

PUBLIC SUMMARY DOCUMENT

Product: Ainscorp Salts Confidence Natural Soft Convex Urostomy

Applicant: Ainscorp Pty Ltd

Date of SPAP Meeting: 22 October 2019

1. Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Ainscorp Pty Ltd, sought the deletion of the entire product range, of the current listing of the Ainscorp Salts Confidence Natural Soft Convex Urostomy (SAS Code 80034H) in subgroup 3(b), of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule, as it is no longer available. The product, including 11 variants, is currently listed at a unit price of \$6.373, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

2. Substitute products

The supplier has not nominated a substitute product, however the Panel noted there are alternative substitute products in subgroup 3(b) available on the SAS Schedule.

Variants to be deleted

Product	Description
SXNU1325	non-return valve multi chamber, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 315ml, low headspace, adapter for connection to drainage bag, bendable tube into fixed plug closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.2mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, extra thick baseplate material, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 25mm,
SXNU1338	non-return valve multi chamber, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 315ml, low headspace, adapter for connection to drainage bag, bendable tube into fixed plug closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.2mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, extra thick baseplate material, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 38mm,
SXNU1352	non-return valve multi chamber, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 315ml, low headspace, adapter for connection to drainage bag, bendable tube into fixed plug closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.2mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, extra thick baseplate material, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 52mm,
SXNU21	non-return valve multi chamber, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 315ml, low headspace, adapter for connection to drainage bag, bendable tube into fixed plug closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.2mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, extra thick baseplate material, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, pre-cut, 21mm, release tabs,
SXNU25	non-return valve multi chamber, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 315ml, low headspace, adapter for connection to drainage bag, bendable tube into fixed plug closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.2mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, extra thick baseplate material, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, pre-cut, 25mm, release tabs,

Product	Description
SXNU28	non-return valve multi chamber, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 315ml, low headspace, adapter for connection to drainage bag, bendable tube into fixed plug closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.2mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, extra thick baseplate material, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, pre-cut, 28mm, release tabs,
SXNU32	non-return valve multi chamber, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 315ml, low headspace, adapter for connection to drainage bag, bendable tube into fixed plug closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.2mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, extra thick baseplate material, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, pre-cut, 32mm, release tabs,
SXNU35	non-return valve multi chamber, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 315ml, low headspace, adapter for connection to drainage bag, bendable tube into fixed plug closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.2mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, extra thick baseplate material, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, pre-cut, 35mm, release tabs,
SXNU38	non-return valve multi chamber, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 315ml, low headspace, adapter for connection to drainage bag, bendable tube into fixed plug closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.2mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, extra thick baseplate material, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, pre-cut, 38mm, release tabs,
SXNUS1325	non-return valve multi chamber, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, small, 155ml, low headspace, adapter for connection to drainage bag, bendable tube into fixed plug closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.2mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, extra thick baseplate material, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 25mm,
SXNUS1338	non-return valve multi chamber, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, small, 155ml, low headspace, adapter for connection to drainage bag, bendable tube into fixed plug closure, belt loops on each side of pouch, 1.2mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, extra thick baseplate material, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 38mm,

3. Background

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

4. Clinical Place for the Product

The proposed product provides an alternative for users requiring a one-piece urostomy convex baseplate

Financial Analysis

The deletion of the entire product range is recommended. Substitute products are currently listed in subgroup 3(b) 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. SPAP Recommendation

The SPAP recommended the deletion of the entire product range for Ainscorp Salts Confidence Natural Soft Convex Urostomy (SAS Code 80034H) listed in subgroup 3(b), of the SAS Schedule, at the unit price of \$6.373, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

The SPAP also noted that Ainscorp is to advise Stoma Associations, ostomates, Stomal Therapy Nurses and ACSA of the deletion. A period of approximately six months from the SPAP recommended date (22 October 2019) 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 SPAP 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 SPAP decision not to recommend listing or changes to a listing does not represent a final SPAP view about the merits of a particular stoma product. A company can resubmit to the SPAP following a decision not to recommend listing or changes to a listing. The SPAP is an advisory committee and as such its recommendations are non-binding on Government. All SPAP recommendations are subject to Cabinet/Ministerial approval.

7. Applicant's Comment

Ainscorp Pty Ltd agrees with the SPAP's recommendation.