Important information about 12.7mm and 8mm ½mL BD Insulin Syringes

BD is conducting a recall of its Insulin Syringes with the BD Ultra-Fine™ needle ½mL 12.7mm 30G because some polybags are incorrectly labeled as containing 8mm 31G needles. This may represent a health hazard, because using a longer needle like a 12.7mm for injection when an 8mm was intended, could increase the risk of an inadvertent intramuscular injection, which may lead to unanticipated hypoglycemia.

If you are currently using product that you received on or after February 15, 2017, please follow the below steps to check if your product is being recalled, and if so, how to return it and receive a product replacement at no charge.

If you do not have the lot number indicated in the table above, your product is not affected by this recall.

At BD patient safety is our top priority. We appreciate your patience and cooperation with this process.

To read or download the full customer recall letter, please visit http://www.bd.com/en-us/support/alerts-and-notices/medical-device-recall-for-bd-insulin-syringes-with-ultrafine-needle-and-half-ml-30-g