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IMPORTANT RECALL INFORMATION

Dear <<First Name>> <<Last Name>>.

We are sending you information about Metformin Hydrochloride Extended-Release 500 mg tablets manufactured by Marksans and distributed by Time-Cap Labs that may be valuable to you.

On June 5, 2020, the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA) published a notice regarding a recall of Metformin Hydrochloride Extended-Release 500 mg tablets manufactured by Marksans and distributed by Time-Cap Labs. This recall was issued because an unexpected impurity was found in these products that could be a health hazard or safety risk to plan members using product affected by this recall.

Our records show you may have received a prescription for this medicine recently from your participating retail pharmacy.

This recall affects lot number XP9004 exp. 12/2020.

The FDA recommends that consumers continue taking recalled metformin tablets, until they consult with their health care professional who can prescribe a replacement. Patients with type 2 diabetes could face dangerous health risks if they stop taking their prescribed metformin without first talking to their health care professionals.

Please call your prescriber right away for advice if you may be using affected product or if you do not know if you used affected product. Your prescriber is familiar with your medical history and can suggest the best treatment option for you.

For more information, call Time-Cap Labs Inc. toll-free at 1-877-376-4271. You may also call the U.S. Food and Drug Administration toll-free at 1 888 INFO-FDA (1 888-463-6332) or visit their www.fda.gov.

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- This material is available in other languages. Please call our member services department at the toll-free number listed on your benefit ID card. TTY users should call 1-800-863-5488.
- Esta información está disponible en otros idiomas. Por favor llame a nuestro departamento de servicios al cliente al número gratuito que aparece en su tarjeta de identificación. Los usuarios de equipo teleescritor (TTY) deben llamar al 1-800-863-5488.

Sincerely,

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