

«Hospital\_Name»

«Users\_Name»

«Department»

«Customer\_Address»

«Zip\_Code» «City»

«Country\_name»

<Reference: 97156074-FA>

20 February 2024

## Urgent Field Safety Notice - Urgent Medical Device Recall ISLEEVE™ Expandable Introducer Set

Dear «Users\_Name»,

Boston Scientific is conducting a removal of specific batches of the iSLEEVE™ 14F Expandable Introducer Set due to complaints associated with a hemostatic valve leak. Our internal investigation has concluded that the hemostatic valve seals were more likely to leak as a result of a manufacturing nonconformance, related only to these batches.

The most serious adverse health consequence resulting from the hemostatic valve leak is moderate blood loss during the procedure that requires a blood transfusion. The most common adverse health consequence that could occur is minor blood loss. There is no evidence of an increased safety risk for patients who have been previously treated using the iSLEEVE Introducer Set.

Our records indicate that your facility received some of the concerned product. **The table below** provides a **complete list of all affected products, including Product Description, Material Number (UPN), GTIN, Lot/Batch numbers** and expiration date. Please note that **only the devices listed below are affected. No other Boston Scientific product is involved in this Field Safety Notice.**

**Further distribution or use of any remaining product affected by this action should cease immediately.**

Product Description	UPN # / GTIN #	Batch #	Expiration Date
iSLEEVE™ 14F Expandable Introducer Set	H74939349140 08714729950660	31368041,31390084,31390088,31390089,31501866,31501867,31501868,31501869,31520897,31520898,31604492,31616143,31633635,31650457,31664216,31664217,31671140,31671143,31693638,31693639,31724952,31732930,31732931,31740806,31740807,31740808,31751118,31777134,31786582,31786583,31818290,31818299,31818341,31818342,31818343,31818344,31818345,31818346,31818347,31838684,31838685,31838686,31838687,31838688,31838689,31877302,31877304,31877305,31877306,31904748,31904749,31923755,31923756,31953345,31953348,32008170,32031191,32031192,32031193,32031196,32059171,32059386,32059387,32059388,32059392,32059393,32059394,32059396,32059397,32212151,32212153,32230544,32230545,32230546,32230547,32230548,32230549,32230550,32230551,32284196,32284198,32284200,32304326,32304327,32304328,32313757,32313758,32313759,32322405,32322406,32322407,32331162,32331163,32331164,32331165,32427040,32452794,32461848,32461849,32461850,32470848,32470849,32480089,32480090,32481344,32481345,32522178,32530450,32530451,32602892,32602893,32611557,32611558,32611559,32620708,32620709,32620710,32629426,32642560,32642561	3-April-2025 through 15-October-2025

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

1- Please immediately discontinue use of the Boston Scientific product reported in the list and remove all of the affected units from your inventory, regardless of where these units are stored in your facility. Segregate the units in a secure place, pending return to Boston Scientific.

2- Please complete the attached Verification Form even if you do not have any product to return.

3- When completed, please return the Verification Form to your local Boston Scientific office for the attention of «Customer\_Service\_Fax\_Number», on or before **12 March 2024**.

4- If you have products to return, please package them in an appropriate shipping box. **After receipt of the Verification Form, Boston Scientific will contact you to arrange return.**

5- Please pass this notice to any healthcare professional from your organization that needs to be aware and to any organization where the potentially affected devices have been transferred (if appropriate). Please provide Boston Scientific with details of any affected devices that have been transferred to other organizations (if appropriate).

Your Competent Authority is being notified of this Field Safety Notice.

We regret any inconvenience that this action may cause, and we appreciate your understanding as we act to ensure patient safety and customer satisfaction.

If you have any questions or would like assistance with this Field Safety Notice, please contact your local Sales Representative.

Yours sincerely,



Marie Pierre Barlangua  
Quality Department  
Boston Scientific International S.A.

Attachment: Verification Form

Please Complete the form even if you do not have any affected product & send it to your Local Office:  
«Customer\_Service\_Fax\_Number»

**Verification Form – Urgent Medical Device Recall**  
**ISLEEVE™ Expandable Introducer Set**  
**97156074-FA**

1. We acknowledge receipt of the Boston Scientific Field Safety Notice dated 20 February 2024.
2. **Boston Scientific records indicate you have received the following affected product** (additionally please check inventory against complete list of affected product provided)

Material N° (UPN)	Lot / Batch N°	Customer PO	Qty Sent	Qty to return

3. We confirm that all areas where affected product could be located have been checked.
4. **TICK ONE OF THESE STATEMENTS\***, **SIGN THIS FORM** and send it to «Customer\_Service\_Fax\_Number»
  - We do not have any affected product.
  - We have found affected product(s): Please confirm the quantity to return above. *If you are returning product not listed above, please add the UPN, Lot/Batch/Serial number and the quantity to return.*

**To RETURN PRODUCTS:**

1. After receipt of the Verification Form, Boston Scientific will contact you to arrange return.
2. Prepare the package
3. Follow the instructions given by your Local Office about collection of the package

NAME\* \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Customer SIGNATURE\* \_\_\_\_\_ DATE\* \_\_\_\_\_

\* Required field

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