Provider Newsflash
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Company Announcement/Recall – Abbott Powder Infant Formula

Purpose of this communication:

We are writing to inform you that the FDA has published notice that Abbott has expanded their 2/17/2022 voluntary recall of Similac, Alimentum, and EleCare powder infant formulas manufactured in their Sturgis, MI facility due to consumer complaints regarding Cronobacter sakazakii and Salmonelle Newport. The recall has been expanded to include one lot of Similac PM 60/40 (Can Lot # 27032K80 and Case Lot #27032K800) manufactured in the Sturgis, MI facility after learning of the death of an infant who tested positive for Cronobacter sakazakii after consuming Similac PM 60/40 formula from this lot.

What do I need to do?

- Please review the following recall notice: https://www.fda.gov/safety/recalls-market-withdrawals-safety-alerts/abbott-voluntarily-expands-recall-powder-formulas-manufactured-one-plant?utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery
- Notify impacted patients and facilitate the repair, replacement and/or resolution of the recall, according to the guidelines issued by the manufacturer in the notification.
- Confirm if you have any CareCentrix patients affected by this recall and notify the CareCentrix Quality Department by faxing information to: 919-792-6718 Attn: Quality Department.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and continued partnership.