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# PLEASE Recall Notification REVIEW PharmPix Clinical Department

U.S. Food & Drug Administration Publication Date:

12/11/2023

## Drug Information:

National Drug Code

6909-7964-53

#### **Product Description**

Vigabatrin for Oral Solution, USP 500mg/sachet

#### **Batch Number**

NB301030

#### **Expiration Date**

MARCH 2025

### Company:

INVAGEN PHARMACEUTICALS INC.

#### **QUESTIONS**

Call Cipla at 844.247.5287 Monday –
Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
EST or email cipla.cs@cipla.com



PharmPix is committed to the health and wellness of our members.

The clinical team wants to communicate the latest upto-date drug recall information.

# Vigabatrin Oral Solution

It is for this reason that we are notifying you that on 12.11.2023 the U.S. Food and Drug Administration published a drug recall for the following product(s): Vigabatrin for Oral Solution, USP 500mg/sachet.

#### **Pharmacy Required Action:**

**Identify** if the product is in inventory and immediately stop using and dispensing it. The product should be returned to the place of purchase or as directed in the recall notification.

Advise patients that they should not discontinue using the medication without contacting their healthcare provider. Patients experiencing any problem while taking or using this product must contact their physician.

#### Reason for Recall:

Cipla Limited announced that its wholly owned subsidiary, InvaGen Pharmaceuticals Inc. is voluntarily recalling one lot of Vigabatrin for Oral Solution, USP 500 mg, to the consumer level. The products in this lot have been found to have seal integrity issues allowing for powder leakage from the pouch.

An improper seal in the pouch may lead to the leakage of powder blend outside the pouch, resulting in a lower content of medicine inside the pouch compared to the label claim and result in potential underdosing. The population at risk is primarily infants and young children. In those patients, there is a reasonable probability that inaccurate dosing might result in a serious adverse effect such as intoxication or breakthrough seizures requiring medical intervention. To date, Cipla has not received any reports of adverse events related to this recall.



Remember you can report adverse events related to this or any other drug product at MedWatch: The FDA Safety Information and Adverse Event Reporting Program by any of the following ways:

Complete and submit the MedWatch Online Voluntary Reporting Form online.

<u>Download</u> FDA Form 3500 or call 1-800-332-1088 to request a reporting form, then complete and return to the address on the pre-addressed form or submit by fax to 1-800-FDA-0178.

Additional information can be found at: MedWatch: The FDA Safety Information and Adverse Event Reporting Program.

If you have any questions or wish to have more information regarding this document, you can call us at 787-522-5252- ext. 219. Our pharmacists will help you.

In addition, know that you can access our recent communications at our providers' portal: https://www.pharmpix.com/providers/.

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#### REFERENCES:

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