

## **Product Recall – Coumadin 1mg blister packs (Bristol-Myers Squibb)**

**Attention:** Health Care Providers, consumers

Bristol-Myers Squibb has recently voluntarily recalled 3 lots of physician sample blister packs of Coumadin® 1 mg tablets and 5 lots of Coumadin 1 mg tablet hospital unit dose (HUD) blister packs. The recall is because the below lots may over time, may not meet specification for isopropanol. Isopropanol is used to maintain the active ingredient, Coumadin, in the crystalline state, and could affect the therapeutic levels of the active ingredient.

- Physician Sample Blister Packs:
  - 9A48931A
  - 9A48931B
  - 9A48931C
  - Expiration date January 2012
- HUD Blister Packs:
  - 8F34006B
  - 8K44272A
  - 8K46168A
  - 9F44437A
  - 9K58012B
  - Expiration dates between June 2011 and November 2012

This recall does not involve Coumadin 1 mg supplied in bottles or any other strengths and dosage forms of the product. Patients who may have product from the subject lots should contact their physicians to ensure that their anticoagulation therapy is not interrupted.

Please talk with your patient(s) listed below who may be taking this medication. You can contact Bristol-Myers Squibb Customer Relations at 1-800-332-2056 (option 1, then option 4) for further assistance. Visit <http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm218864.htm> for more information on this recall.