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Brassica issues voluntary nationwide recall of multiple eye ointment products due to potential lack of sterility

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About this recall:

Brassica is voluntarily recalling certain lots of the following over-the-counter eye ointment products with expiration dates ranging from February 2024 to September 2025: Equate lubricant eye ointment (NDC 79903-026-35), Equate Styel lubricant eye ointment (NDC 79903-028-35), CVS Health lubricant eye ointment (NDC 76168-707-35), and lubricant PM ointment (NDC 71406-124-35). The lots are being recalled due to lack of sterility assurance that was found during an inspection conducted by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA).

These eye ointment products are for the temporary relief of burning, irritation and discomfort due to dryness of the eye or exposure to wind and sun. These products may also be used as a protectant against further irritation.

What this means to you:

For those patients who use these recalled products, there is a potential risk of eye infections or similar problems. These products are intended to be sterile. Eye products have a higher risk of harm because drugs applied to the eyes bypass some of the body's natural defenses.

Consumers should stop using the recalled eye ointment and may return the recalled products to the place of purchase. Consumers with questions regarding this recall can contact Brassica at **833.225.9564** or **Info@BrassicaPharma.com**. Consumers should contact their health care provider if they have experienced any problems that may be related to taking or using this drug product.