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IMMEDIATE MESSAGE TO:

- 1. Directors of Pharmacy
- 2. Chief Pharmacists NHS Boards
- 3. Hospital Pharmacy Managers
- 4. Medical Directors NHS Boards
- 5. Chief Executives NHS Boards

23 April 2015

Dear Healthcare Professional,

DRUG ALERT CLASS 3 no 3 2015 – Action within 5 days

Please see the attached drug alert for onward transmission as below. Could all Directors of Pharmacy please forward this alert to:-

- Community Pharmacists
- Hospital Pharmacists
- Chief Pharmacists to forward on to Medicines Information Pharmacists

Please could Medical Directors forward this alert to:-

- General Practitioners
- Accident & Emergency Departments
- Directors of Public Health
- Relevant Clinics
- Chief Executives of NHS Board

Thank you for your co-operation.

Yours sincerely

IRENE FAZAKERLEY Healthcare Quality and Strategy Directorate











DRUG ALERT

CLASS 3 MEDICINES RECALL

Action Within 5 Days Pharmacy Level Recall

Date: 23 April 2015

EL (15)A/03

Our Ref: MDR 13-04/15

Dear Healthcare Professional,

Allergan UK Limited

Exocin 3mg/ml Eye Drops

Danish Language Packs Only

(Ofloxin)

Batch Number	Expiry Date	Pack Size	First Distributed
E75048	Sept 2016	1 x 5ml	03 March 2015

Allergan UK Limited is recalling Danish language packs of the above batch which have been shipped to the UK in error along with UK packs with the same batch number.

Recipients of the batch are requested to check that the units they have are English language packs. If any Danish language packs are identified, they should be quarantined. To arrange return and replacement please contact Allergan Customer Services on 0800 3767975 and choose option 2.

Recipients of this Drug Alert should bring it to the attention of relevant contacts by copy of this letter. Local area teams are asked to forward this to relevant clinics, community pharmacists and dispensing general practitioners.

Yours faithfully

Alison Bunce

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