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SurgiVet® 100 Series Sevoflurane Vaporizer & OHIO Series Sevoflurane Vaporizer

Product: SurgiVet® 100 Series Sevoflurane Vaporizers, and OHIO Series Sevoflurane Vaporizers

V741004 Ohio Sevo Funnel Fill exchange

V741005 Ohio Sevo Key Fill exchange

V740104 100 Series Sevo Funnel Fill exchange

V740105 100 Series Sevo Key Fill exchange

V720104 100 Series Sevo Funnel Fill

V720104MR 100 Series Sevo Funnel Fill MR Conditional

Summary:

This bulletin is intended to provide information to Customers, Sales Representatives, Customer Service Representatives, Clinical Services, Distributors and Affiliates who use or distribute the above Vaporizers.

SurgiVet® 100 Series Sevoflurane Vaporizers and OHIO Series Sevoflurane Vaporizers (“Vaporizers”) are temperature and flow compensated for use in the gas dispensing circuit of an anesthesia machine. These Vaporizers are calibrated and labeled for one anesthetic agent: Sevoflurane.

Sevoflurane is a highly fluorinated methyl isopropyl ether commonly used for induction and maintenance of general anesthesia. Generic versions of Sevoflurane with <130ppm water content are susceptible to chemical degradation and may react with oxidized aluminum components in Vaporizers. This may result in the production of potentially toxic compounds, such as hydrogen fluoride.

These Vaporizers have an anodized aluminum base and funnel cap.

Resolution:

Smiths Medical strongly recommends using only Sevoflurane with >130ppm water content with the SurgiVet® 100 Series Sevoflurane Vaporizers, and OHIO Series Sevoflurane Vaporizers.

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