The United States: H & P Industries Inc. - Povidone Iodine Swabsticks, Prep Solutions, Scrub Solutions, and Prep Gel: recall - inadequate microbial testing with multiple brands affected

Further to the notice posted by the FDA on 26 August 2011, please note the Povidone Iodine Swabsticks, Prep Solutions, Scrub Solutions, and Prep Gel to be recalled due to inadequate microbial testing are marketed under the following brand names:

Swabsticks

Amerinet

Cardinal Health

Nova Plus

PSS Select - Select Medical Products

Triad

Triad Plus

Prep Solutions

American Fare - Smart Sense, Kmart

Amerinet

Equaline, Albertson's

Fred's

Good Neighbor - Good Neighbor Pharmacy, Amerisource Bergen

Good Sense - Geiss, Destin & Dunn, Inc.

Leader - Cardinal Health

Major

Meijer

Nova Plus

Premiere Value - Chain Drug Consortium

PSS Select - Select Medical Products, PSS World Medical

Triad - Triadine

Triad Plus

Walgreens

Winn Dixie - Medic

<u>Gel</u>

Triad Plus

Scrub

Amerinet

Nova Plus

Triad

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Please refer to the following website in FDA for details:

 $\underline{http://www.fda.gov/Safety/MedWatch/SafetyInformation/SafetyAlertsforHumanMedicalProducts/ucm269800.htm}$

In Hong Kong, the above products manufactured by H & P Industries Inc. are not registered pharmaceutical products. This incident of recall has been released by the FDA and was posted on the website of Pharmaceutical Service on 26 August 2011.

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