

## **SAFETY DATA SHEETS**

**This SDS packet was issued with item:**

070901603

**The safety data sheets (SDS) in this packet apply to the individual products listed below. Please refer to invoice for specific item number(s).**

070899500 070899518 070899633 070899666 070901611 070901629 070901637 070901645 070901652 070901660

070901678 070901686 070901694 070901702 070901710 078866970



March 19, 2014

**To Whom It May Concern:**

*Re: Patterson Sutures - Monofilament, Cat Gut, PGA, Silk.*

The medical products manufactured by Patterson Companies, Inc., are not considered chemicals or Hazardous materials, Therefore they are excluded from the scope of OSHA's Hazard Communication (29 CFR Part 1910.1200) and do not require material safety data sheets (MSDS). The following excerpt from OSHA's Hazard Communication is noted:

**1910.1200(b)(S)**

*This section does not require labeling of the following chemicals:*

**1910.1200(b)(iii)**

*Any food, food additive, color additive, drug, cosmetic, or medical or veterinary device or product, including materials intended for use as ingredients in such products (e.g. flavors and fragrances), as such terms are defined in the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S. C. 301 et seq.) or the Virus-Serum-Toxin Act of 1913 (21 U.S. C. 151 et seq.), and regulations issued under those Acts, when they are subject to the labeling requirements under those Acts by either the Food and Drug Administration or the Department of Agriculture;*

Furthermore, the materials used in the manufacture of the products intended for human use have been determined to be safe in the quantity and form as they are presented in their final saleable form.

This applies to Patterson Sutures - Monofilament, Cat Gut, PGA, Silk.

Patterson Codes: 070901603, 070901611, 070901629, 070901637, 070901645, 070901652, 070901660, 070901678, 070901686, 070901694, 070901702, 070901710

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If you have an emergency, please contact us at:

**24-hour Emergency Response Number: 800.424.9300.**

Sincerely,

Regulatory Compliance Department  
Patterson Companies, Inc.