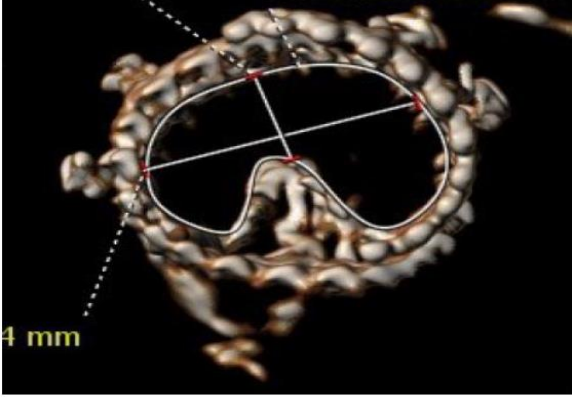


## Urgent Safety Communication

### Possibility of stent folding in Perceval Sutureless Heart Valve

<b>Device/ Product Name:</b>	Perceval Sutureless Heart Valve
<b>Lot numbers/Serials:</b>	Item #: REF, Product Description: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- ICV1208: PVS21, Perceval Sutureless Aortic Heart Valve size S</li> <li>- ICV1209: PVS23, Perceval Sutureless Aortic Heart Valve size M</li> <li>- ICV1210: PVS25, Perceval Sutureless Aortic Heart Valve size L</li> <li>- ICV1211: PVS27, Perceval Sutureless Aortic Heart Valve size XL</li> </ul>
<b>Manufacturer:</b>	LivaNova
<b>Problem:</b>	Possibility of stent folding due to Perceval valve oversizing.
<b>Recommendation/Actions:</b>	<p><b>Prevention</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Decalcification, to avoid uneven surfaces;</li> <li>- Correct sizing, using available information in the IFU; and</li> <li>- Ballooning, with the recommendation to pour warm sterile saline (at 37°C) while ballooning.</li> </ul> <p><b>Early detection</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Visual inspection, checking that the Perceval stent is correctly deployed; and</li> <li>- Performing an intraoperative echographic evaluation after Perceval implant to confirm correct positioning and verify valve functionality under beating heart conditions.</li> </ul> <p>There are no required actions for patients already implanted with Perceval outside of normal monitoring and treatment.</p>

<p><b>Devices/Products photo:</b></p>		
<p><b>Authorized Representative Details</b></p>	<p><b>Company name:</b></p>	<p>cigalah group</p>
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You **should** be aware of the mentioned risks in the notice and **contact** the Authorized Representative for corrective action.

Healthcare Professionals should **report** any adverse events suspected to be associated with affected devices above (or other Medical Devices) to:

**National Center for Medical Devices Reporting.**

Medical Devices Sector  
Saudi Food and Drug Authority  
Postal Address: Saudi Arabia - Saudi Food and Drug Authority (3292)  
North Ring Road - Al Nafal Unit (1)  
Riyadh 13312 - 6288  
Tel: +966 (11) 2038222 Ext: 2904  
Fax: +966 (11) 2757245  
Or

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