## Sultanate of Oman Ministry of Health Directorate General of Pharmaceutical Affairs and Drug Control Muscat



سلطنة عُمان وزارة الصحة المديرية العامة للصيدلة والرقابة الدوائية مسقط

To:

THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF HEALTH SERVICES IN ALL GOVERNORATES

Commanding Officer, Armed Forces Hospital (Al Khoudh & Salalah)

Director General of Engineering Affairs, MOH

**Director General of Royal Hospital** 

**Director General of Khoula Hospital** 

**Director General of Medical Supplies (MOH)** 

Director General of Pvt. Health Est. Affairs (to kindly arrange distribution to all Pvt. Hospitals)

Hospital Director (Al Nahda Hospital)

Hospital Director (Al Massara Hospital)

The Head of Medical Services in SQU Hospital

The Head of Medical Services in Royal Oman Police

The Head of Medical Services in Ministry of Defence

The Head of Medical Services in The Diwan

The Head of Medical Services in The Sultan's Special Force

The Head of Medical Services in Internal Security Services

The Head of Medical Services in Petroleum Development of Oman

The Head of Medical Services in LNG Oman

ALL PRIVATE PHARMACIES & DRUG STORES

## After Compliments,

Please find attached our Circular No 242 dated 28/12/2022 Regarding NCMDR Recall of Vliwaktiv Absorbent activated charcoal dressing from (mfr: Lohmann & Rauscher).

## Copy to:

- Director, Office of H.E. The Undersecretary for Health Affairs
- Director of Medical Device Control, DGPA&DC
- Director of Pharmacovigilance & Drug Information Dept, DGPA&DC
- Director of Drug Control Department, DGPA&DC
- Director of Pharmaceutical Licensing Department, DGPA&DC
- Director of Central Quality Control Lab., DGPA&DC
- Supdt. of Central Drug Information





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## Recall of Vliwaktiv Absorbent activated charcoal dressing from Lohmann & Rauscher.

Source	NCMDR- National Center for Medical Devices Reporting- SFDA <a href="https://ncmdr.sfda.gov.sa/Secure/CA/CaViewRecall.aspx?caid=6&amp;rid=17358">https://ncmdr.sfda.gov.sa/Secure/CA/CaViewRecall.aspx?caid=6&amp;rid=17358</a>
Product	Vliwaktiv Absorbent activated charcoal dressing.
Description	Dressings / Pads – dressings.
Manufacturer	Lohmann & Rauscher.
The affected products	REF 20254 & 20255.
Reason	A possible insterility caused by a leaking seal seam in the packaging.
Action	<ol> <li>Please return the products you have in stock to the supplier using the enclosed formular. The products will be exchanged.</li> <li>Contact the local agent for remedial action.</li> </ol>
comments	Healthcare professionals are encouraged to report any adverse events Suspected to be associated with the above device or any other medical device to Department of Medical Device Control through the E-mail: <a href="Med-device@moh.gov.om">Med-device@moh.gov.om</a>

Dr. Mohammed Hamdan Al Rubaie

Director General





