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Class 2 Device Recall HeartStart MRx Monitor/Defibrillator

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May 03, 2018

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May 30, 2018

Recall Status¹

Open³, Classified

Recall Number

Z-2035-2018

Recall Event ID

7998223

510(K)Number

K063375²⁴

Product Classification

Automated external defibrillators (non-wearable)²⁵ - Product Code MKJ²⁶

Product

HeartStart MRx Monitor/Defibrillator, Model No. M3535A (861288), M3536A

(861289)

Product Automated external defibrillators (non-wearable)

Product Usage

The HeartStart MRx is for use for the termination of ventricular tachycardia and ventricular fibrillation. The device is for use by qualified medical personnel trained in the operation of the device and qualified by training in basic life support, advanced cardiac support, or defibrillation. It must be used by or on the order of a physician.

Code Information

US00588464, US00588657, US00589878, US00591080, US00593861

Recalling Firm/ Manufacturer

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Manufacturer Reason for Recall

The MRx monitor/defibrillators could fail to charge because the therapy printed circuit board may have been loaded with an incorrect electronic component. Failure to charge could potentially cause therapy to be interrupted or delayed.

FDA Determined Cause 2

Employee error

Action

On May 3, 2018, the firm issued an Urgent Amended Medical Device Correction notice to affected customers via certified mail. Customers were reminded that they were previously notified in April 2016 regarding the same issue. At that time, the firm committed to providing a replacement for all affected MRx units. The May 2018 notification was sent only to remaining customers who had not yet received a replacement device. Those customers were informed that due to the product being discontinued, their affected units would receive a replacement therapy board instead of a replacement unit. Customers were informed that they could continue to use their MRx prior to repair. But, if they observe a red X in the Ready for Use indicator, to follow the troubleshooting instructions in the MRx IFU. They were also advised that they would be contacted by Philips to schedule the repair of the device. If the customer has already returned their unit but has not yet received a replacement, they were advised that Philips will be replacing the therapy board, not the entire device. If you need further information or support concerning this notification, please contact your local Philips