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CPC NOTICE OF CHANGES 938

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**The following classification changes will be effected by this Notice of Changes:**

<u>Action</u>	<u>Subclass</u>	<u>Group(s)</u>
<b>SCHEME:</b>		
Warnings Deleted:	A61H	9/0021, 9/0028

**No other subclasses/groups are impacted by this Notice of Changes.**

**This Notice of Changes includes the following** *[Check the ones included]:*

1. CLASSIFICATION SCHEME CHANGES

- A. New, Modified or Deleted Group(s)
- B. New, Modified or Deleted Warning(s)
- C. New, Modified or Deleted Note(s)
- D. New, Modified or Deleted Guidance Heading(s)

2. DEFINITIONS

- A. New or Modified Definitions (Full definition template)
- B. Modified or Deleted Definitions (Definitions Quick Fix)

3.  REVISION CONCORDANCE LIST (RCL)

4.  CHANGES TO THE CPC-TO-IPC CONCORDANCE LIST (CICL)

5.  CHANGES TO THE CROSS-REFERENCE LIST (CRL)

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1. CLASSIFICATION SCHEME CHANGES

A. New, Modified or Deleted Warning(s)

**SUBCLASS A61H - PHYSICAL THERAPY APPARATUS, e.g. DEVICES FOR LOCATING OR STIMULATING REFLEX POINTS IN THE BODY; ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION; MASSAGE; BATHING DEVICES FOR SPECIAL THERAPEUTIC OR HYGIENIC PURPOSES OR SPECIFIC PARTS OF THE BODY (methods or devices enabling invalids to operate an apparatus or a device not forming part of the body A61F4/00; electrotherapy, magnetotherapy, radiation therapy, ultrasound therapy A61N)**

<u>Type*</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Old Warning</u>	<u>New/Modified Warning</u>
D	A61H 9/0021	Group A61H 9/0021 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group A61H 9/0028. Group A61H 9/0021 is also impacted by reclassification into group A61H 9/0028. Groups A61H 9/0021 and A61H 9/0028 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete:</u> The entire Warning.
D	A61H 9/0028	Group A61H 9/0028 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group A61H 9/0021. Group A61H 9/0028 is also impacted by reclassification into group A61H 9/0021. Groups A61H 9/0021, A61H 9/0028, and A61H 9/0021 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete:</u> The entire Warning.

\*N = new warning, M = modified warning, D = deleted warning

NOTE: The “Location” column only requires the symbol PRIOR to the location of the warning. No further directions such as “before” or “after” are required.