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IMMEDIATE MESSAGE TO:

- 1. Directors of Pharmacy
- 2. Medical Directors NHS Boards

19 May 2017

Dear Healthcare Professional,

DRUG ALERT CLASS 2 no 6 VERSION 2 2017 - Action within 48 hours

Please see the attached drug alert for onward transmission as below. Please note that this is an update to the previously issued drug alert 6 2017 for this product. For logistical reasons, it has been requested that all remaining packs of the listed batches should be quarantined and returned to the supplier rather than to the address listed in the previous Drug Alert.

Could all Directors of Pharmacy please forward this alert to:-

- Community Pharmacists
- Hospital Pharmacists
- Primary Care 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 Pharmacy and Medicines Division







DRUG ALERT

CLASS 2 MEDICINES RECALL

Action Within 48 Hours Pharmacy and Wholesale Level Recall

Date:18th May 2017

EL (17) A /06(v2)

Our Ref: MDR 072-05/17

Dear Healthcare Professional,

FDC International Ltd.

Sodium Cromoglicate 2% w/v 13.5 mL Eye Drops

PL15872/0010

Batch Number	Expiry Date	Pack Size	First Distributed
GJW6071	June 2018	13.5 mL	21 st September 2016
GJW6072	June 2018	13.5 mL	21 st September 2016

FDC International Ltd is recalling the batches listed above as a precautionary measure due to a precipitate observed in the bottles.

All remaining packs of the listed batches should be quarantined and returned to your supplier.

For stock enquiries and medical information, please contact Santosh Amoncar on: (0)1489 565222 (0)7903 203039 <u>fdcil@btconnect.com</u>

Recipients of this Drug Alert should bring it to the attention of relevant contacts by copy of this letter. NHS Regional Teams are asked to forward this to community pharmacists, relevant clinics and dispensing general practitioners. It is not necessary to forward this notice to non-dispensing GPs.

Yours faithfully

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