

Medical Material Quality Control Message

MMQC-16-1963

Army: Activities must acknowledge receipt of the message on the [USAMMA MMQC Website](#) NLT 06-SEP-2016.

Message Number: MMQC-16-1963
Released On: 31-AUG-16
Message Class: Informational
Material Type: Vaccine
MMQC\MMI Reference:
FDA Recall Reference:
ECRI Reference:
DLA Reference:
MFG Release Date:

Subject:

BIOTHRAX (ANTHRAX), MDV (10-DOSE) / Joint Vaccine Acquisition Program (JVAP)

Reason / Information:

United States Army Medical Materiel Agency (USAMMA) Distribution Operations Center (DOC) received a complaint from an immunization site regarding unusual appearance and the presence of particulate matter in a vial of Anthrax Vaccine Adsorbed (AVA) BioThrax™ manufactured by Emergent BioSolutions. Place affected lot (FAV459A) in quarantine (?On Hold?) status until Center for Disease Control and Prevention concludes its investigation to determine if the affected lot is contaminated. Stand by for further instructions.

Disposition / Instructions:

--Quarantine ALL affected lots of Anthrax Vaccine Adsorbed (AVA) BioThrax™ Emergent BioSolutions.

--Label quarantined materiel as "DO NOT USE" and segregate the affected vials in the refrigerator.

--For general questions contact US Army Medical Materiel Agency (USAMMA Distribution Operations Center (DOC) at 301-619-4318; DSN 343; 301-676-1184, or FAX 310-619-4468.

Item Information:

NSN (FSC-NIIN): 6505 - 013996828

NDC: 64678021105

Nomenclature: ANTHRAX VACCINE ADSORBED 10 DOSE 5ML VIAL

UI: VI

Manufacturer: EMERGENT BIOSOLUTIONS

Distributor:

LOT / SN:

FAV459A

NOTE 1:

LOT # FAV459 - Expiration Date - 7 January 2017

ARMY Unit Assemblages

UA	NIIN	NOMENCLATURE
1337	013815039	RSL GENERAL HOSPITAL
C383	013249294	MEDICAL MATERIEL SET,
M306	013301867	MMS PHARMACY M
M383	013464823	MMS MEDSUP CBT MF2K/M

Service/Additional Instructions:

POC Contact Information:

US AIR FORCE:

Email: afmoa.sgalc@us.af.mil

Phone (COMM): 301-619-4170

Phone (DSN): 343-4170

Fax: 301-619-2557

US ARMY:

Email: usarmy.detrick.medcom-usamma.mbx.doc@mail.mil

Phone (COMM): 301-619-4300

Phone (DSN): 343-4300

Fax: 301-619-4468

US NAVY:

Email: usn.detrick.navmedlogcomftdmd.list.mmqc@mail.mil
Phone (COMM): 301-619-3085
Phone (DSN): 343-3085
Fax: 301-619-2473

USAMMC-E:

Email: usarmy.rheinland-pfalz.medcom-usammce.list.dtd-quality-assurance@mail.mil
Phone (COMM): 011-49-6331-86-7118/7181
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Command Channels
Immunization Clinics
Medical Log Officers
Medical Staff
Pharmacy Officers
Supply Officers
Supported Activities/Centers
Vaccine Shot Teams

Message Dissemination Authorization

AF Activities Will Take Action As Prescribed In AFI 41-209, Medical Logistics Support, Chapter 3. For MACOMS & NGB--This Msg Has Been Transmitted To All Designated Subordinate Medical Activities.

See Army Regulation (AR) 40-61, 28 January 2005, Chapter 4, and The Department Of The Army Supply Bulletin (SB 8-75-11) For Applicable Policies and Procedures.

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