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Dear provider of pharmaceutical services,

Recall: Minivelle™ (estradiol transdermal system)

At PharmPix we are committed to the health and well-being of patients. It is for this reason that we inform that on May 16, 2018 the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) issued a statement notifying the voluntary retirement of more than 130,000 boxes of Minivelle™ (estradiol transdermal system), which is manufactured by Noven Pharmaceuticals. The recall was made due to defective drug delivery system. The affected lots are detailed on Table 1.

Table 1. Affected lots of Minivelle™

Product	Affected Lot	Expiration date	NDC
Minivelle 0.1 mg/day	81391	10/2018	68968-6610-8
Minivelle 0.1 mg/day	81638	10/2018	68968-6610-8
Minivelle 0.0375 mg/day	81896	03/2019	68968-6637-8
Minivelle 0.0375 mg/day	82264	12/2018	68968-6637-8

The Pharmacy must:

1. Identify if they have the product in inventory and immediately stop using and dispensing the product.
2. Contact all members that received the recalled medication in the previous 90 days.
3. Contact Noven Pharmaceuticals for questions regarding this recall.

For additional information visit:

Managed Care Health website at:

<https://www.managedhealthcareconnect.com/content/hormone-patch-recalled>.

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