



Wallet pack combines compliance and recyclability with CR

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US - Ecoslide-RX child-resistant (CR), senior-friendly compliance package consists of 100% recyclable materials, primarily paperboard, to meet sustainability goals of brand owners. The designer, Keystone Folding Box Co., Newark, N.J., launches the blister-card-protecting carton in conjunction with contract packager, Legacy Pharmaceutical Packaging, St. Louis, Mo. An automated line forms each Ecoslide-RX wallet, loads a blister card and closes the pack. The assembly process does not require any heat sealing of paperboard. The CR locking mechanism meets the most stringent requirements set by the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, Washington, D.C. In a process that proves difficult for children, but senior-friendly, the pack opens by pressing a release button located on the corner of a major panel of the carton. When the CR lock is released, the film/foil blister slides out to provide access to the pharmaceutical/nutraceutical dose, but remains connected to the carton. With the packaging line at Legacy, brand owners can adopt the Ecoslide-RX design without spending time and money to modify existing equipment or install new machines. The design also lowers material costs because less film/foil is needed for the blister structure compared to traditional CR blisters.