

Important Announcement: Recall of NP Thyroid 30 mg, 60 mg, and 90 mg Tablets by Acella Pharmaceuticals

Dear Kaiser Permanente Member,

You may be affected by a recent recall of NP Thyroid 30 mg, 60 mg, or 90 mg Tablets manufactured by Acella Pharmaceuticals.

If you are no longer taking this medication or no longer have a supply of this medication, please ignore this letter. If you have a supply of this medication, here is what you need to know about this recall.

Why is Acella Pharmaceuticals recalling this medication?

- Acella Pharmaceuticals announced the recall because multiple lots (batches) of this
 medication contained potentially higher amounts of drug than expected.
- Acella Pharmaceuticals issued the recall to assure the health and safety of people who take this medication.

How do I know if my medication is affected by this recall?

- If your prescription was filled with a traditional "amber" (brown) prescription bottle, you will need to call the pharmacy that fills your prescriptions to discuss exchanging your medication at no charge.
- If your prescription was filled with the manufacturer's original "white" bottle, you may be able to find the lot number and expiration date.
 - The lot number and expiration date are printed on the manufacturer's label (not the label the pharmacy typed).
 - If your bottle is printed with a lot number and expiration date listed in the table below, your medication has been recalled.
 - Please call the Washington Drug Recall Information Line at 1 (855) 414-1511
 Monday-Friday 8:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. and discuss exchanging your medication with your pharmacist.
 - If you cannot locate the lot number and expiration date, please call the Washington Drug Recall Information Line at 1 (855) 414-1511 Monday-Friday 8:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

What other things do I need to know about this recall?

- Do not stop taking your medication, this is not an emergency.
- Do not bring your remaining prescription back to the pharmacy.
 - o Mix the tablets with something undesirable, such as coffee grounds, dirt or cat litter.
 - o This makes the medicine less appealing to children and pets.
 - Put the mixture in something you can close (a re-sealable zipper storage bag, empty can, or other container) to prevent the drug from leaking or spilling out.
 - Throw the container in the trash.

What should I do if my medication is not from the recalled lot?

• If you are able to identify the lot and expiration and your bottle is **not** from a recalled lot listed in the table below, your medication is **not** affected by the recall and you may continue to use your medication.

If you have any additional questions about this letter, please contact the Washington Drug Recall Information Line at 1 (855) 414-1511 Monday-Friday 8:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Sincerely,

Kaiser Permanente, National Pharmacy Operations

RECALLED LOT NUMBERS AND EXPIRATION DATES FOR NP THYROID TABLETS

PRODUCT	LOT NUMBER	EXPIRATION DATE
NP Thyroid 30 mg Tablets	M329H18-1	JUL 2020
	M329J18-1	AUG 2020
	M329J18-2	AUG 2020
	M329J18-3	AUG 2020
	M329M18-2	NOV 2020
	M329A19-1	DEC 2020
NP Thyroid 60 mg Tablets	M330J18-2A	AUG 2020
	M330J18-3	AUG 2020
NP Thyroid 90 mg Tablets	M331G18-1	JUN 2020
	M331J18-1	AUG 2020
	M331J18-2	AUG 2020
	M331M18-1	NOV 2020
	M331M18-2	NOV 2020