



In my vision of the future:

We're moving forward with non-DEHP products.

At Hospira, we never stop listening to the needs of patients, caregivers and healthcare facilities. So when the FDA issued you a Public Health Notification on the risks associated with DEHP,¹ we committed significant resources to develop a comprehensive line of cost-effective non-DEHP alternatives.

Advance with us.

WE LISTEN. WE THINK. WE DISCOVER. WE CREATE. WE ADVOCATE. WE INVEST.



WHY MOVE TO NON-DEHP?

A lower risk alternative

With a comprehensive line of non-DEHP alternatives, Hospira is providing you with the opportunity to address patient safety by limiting exposure to DEHP. The reduction of DEHP from hospital products reduces the risk of adverse effects among neonates and other high-risk patients.

A green standard

Efforts to minimize the release of DEHP into the environment are becoming increasingly common among healthcare facilities. By transitioning to non-DEHP products, you can play your part to help maintain a healthy environment.

An efficient solution

Standardizing to all non-DEHP products provides the opportunity to consolidate products and enhance efficiency with a smaller, more manageable inventory.

MAKING THE MOVE TO NON-DEHP

A simple switch

Clinically identical non-DEHP alternatives are already available for most of our DEHP products. Additional non-DEHP products will be available as we continue expanding our portfolio.

A smooth migration

In order to ensure you experience a successful migration, we have a number of resources in place, including www.HospiraAdvanceWithUs.com, a convenient online tool for up-to-date information on Hospira product portfolio updates.

For Abington Memorial Hospital

THE DECISION TO GO DEHP-FREE WAS EASY



Abington Memorial Hospital is a 570-bed regional teaching hospital located in Abington, Pennsylvania that never stops looking for ways to address patient safety and reduce its environmental impact. When they heard about the risks of DEHP and that Hospira offers cost-effective, environmentally friendly alternatives, they jumped at the opportunity to transition to non-DEHP products. In making the switch, they were able to uphold their commitment to patient safety in an environmentally friendly manner.

According to Meg McGoldrick, Chief Operating Officer at Abington:

“The more we looked into it, the more we knew it was the right thing to do— not just for neonates, but for all of our patients, and the environment.”

Have a question about non-DEHP?

Our Medical Communications Department is available to address any questions or concerns. Simply call: **800-615-0187**.

For more information on product portfolio updates and how Hospira is working with you to move healthcare forward, visit us at: **www.HospiraAdvanceWithUs.com**.

Reference: 1. US Food and Drug Administration Web site. FDA Public Health Notification: PVC devices containing the plasticizer DEHP. July 12, 2002. <http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/Safety/AlertsandNotices/PublicHealthNotifications/UCM062182>. Accessed February 17, 2010.