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MEDICINES RECALL CLASS 2 MEDICINES RECALL

Action within 48 Hours

Patient/Pharmacy/Wholesaler Level Recall

Dear Healthcare Professional

Eaststone Limited

MidaBuc - Midazolam (as HCL) 10mg/mL Oromucosal Solution

**Unlicensed Medicine -
MS 32967**

Batch Number	Expiry Date	Pack Size	First Distributed
ES84553	15 Apr 2021	5mL	26 Apr 2019

Active Pharmaceutical Ingredient: midazolam hydrochloride

Schedule 3 Controlled Drug

Brief description of the problem

Eaststone Limited has informed us of an issue related to underfilled or empty bottles for MidaBuc - Midazolam (as HCL) 10mg/mL Oromucosal Solution. The above batch is being recalled as a precautionary measure following customer complaints.

Advice for healthcare professionals

Stop supplying the above batches immediately. Quarantine all remaining stock and return it to your supplier using your supplier's approved process.

Further Information

For more information or medical information queries please contact Eaststone at specials@eaststone.co.uk or alternatively call 0800 678 3102.

Recipients of this Drug Alert should bring it to the attention of relevant contacts by copy of this notice.

RQIA should bring this information to the attention of private hospitals/clinics registered with them and any other relevant care facilities.

The Business Services Organisation is asked to bring this information to the attention of Community Pharmacists and General Medical Practitioners directly.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Cathy Harrison', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Mrs Cathy Harrison
Chief Pharmaceutical Officer