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IMPORTANT RECALL INFORMATION

Dear <<First Name>> <<Last Name>>,

On May 20, 2022, Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc. issued a recall of Anagrelide 0.5 mg capsules NDC #00172-5241-60. **This recall was issued due to dissolution test failure detected during routine stability testing, which may represent a potential health hazard or safety risk to plan members using product affected by this recall. Administration of this product with lower dissolution – taking longer to dissolve once ingested -- may result in decreased effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the drug to exert its platelet-reducing effect. For seriously ill patients with elevated platelet counts, less available anagrelide could increase the risk of clotting (blood coagulation), and clotting or bleeding events such as a heart attack or stroke, which could be life threatening.**

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

This recall affects lot number GD01090 exp. 05/2022.

To see if you have affected product, please check the lot number. The lot number is located on the manufacturer label next to the barcode. If the product you have is not from the affected lot number, it is not affected by this recall. If your product is from the affected lot number or was filled in a pharmacy bottle, please contact the pharmacy that filled your prescription for further instructions.

Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc. recommends that patients should continue taking Anagrelide 0.5 mg Capsules until they obtain replacement product or a prescription for an alternative product. Your pharmacist has access to your prescription history and can work with your doctor on alternative treatment options for you if needed. If you need a prescription for a different medicine, please contact your doctor.

For more information, please call Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc. toll-free at 1-888-838-2872, Monday-Friday between 9:00 AM and 5:00 PM (EST). You may also call the U.S. Food and Drug Administration toll-free at 1-888-INFO-FDA (1-888-463-6332) or visit www.fda.gov.

- 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.

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Sincerely,

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