



# DRUG ALERT CLASS 2 MEDICINES RECALL

### Action Within 48 Hours Pharmacy and Wholesaler Level

Date: 04 August 2020

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Our Ref: MDR 229-07/20

Dear Healthcare Professional,

# **Pharmaram Ltd**

# Clexane 4,000 IU (40mg) /0.4ml Syringes

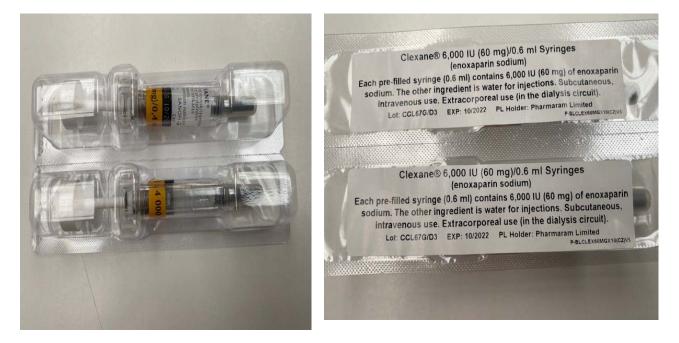
### PLPI 33652/0067

Batch Number	Expiry Date	Pack Size	First Distributed
CCL67G/D3	31/10/2022	10 syringes per pack	16/07/2020

Active Pharmaceutical Ingredient: Enoxaparin sodium

## Brief description of the problem

Pharmaram Ltd has informed us that the above batch of Clexane 4,000IU (40mg)/0.4ml syringes has an error on the labelling affixed to the plastic blister packaging encasing the syringe. The label incorrectly states "Clexane 6,000IU (60mg)/0.6ml Syringes", when it should have stated "Clexane 4,000IU (40mg)/0.4ml Syringes". The outer carton states the correct strength; the batch number and expiry dates are also correct and match the details on the labelling.





### Advice for healthcare professionals

- Stop supplying the above products immediately and remove from the shelves within your pharmacy/store. Quarantine all remaining stock and return these to your supplier using your supplier's approved process.
- Patients who have been supplied this batch of Clexane 4,000IU (40mg)/0.4ml Syringes should be informed that the error is only with the labelling on the plastic blister packaging encasing the syringe.

#### **Further Information**

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NHS England and NHS Improvement Regional Offices are asked to forward this alert to community pharmacy contractors.

Yours faithfully

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