

Information for Clinical Choice Matrix and Support Document

A review of Basic Podiatry Packs

Support Document

Introduction

Information for Clinical Choice (ICC) has been developed to assist Clinicians in the decision-making process when assessing the suitability of a product by providing a clear illustration and description of the features of a range of similar products supplied through NHS Supply Chain.

The criteria provided, in the form of a Product Matrix and Support Document, is the result of a product review, conducted by Clinical Engagement and Implementation Managers with support from clinical stakeholders from across the NHS as part of our assurance process.

The aim, alongside delivering savings back into NHS frontline services, is to ensure that clinical choice remains at the forefront of any product switching decision.

Surgical Instruments - Basic Podiatry Packs

These packs provide a quick and simple solution for podiatrists looking for a disposable solution with a range of single use instruments. Basic podiatry packs have a number of different single use instruments in them e.g., Nail Nipper, Foot Dresser, Scalpel Handle, and a Blacks Nail File. Each podiatry pack is individually wrapped, sterile and ready for use. The podiatry packs promote good practice in the hospital/community setting to minimise the risk of infection. These packs also help to reduce waste due to the instruments being wrapped in one pack rather than wrapped individually, they can also minimise set up time in clinics as its easier and quicker to collect the number of packs required for each patient rather than individual instruments.

Surgical instruments are tools or devices that perform such functions as cutting, dissecting, grasping, holding, retracting, or suturing. Most surgical instruments are made from stainless steel. Other metals and alloys, including titanium are also used. Surgical instruments facilitate a variety of procedures and operations. Specialised surgical packs contain the most common instruments needed for particular surgeries. This ICC will be the first in a number that will look at different instrument packs to enable clinicians to make an informed decision when choosing products.

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Supplier	FARLA MEDICAL	ROBINSON HEALTHCARE LIMITED	ACCRINGTON SURGICAL INST. SUPPLIERS	EMPIRE MEDICAL UK LTD	ROBINSON HEALTHCARE LIMITED	AVICENNA SURGICAL LIMITED	ROCIALLE	ACCRINGTON SURGICAL INST. SUPPLIERS
Brand	Instramed	Instrapac	ASISL	SURGOPACK	Instrapac	Avicenna	Rocialle	ASISL
MPC	NHS6023	8084	APP-08	EMP-PBP-02	8427	AVPP-03-301	RSET2031	ABP-011
NPC	EVS663	FCC439	FCB19013	FCB18820	FCC712	FCB19017	FCB20031	FFQ3392
Description	Procedure Pack Podiatry Basic Pack Curved Cantilever	Pack Podiatry Sterile Single Use Instrapac podiatry basic pack straight roller spring x 20	Accrington Podiatry Pack 8 Nail Nipper, curved, roller spring, 14cm, Blacks file, Double Ended, Disposable Emery File Board , BP Handle No.3	Podiatry Sterile Single Use Single Double Wrapped Basic Pack Straight Roller Spring Nail Cutter	Pack Podiatry Sterile Single Use Nail nipper small curved / foot dresser emery board / blacks file / scalpel handle	Pack Podiatry Sterile Single Use Basic Procedure includes Roller Spring Nail Cutter Curved 14cm Blacks Extra Fine File BP No 3 Scalpel Handle and Double- Sided Emery Board	Podiatry Pack. File Nail Fine (Blacks) 13.5cm (5.25"), Nail Nipper CVD Roller Spring 14cm, Handle Scalpel BP No 3, Dresser Foot (20cm) 8"	Instrument Packs Basic Podiatry Pack 1 1 x BP Handle no3 1 x Nail nipper curved blade 5.1/2- inch 1 x Foot dresser 8inch 1 x medium nail file 1 x Tray with 2 integral galipot 1 x Sterile field
Picture								
Route	Blue Diamond	Blue Diamond	Stocked	eDirect	Blue Diamond	eDirect	Blue Diamond	eDirect
UOI	10	20	100	20	20	20	20	50
Country of Manufacture	Pakistan and China	UK	Pakistan and UK	Pakistan	UK	Pakistan	UK	UK/Pakistan

