



## NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE LEVEL 1 – FOR AWARENESS

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Swagelok has earned a reputation for unmatched quality and consistency at the component level. We are committed to maintaining this reputation while continuing to grow and improve our product offering. At times, this requires changes to the form, fit or function of our core products.

This Level 1 – Notification of Change sets forth changes to one or more of the products you may have purchased from Swagelok or an authorized Swagelok sales and service center. Prior to release, each change listed was carefully evaluated in accordance with the Swagelok Quality System, to minimize impact to you, our end customer.

A Level 1 Notification relates to an applicable\* change impacting Form, Fit and/or Function (“FFF”) or the cosmetic appearance of a standard product. “Standard product” is any product that does not include a customer specified product or process attribute and can be purchased by any customer. This includes off-catalog product that can be assembled through designators, assemble to order (“ATO”), make to order (“MTO”), product produced by other means.

**Product Name:** Fluid Distribution Headers (FDH)

**Product Details:** Fluid Distribution Headers End Cap

**Change Impact:**  Form  Fit  Function  Cosmetic Appearance

### Description and Reason for Change

- The change helps Swagelok factory with stocking select to improve delivery time
- The change include
  - + FDH1 manifold: end caps and O-rings are no longer available. Instead, the ends of the manifold bodies will be threaded with ¾ in. female NPT. Alternative end connections are available by using adapter fittings.
  - + FDH2 manifold: the number of end cap configurations has been reduced. The alternative end connections can be provided using adapter fittings.

FDH Inlet/Drain End Caps and Adapter Fittings			
Inlet/Drain End Connection	FDH1 Adapter Ordering Numbers	FDH2 End Caps and Adapters	
		End Cap	Adapter Ordering Number
¼ in. Female NPT	SS-12-RB-4	N/A	N/A
3/8 in. Female NPT	SS-12-RB-6	1 in female NPT	SS-16-RB-6
½ in. Female NPT	SS-12-RB-8	1in. female NPT	SS-16-RB-8
¾ in. Female NPT	None	1 in. Female NPT	SS-16-RB-12
1 in. Female NPT	N/A	1 in. Female NPT	None
3/8 in. Tube Adapter	SS-6-TA-1-12	1 in. female NPT	SS-6-TA-1-16
½ in. Tube Adapter	SS-8-TA-1-12	1 in. female NPT	SS-8-TA-1-16
¾ in. Tube Adapter	SS-12-TA-1-12	1 in. Female NPT	SS-12-TA-1-16
1 in. Tube Adapter	SS-16-TA-1-12	1 in. female NPT	SS-16-TA-1-16
1 1/2 in. Tube Adapter	N/A	1 ½ in. tube adapter	None
2 in. Tube Adapter	N/A	2 in. tube adapter	None



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- This change does not affect FDH outlet connections, FDH assembly ordering information but FDHs will be slightly longer due to the added adapter fittings

Please kindly refer to the attached MS-02-358 Fluid Distribution Header Application Guide-Rev F (05.2021) which has been updated to reflect these changes.

### Available Options:

- You should continue to select the desired FDH inlet and drain end cap connections using the existing ordering number designators
- Quantity Order Requirement
  - a) The following item: MOQ is not required
    - + SS-FDH1-CB-F4 (1 in. pipe, 2 sides 180 degrees apart, 6 outlets)
    - + SS-FDH1-CD-F4 (1 in. pipe, 2 sides 180 degrees apart, 10 outlets)
    - + SS-FDH2-CB-F8 (2 in. pipe, 2 sides 180 degrees apart, 6 outlets)
    - + SS-FDH2-CD-F8 (2 in. pipe, 2 sides 180 degrees apart, 10 outlets)
  - b) The others: applied MOQ 10 pieces per item or paying a set-up charge instead of buying the MOQ

**Effective Date:**  Immediately       Future Date [ESTIMATED IMPLEMENTATION DATE]

Unless otherwise noted, all changes are rolling changes and will take some time to flow through our global inventory. If you have questions regarding the impact of this change on your applications, please contact your local authorized Swagelok sales and service center representative. They, along with regional technology centers, and trained field engineers, are available to assist you.

*\* Applicable changes which would require notification to a Distributor or end user include changes which impact the form, fit or function of a product attribute or measurement as described in Swagelok data readily available to customers or when a change is made that is cosmetically detectable to the customer.*

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