## 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 138 dated 26/6/2023Regarding NCMDR Recall of VERITAS Advanced Infusion and Fluidics Packs from (mfr: Johnson & Johnson Surgical Vision Inc).

## 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 VERITAS Advanced Infusion and Fluidics Packs from Johnson & Johnson Surgical Vision, Inc.

Source	NCMDR - National Center Medical Device Reporting- SFDA.  https://ncmdr.sfda.gov.sa/Secure/CA/CaViewRecall.aspx?caid=10&rid=19602
Product	VERITAS Advanced Infusion and Fluidics Packs.
Description	Irrigation/aspiration system tubing set.
Manufacturer	Johnson & Johnson Surgical Vision, Inc
The affected products	Part number: VRT-AI and VRT-AF  Batch/lot numbers: 60304175; 60305661; 60305662; 60306935; 60306936; 60314677; 60372490; 60413117; 60425389; 60429442; 60435923, 60309847 and 60314675
Reason	A manufacturing issue with VERITAS Packs has occurred which could result in a weld protrusion, which is the physical gap between the housing and cover of the VERITAS Packs, that exceeds the design specification.
Action	<ol> <li>Discontinue using affected product and return it to the manufacturer.</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 Email: <a href="Med-device@moh.gov.om">Med-device@moh.gov.om</a>

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