the same unit price as the comparator product and therefore the listing of this product would be cost neutral.

## Financial Analysis

The listing of new products at the same price and the same maximum monthly quantity as currently listed products in the same subgroup will result in the same monthly cost on the SAS Schedule and is unlikely to have a budgetary impact for the SAS.

## Panel Recommendation

The Panel recommended that the Moderma Flex CeraPlus Drainable Pouch without Tape be listed in subgroup 2(a) of the SAS Schedule with one variant, at the unit price of $4.879 with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

## Context for Recommendation

The Panel provides advice on whether stoma products should be subsidised and, if so, the conditions of their subsidisation in Australia. Applications are considered in this context. Panel advice not to recommend listing or changes to a listing does not represent a final Panel view about the merits of a particular stoma product. A company can resubmit to the Panel following advice not to recommend listing or changes to a listing. The Panel is an advisory committee and as such its recommendations are non-binding on Government. All Panel recommendations are subject to Government approval.

## Applicant’s Comment

The applicant noted the SPAP recommendation.

# Moderma Flex CeraPlus Closed Soft Convex Pouch - HO#10OCT2022

## Proposed Listing on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Hollister, sought listing of the Moderma Flex CeraPlus Closed Soft Convex Pouch in subgroup 1(c) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule. The product (6 variants) was proposed for listing at a unit price of $4.707 including a pack premium of $0.274 per unit, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

## Comparator

The applicant nominated Moderma Flex Closed Soft Convex Pouch (SAS Code 80065Y) as the comparator. The product (6 variants) is currently listed in subgroup 1(c) of the SAS Schedule at the unit price of $4.707, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

## Background

This was the Stoma Product Assessment Panel’s (the Panel) first consideration of this product.

## Clinical Place for the Product

The proposed product is an alternative for users requiring a one-piece closed convex baseplate.

## Clinical Analysis

The Panel noted that the proposed product is an additional variant to the existing product range for Hollister Moderma Flex CeraPlus offering users a variant with a soft convex pouch infused with ceramide baseplate which is claimed to provide added protection to peristomal skin with a protective layer, preserving skin moisture but maintaining adequate adhesion.

## Economic Analysis

The Panel noted that the proposed product is an expansion to the existing product range for Hollister Moderma Flex CeraPlus range providing ostomates with an alternative product with ceramide baseplate. The applicant is seeking the same unit price as the comparator product and therefore the listing of this product would be cost neutral.

## Financial Analysis

Listing of this product is unlikely to have a budgetary impact for the SAS. The listing of new products at the same price and the same maximum monthly quantity as currently listed products in the same subgroup will result in the same monthly cost on the SAS Schedule and is unlikely to have a budgetary impact for the SAS.

## Panel Recommendation

The Panel recommended that the Moderma Flex CeraPlus Closed Soft Convex Pouch be listed in subgroup 1(c) of the SAS Schedule with one variant, at the unit price of $4.707, including a pack premium of $0.274 per unit, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

## Context for Recommendation

The Panel provides advice on whether stoma products should be subsidised and, if so, the conditions of their subsidisation in Australia. Applications are considered in this context. Panel advice not to recommend listing or changes to a listing does not represent a final Panel view about the merits of a particular stoma product. A company can resubmit to the Panel following advice not to recommend listing or changes to a listing. The Panel is an advisory committee and as such its recommendations are non-binding on Government. All Panel recommendations are subject to Government approval.

## Applicant’s Comment

The applicant noted the SPAP recommendation.

# Moderma Flex CeraPlus Soft Convex Drainable Pouch without Tape – HO#11OCT2022

## Proposed Listing on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Hollister, sought listing of the Moderma Flex CeraPlus Soft Convex Drainable Pouch without Tape in subgroup 2(b) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule. The product (7 variants) was proposed for listing at a unit price of $6.578 including a pack premium of $0.205 per unit, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

## Comparator

The applicant nominated Moderma Flex CeraPlus Soft Convex Drainable Pouch with Tape (SAS Code 80112K) as the comparator. The product (14 variants) is currently listed in subgroup 2(b) of the SAS Schedule at the unit price of $6.578 including a pack premium of $0.205 per unit, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

## Background

This was the Stoma Product Assessment Panel’s (the Panel) first consideration of this product.

## Clinical Place for the Product

The proposed product is an alternative for users requiring a one-piece drainable convex baseplate.

## Clinical Analysis

The Panel noted that the proposed product is an additional variant to the existing product range for Hollister Moderma Flex CeraPlus offering users a variant with a drainable pouch to remove tape borders with no other structural changes to the product.

## Economic Analysis

The Panel noted that the proposed product is an expansion to the existing product range for Hollister Moderma Flex CeraPlus range providing ostomates with an alternative product without tape. The applicant, Hollister is seeking the same unit price as the comparator product and therefore the listing of this product would be cost neutral.

## Financial Analysis

The listing of new products at the same price and the same maximum monthly quantity as currently listed products in the same subgroup will result in the same monthly cost on the SAS Schedule and is unlikely to have a budgetary impact for the SAS.

## Panel Recommendation

The Panel recommended that the Moderma Flex CeraPlus Soft Convex Drainable Pouch without Tape be listed in subgroup 2(b) of the SAS Schedule with one variant, at the unit price of $6.578, including a pack premium of $0.205 per unit, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

## Context for Recommendation

The Panel provides advice on whether stoma products should be subsidised and, if so, the conditions of their subsidisation in Australia. Applications are considered in this context. Panel advice not to recommend listing or changes to a listing does not represent a final Panel view about the merits of a particular stoma product. A company can resubmit to the Panel following advice not to recommend listing or changes to a listing. The Panel is an advisory committee and as such its recommendations are non-binding on Government. All Panel recommendations are subject to Government approval.

## Applicant’s Comment

The applicant noted the SPAP recommendation.