• Access to the program is automatic for all patients that received a prosthesis from the CEREFORM® range after 1st of February 2007.
• To benefit from this guarantee, the prosthesis must be implanted by a qualified practitioner of plastic, aesthetic and reconstructive surgery in France or in a country where the CEREPLAS Company has authorized distributors.
• Replacement of the CEREFORM® implant for life*, whatever the model.
• Within the framework of the CEREFORM® guarantee, the patient may if she so desires and in agreement with her surgeon, change the size or the model of the implant (different profile or texture). If there is a price difference with the explanted prosthesis, the CEREPLAS Company will cover the difference.
• 10 years of guaranteed financial assistance of up to 1000 € to cover the costs of the clinic, anaesthesia and surgery.

The guarantee applies exclusively in the event of a proven rupture of the implant linked to a loss of the integrity of the envelope and for no other reason.

The guarantee only concerns mammary prostheses from the CEREFORM® range that are pre-filled with silicone gel and implanted after 1st of February 2007.

The new prosthesis must be a CEREFORM® prosthesis.

The implant must have been fitted in conformity with recognized surgical procedures by a qualified practitioner of plastic, aesthetic and reconstructive surgery in accordance with the documentation supplied with the implant.

The guarantee does not apply in the following cases:
• Prostheses impaired during the operation;
• Operative and post-operative complications such as the rupture or the leak that proves to be the direct consequence of a re-intervention (capsulotomy, alteration of the surgery…) or violent trauma (road accident, assault, attack…);
• Infections, hematomas and oedemas, waves and folds, migration of the implant, capsular contracture, adverse reactions consecutive to the rupture, etc…;
• Replacement of an intact implant on the opposite breast;
• Products of other manufacturers;
• This program does not apply to patients that are unsatisfied with their implant for purely aesthetic reasons (size or result).

* Mammary implants are by no means permanent and must be changed after a certain number of years (see chapter IX of the informed consent "Life span and post-operative follow-up").

In order to benefit from this program, the explanted and decontaminated prosthesis must be returned to us within a maximum of 2 months after the explantation with a copy of the invoice for the implant and the surgical costs accompanied by the form stating the reason for the explantation.

After reception and examination of the explanted product and the request for payment, financial assistance will be granted* if the conditions have been met.

For any information about steps to take or for any other question about the CEREFORM® lifetime guarantee, you can contact our Quality Control Department on: +33 (0)3 27 83 69 57.

The financial aid enables the payment of all or a part of the costs inherent to the operation to the amount of 1000 € if by no means constitutes the grant of a loan to the patient.

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The guarantee only concerns mammary prostheses from the CEREFORM® range that are pre-filled with silicone gel and implanted after 1st of February 2007.

The new prosthesis must be a CEREFORM® prosthesis.

The implant must have been fitted in conformity with recognized surgical procedures by a qualified practitioner of plastic, aesthetic and reconstructive surgery in accordance with the documentation supplied with the implant.

To benefit from this guarantee, the prosthesis must have been purchased and implanted in a country where the CEREPLAS Company has authorized distributors.

The guarantee does not apply in the following cases:
• Prostheses impaired during the operation;
• Operative and post-operative complications such as the rupture or the leak that proves to be the direct consequence of a re-intervention (capsulotomy, alteration of the surgery…) or violent trauma (road accident, assault, attack…);
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• Replacement of an intact implant on the opposite breast;
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SUMMARY OF THE GUARANTEE

- From the implantation, direct and automatic registration to the CEREFORM® guarantee program.
- Replacement of the CEREFORM® implant for life* only in the event of a proven rupture linked to a loss of the integrity of the envelope.
- 10 years guarantee of financial aid up to 1000 € to cover the costs of the operation.
- Possibility to change the size and/or the model from the whole range of CEREFORM® implants at no additional cost.
- This guarantee applies to the entire range of CEREFORM® implants.

You can receive all details of CEREFORM® contract warranty and the document for explanted implant return from our quality department at: +32 (0)3 27 83 69 57 - Contact: Caroline FAUVEAUX

The quality department remains at your disposal to answer all your questions referring to the CEREFORM® lifetime warranty.

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* No financial compensation will be given.

THE CEREPLAS COMMITMENT

Our commitment is expressed by our constant desire to offer you products that are always more reliable and more efficient in combination with impeccable service.

With this in mind we developed the range of CEREFORM® mammary implants. Its top-of-the-range positioning and a large variety of models reflect the seriousness and the demand for quality that are characteristic of the CEREPLAS Company.

Now more than ever, we would like to materialize this engagement to you and your patients. We offer you a lifetime guarantee on CEREFORM® pre-filled with silicone gel mammary prostheses upon implantation.

Inside this leaflet you will find all the details concerning our guarantee.