

Safety notice reference: IM00967  
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## Safety notice

# DEFIGARD HD-7 monitor and defibrillator

For the attention of users of DEFIGARD HD-7 monitor/defibrillators

Local contact
<b>Customer assistance:</b>

1. Device information
1. Type
DEFIGARD HD-7
2. Trade names
DEFIGARD HD-7
3. Main clinical use of device
Monitoring and automated external defibrillation
4. Models concerned by this notice
This notice covers the following serial numbers: 130980000126 to 130980002352

2 Reason for safety notice
1. Description of problem
Some rare cases have been reported intermittent electrical contact issues with the removable adult defibrillation paddles.
2. Risk
Could lead to delayed patient treatment.
3. Source of the problem
A contact spring may be suffering from mechanical fatigue, which can lead to a poor electrical contact. Such fatigue can occur after hundreds of adult paddle fitting/removal operations.



### 3. Action to mitigate the risk

#### Immediate measures and corrective action

SCHILLER Médical is sending you, with this letter, a pair of adult paddle electrode adapters fitted with an improved contact spring.

**1/ Replace the adapters on your DEFIGARD HD-7 at the earliest opportunity, following the procedure described in paragraph 5.3 of the notice.**

**2/ Then discard your old adapters (electrical and electronic waste).**

1. User response required See the letter from your distributor for the correct procedure. Confirmation of the removal from use of the old adapters must be returned to the distributor.	YES
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### 4. General information

4.	1. Type of notice	Initial
	2. additional information expected while monitoring the FSN?	None
	2. The competent (regulatory) authority in your country has been informed of this notice to customers.	
	3. Name/signature	Alain Weissinger Quality and Regulatory Affairs Director

### Circulation of this safety notice

	<b>This notification is to be passed on to all those who need to be informed within your organisation or any other organisation to which devices that are potentially concerned have been transferred.</b>
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