

PUBLIC SUMMARY DOCUMENT

Product: Hollister Moderma Flex

Applicant: Hollister

Date of SPAP Meeting: 28 April 2020

1. Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Hollister, sought the deletion of the entire product range as it is discontinued, from the current listing of Hollister Moderma Flex (SAS Code 9911P) in subgroup 2(a) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule. The product, including five variants, is currently listed at a unit price of \$4.879, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

2. Substitute products

The nominated substitute products are variants in the Hollister Moderma Flex (SAS Code 9912Q) range. The product, including seven variants, is currently listed in subgroup 2(a) of the SAS Schedule at a unit price of \$4.879, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

Variants to be deleted

Product Code	Description
28220	single carbon filter, opaque with fabric cover on both sides, medium, 580ml, integrated closure, 1mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, flat, self-adhesive, standard wear, triangle, pre-cut, 20mm,
28230	single carbon filter, opaque with fabric cover on both sides, medium, 580ml, integrated closure, 1mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, flat, self-adhesive, standard wear, triangle, pre-cut, 30mm,
28235	single carbon filter, opaque with fabric cover on both sides, medium, 580ml, integrated closure, 1mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, flat, self-adhesive, standard wear, triangle, pre-cut, 35mm,
28240	single carbon filter, opaque with fabric cover on both sides, medium, 580ml, integrated closure, 1mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, flat, self-adhesive, standard wear, triangle, pre-cut, 40mm,
28500	single carbon filter, transparent with fabric backing, medium, 580ml, integrated closure, 1mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, flat, self-adhesive, standard wear, triangle, cut-to-fit, 15mm, 55mm,

Nominated substitute – SAS Code 9912Q – Hollister Moderma Flex

Product Code	Description
28320	single carbon filter, opaque with fabric cover on both sides, large, 780ml, integrated closure, 1mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, flat, self-adhesive, standard wear, triangle, pre-cut, 20mm,
28330	single carbon filter, opaque with fabric cover on both sides, large, 780ml, integrated closure, 1mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, flat, self-adhesive, standard wear, triangle, pre-cut, 30mm,
28335	single carbon filter, opaque with fabric cover on both sides, large, 780ml, integrated closure, 1mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, flat, self-adhesive, standard wear, triangle, pre-cut, 35mm,
28340	single carbon filter, opaque with fabric cover on both sides, large, 780ml, integrated closure, 1mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, flat, self-adhesive, standard wear, triangle, pre-cut, 40mm,
28400	single carbon filter, transparent with fabric backing, large, 780ml, integrated closure, 1mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, flat, self-adhesive, standard wear, triangle, cut-to-fit, 15mm, 55mm,

3. Background

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

4. Clinical Place for the Product

The proposed substitute product provides an alternative for users requiring a one-piece drainable pouch with flat baseplate.

Financial Analysis

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

5. Panel Recommendation

The Panel recommended the deletion of the entire product range for Hollister Moderma Flex (SAS Code 9911P) listed in subgroup 2(a) of the SAS Schedule at the unit price of \$4.879, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

The Panel also noted that Hollister is to advise Stoma Associations, ostomates, Stomal Therapy Nurses and ACSA of the deletion. A period of approximately six months from the Panel recommended date (28 April 2020) should be given to allow users of the product to seek a suitable alternative and to enable Stoma Associations to manage their stock levels.

6. Context for Decision

The Panel helps decide whether stoma products should be subsidised and, if so, the conditions of their subsidisation in Australia. It considers submissions in this context. A Panel decision 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 a decision 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 Cabinet/Ministerial approval.

7. Applicant's Comment

Hollister agrees with the Panel's recommendation.