**Stoma Product Assessment Panel**

**Public Summary Documents**

Hollister – 24 October 2023

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Hollister Adapt CeraRing Flat Slim Fit 27mm – HO#01OCTOBER2023

Proposed Listing on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Hollister, sought listing of the Hollister Adapt CeraRing Flat Slim Fit 27mm, an additional variant of an existing product range, in subgroup 9(l) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule. The one additional variant was proposed for listing at a unit price of $4.531, with a pack size of 10 and a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

Comparator

The applicant nominated Hollister Adapt CeraRing Flat Slim Fit 48mm (SAS Code 80140X) as the comparator. The comparator product (2 variants) is currently listed in subgroup 9(l) of the SAS Schedule at the unit price of $4.531, with a pack size of 10 and a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

Background

This application was to add one variant to the existing product range of Hollister Adapt CeraRing Flat Slim Fit (SAS Code 80140X). The product was first listed on the SAS Schedule on 1 May 2017.

Clinical Place for the Product

The proposed product provides an alternative for users requiring a flat seal.

Clinical Analysis

The Panel noted that this application was to add one variant to an existing product range to include an additional size smaller seal of 27mm.

Economic Analysis

The Panel noted that the listing of the additional variant of this product 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 to the SAS.

Financial Analysis

Listing of one additional variant of this product is unlikely to have a budgetary impact for the SAS as it will be listed at the same price and the same maximum monthly quantity as currently listed products in the same subgroup, resulting in the same monthly cost to the SAS.

Panel Recommendation

The Panel recommended that the additional variant of Hollister Adapt CeraPlus Flat Slim Fit 27mm be listed in subgroup 9(l) of the SAS Schedule, at the unit price of $4.531, with a pack size of 10 and a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units. The product code for the new variant to be added under SAS code 80140X is 881527.

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 agrees with the recommendation.

# **ModermaFlex QuietWear – HO#02OCTOBER2023**

## **Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme**

The applicant, Hollister, sought the deletion of the entire product range of the current listing of Hollister Moderma Flex QuietWear (SAS Code 3500F) in subgroup 1(b) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule, as it is being discontinued. The product, with one variant, is currently listed at a unit price of $3.009, including a price premium of $0.274, with a pack size of 30 and a maximum monthly quantity of 90 units.

## **Substitute products**

Hollister Moderma Flex Flat Closed Pouch with Viewing Option (SAS code: 80064X)

## **Variant to be deleted**

|  |  |
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| **Company Code** | **Description** |
| 42145 | single carbon filter, other, medium, 455ml, no belt loops, 0.71mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, other, self-adhesive, standard wear, diamond, pre-cut, 45mm |

## **Background**

This product was first listed on the SAS Schedule on 1 July 2013.

## **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 this product.

## **Panel Recommendation**

As this was an administrative change, this application was considered by the Stoma Product Assessment Panel (the Panel) secretariat in line with the SAS Application and Assessment Guidelines. The Panel secretariat noted there are equivalent products remaining on the Schedule and recommended the deletion of the entire product range of 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 2023 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 (24 October 2023) 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 agrees with the recommendation.

# **Hollister Moderma Flex Drainable Pouch – HO#04OCTOBER2023**

## **Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme**

The applicant, Hollister, sought the deletion of 5 variants from the listing of Hollister Moderma Flex Drainable Pouch (SAS Code 80066B) in subgroup 2(b) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule, as it is being discontinued. The product, including 9 variants, is currently listed at a unit price of $6.578, including a price premium of $0.205, with a pack size of 10 and a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

## **Substitute products**

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

## **Variants to be deleted**

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| **Company Code** | **Description** |
| 5683038 | protected single carbon filter, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing option, large, 700ml, standard headspace, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.02mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, medium convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self-adhesive with tape border, standard wear, round, cut-to-fit, 15mm - 38mm, release tabs |
| 5683051 | protected single carbon filter, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing option, large, 700ml, standard headspace, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.02mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, medium convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self-adhesive with tape border, standard wear, round, cut-to-fit, 15mm - 51mm, release tabs |
| 5683125 | protected single carbon filter, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing option, large, 700ml, standard headspace, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.02mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, medium convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self-adhesive with tape border, standard wear, round, pre-cut, 25mm - 25mm, release tabs |
| 5683130 | protected single carbon filter, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing option, large, 700ml, standard headspace, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.02mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, medium convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self-adhesive with tape border, standard wear, round, pre-cut, 30mm - 30mm, release tabs |
| 5683135 | protected single carbon filter, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing option, large, 700ml, standard headspace, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.02mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, medium convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self-adhesive with tape border, standard wear, round, pre-cut, 35mm - 35mm, release tabs |

## **Background**

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

## **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 there would be any budgetary impact for the SAS as a consequence of deleting 5 variants of the product.

## **Recommendation**

As this was an administrative change, this application was considered by the Stoma Product Assessment Panel (the Panel) secretariat in line with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*. The Panel secretariat noted there are equivalent products remaining on the Schedule and recommended the deletion of 5 variants from the product range (9 variants) for Hollister Moderma Flex Drainable Pouch (SAS Code 80066B) listed in subgroup 2(b) of the SAS Schedule. The Panel noted the secretariat’s recommendation at the October 2023 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 (24 October 2023) 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 agrees with the recommendation.