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## Discontinuance of Fetal DECG consumables

Dear valued customer,

As an ongoing practice, Philips Healthcare regularly assesses and updates its product portfolios to ensure we provide the highest level of value and service to our customers. Philips also recognizes that this includes informing our customers of the intent to exit products as soon as possible to enable you to prepare accordingly.

As communicated in the Urgent Medical Device Correction letter, reference CR 2022-CC-HPM-061, Philips has stopped distributing the Fetal Spiral Electrode.

This letter serves as formal notification that the products listed below will no longer be orderable through Philips Medical Consumables and Sensors and/or its distributors as of the dates indicated below.

<b>Product reference</b>	<b>Product description</b>	<b>End of Quote</b>	<b>End of Sales</b>	<b>End of Shipment</b>
989803137631	Fetal Spiral Electrode	24-Oct-2022	24-Oct-2022	24-Oct-2022
989803137651	DECG Reusable Legplate Adapter	31-Dec-2022	31-Dec-2022	31-Dec-2022
989803139771	Attachment Electrode	31-Dec-2022	31-Dec-2022	31-Dec-2022

Philips Avalon Fetal Monitors will continue to provide you with Direct ECG measurement capabilities, without being a direct distributor of the required consumables.



An alternative Fetal Spiral Electrode, leg plate adaptor & attachment electrode are offered by Neoventa Medical. Neoventa Medical claims compatibility with Philips Monitors. Philips has not independently verified or validated these claims.

Philips is reviewing its mid-term strategy regarding the Fetal Spiral Electrode.

Philips is committed to provide high quality fetal products in caring for laboring mothers and their babies. We appreciate your business and loyalty.

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