



May 6, 2022

DIFF-SAFE® Blood Dispenser by Alpha Scientific USA (Product number 366005)

Dear Valued BD Customer:

This letter is to inform you that we will no longer be distributing the product DIFF-SAFE® Blood Dispenser by Alpha Scientific with the OEM (original equipment manufacturer).

Over the past years we have been ensuring all BD products meet the new IVDR and MDR requirements and timelines. Unfortunately, we have not been able to confirm that the product meets the requirements and therefore are no longer able to distribute this product. As a result, we will no longer be able to receive and hold stock at BD beyond 26th May 2022. The current stock we have will support your existing demand until September 2022. We currently are exploring other alternatives and will notify you of this change in the near future. We would like to apologize for the disruption this will cause.

BD is committed to advancing the world of health. Our primary objectives are patient and user safety and providing you with quality products. We apologize for any inconvenience this issue may have caused you and thank you in advance for your patience as we resolve this interruption as quickly and effectively as possible.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Suryakant Dwivedy".

Suryakant Dwivedy

Specimen Management Associate Marketing Director