# PUBLIC SUMMARY DOCUMENT

**Product:** Omnigon Flexima Uro Silk

**Applicant:** Omnigon

**Date of SPAP Meeting:** 12 October 2021

## Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Omnigon, sought the deletion of the one variant of Omnigon Flexima Uro Silk (SAS Code 9824C) in subgroup 3(a) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule, due to the product never being manufactured. The product is currently listed at a unit price of $4.674, with a maximum monthly quantity of 60 unit.

## Substitute products

The nominated substitute product is a variant in the same product range.

**Variant to be deleted**

| **Product Code** | **Description** |
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| 44912 | Non-return valve single chamber, transparent with fabric backing, extra small, 230ml, low headspace, adapter for connection to drainage bag, no belt loops, hydrocolloid baseplate, flat, self-adhesive, standard wear, polygon, cut-to-fit, 12mm, 55mm. |

**Nominated substitute – SAS Code 9824C**

| **Product Code** | **Description** |
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| 44913 | Non-return valve single chamber, transparent with fabric backing, extra small, 230ml, low headspace, adapter for connection to drainage bag, no belt loops, hydrocolloid baseplate, flat, self-adhesive, standard wear, polygon, cut-to-fit, 12mm, 55mm. |

## Background

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

## Clinical Place for the Product

Not Applicable.

### Financial Analysis

It is therefore, unlikely that there would be any budgetary impact for the SAS as a consequence of deleting one variant.

## Panel Recommendation

The Panel recommended the deletion of the one variant of Omnigon Flexima Uro Silk (SAS Code 9824C) in subgroup 3(a) of the SAS Schedule at the unit price of $4.674, with a maximum monthly quantity of 60 unit.

The Panel also noted that Omnigon is to advise Stoma Associations, ostomates, Stomal Therapy Nurses and ACSA of the deletion. A period of approximately six months from the date of the Panel’s recommendation (12 October 2021) 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 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.

## Applicant’s Comment

Omingon have noted the SPAP recommendation.