

Recall of Certain Over-the-Counter (OTC) Medications

McNeil Consumer Healthcare and the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is implementing a voluntary recall of infant and children's liquid products due to manufacturing deficiencies which may affect quality, purity, or potency.

The FDA recommends that consumers stop using these products.

Products affected by this recall:

The recalled products include "brand name" liquid infant's and children's Tylenol®, Motrin®, Zyrtec®, and Benadryl® products. For a complete list, click on this link to reach McNeil's recall website: www.mcneilproductrecall.com.

Only one OTC infant and children's liquid dispensed by BJACH's Pharmacy is on the recall list: **Children's Motrin oral suspension**. The BJACH Pharmacy dispenses both generic ibuprofen liquid--which is not being recalled--and "brand name" Motrin liquid--which is being recalled (see image on next page).

If you have ibuprofen liquid that you received from the BJACH Pharmacy, then please call the pharmacy office at 531-3233 between 0800-1630 Mon-Fri to ask for help identifying your medication, or bring your bottle(s) of OTC medications to the BJACH pharmacy for inspection by pharmacy staff.

The BJACH pharmacy dispensed NO other medications affected by this recall. None of the BJACH-dispensed acetaminophen (Tylenol® equivalent), cetirizine (Zyrtec® equivalent), or diphenhydramine (Benadryl® equivalent) are made by McNeil.

If you have **purchased OTC infant and children's liquid products from the PX, Commissary, or any off-post stores** you should review the recall list to determine if any of your purchased medications are affected by this recall.

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Prior to 3 May 2010, the BJACH Pharmacy dispensed only one medication that is on the McNeil Consumer Healthcare recall list:

Children's Motrin (ibuprofen) 100mg/5ml oral suspension (see picture below).



Not all of the ibuprofen 100mg/5ml liquid dispensed from the BJACH Pharmacy was the “Motrin” brand of ibuprofen. In fact, three times more “generic” ibuprofen liquid (which has not been recalled) was dispensed from the BJACH Pharmacy since September 2009.

To determine if you have the recalled “Motrin” brand of ibuprofen liquid or the “generic” ibuprofen liquid, the bottle label must be examined. The recalled product label includes the prominent “Motrin” brand name (see image above). The generic ibuprofen (which has not been recalled) does NOT include the name “Motrin” anywhere on the bottle label.

If you have any doubts about whether your ibuprofen or any children’s liquid medication are affected by this recall, please bring your children’s oral liquid medication(s) to the BJACH Pharmacy or call the BJACH Pharmacy administration office at 337-531-3233 between 0800-1630 Mondays through Friday for assistance.