

Measures to be carried out by the addressee:

Please read this letter as well as its reference documents completely (see list of appended documents) and keep these documents until the measure is completed.

Please carry out the following steps:

1. Check your stock of Bronchoscope Tubes of the affected product numbers and lot numbers of the deliveries made to you which are listed in the appendix. Please send these products to Richard Wolf GmbH:

Richard Wolf GmbH
Kundenservice
Pforzheimer Straße 32
75438 Knittlingen, Germany

Please make sure in your organization that all users of the product mentioned and other persons to be informed gain knowledge of this urgent safety information. If you have passed on the product to third parties, please pass on a copy of this document to them, and inform the contacts listed below.

2. Please make sure that this information is observed in your organization until all necessary internal measures have been completed.
3. To verify receipt of this urgent safety information we need the included **answer form** which we kindly ask you to return

**to fax number 07043 354467, or via e-mail to vigilance@richard-wolf.com
by December 14, 2018**

Please fill in this form even if the product is no longer in your stock. With the answer form you confirm receipt of this Urgent Safety Information and avoid getting further reminder letters from Richard Wolf GmbH.

4. Please inform Richard Wolf GmbH about any adverse events.

Do not use the affected Bronchoscope tubes listed !

The competent national authorities (amongst others the Federal Institute for Drugs and Medical Devices in Bonn) have been informed about this **Urgent Safety Information**.

Your contact persons are

for questions about the handling:

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for safety-relevant inquiries:

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We apologize for the inconvenience caused by this measure and thank you on behalf of Richard Wolf GmbH for your support ensuring a timely implementation.

Kind regards

Richard Wolf GmbH

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p.p. Marek Rast
Director of Technical Service

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p.p. Oliver Ehrlich
Safety Officer for Medical Products

Appended: answer form, listing of affected products