

# **MEDICINE QUALITY ALERT: CLASS II MEDICINES RECALL OF MEDOPRESS (METHYLDOPA 250MG) TABLET BATCH NUMBER BPL.221138**

Cosmos Limited, Kenya, has initiated a voluntary recall of Medopress (Methyldopa 250mg) tablet, Batch Number BPL.221138.

From: Pharmacy and Poisons Board

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**Recall Reference Number:** REC/2025/045

**Recall Classification:** Class II

**Recall Level:** Retail/Facility Level

**Manufacturer:** Cosmos Limited, Kenya

**Product name:** Medopress

**Active Pharmaceutical Ingredient:** Methyldopa 250mg

**Affected counties:** All

## **Affected Batches**

<b>S/N</b>	<b>Batch No</b>	<b>Mfg Date</b>	<b>Exp Date</b>	<b>Pack Size</b>
1.	BPL.221138	10/2023	09/2026	10*10s

## **Brief description of the problem**

Following Risk-Based Post-Market Surveillance Activities, the Pharmacy and Poisons Board sampled and tested Medopress (Methyldopa 250mg) tablets, Batch Number BPL. 221138 and found that it did not meet the required specifications for the visual appearance, as it was observed that the tablets had spots on the surface.

## **Action for healthcare professionals**

Quarantine all remaining stock and stop further distribution, sale, issuing, or use of Medopress (Methyldopa 250mg) tablet, Batch Number BPL. 221138. Immediately, and contact Cosmos Limited, Kenya, to arrange the return.

## **Action for patients and caregivers**

Patients are advised to talk to their healthcare professional if they have the above batch of Medopress.

## **Further Information**

For inquiries about consignments of the impacted batch, please contact Cosmos Ltd at: [lina.lakhani@cosmos-pharm.com](mailto:lina.lakhani@cosmos-pharm.com), [info@cosmos-pharm.com](mailto:info@cosmos-pharm.com) , or by Telephone at: + 254 (0) 709 864 000, + 254 (0) 722 333 834, + 254 (0) 733 666 834

Promptly report any case/s of suspected substandard and falsified products, adverse reactions, or insufficient control of symptoms to the nearest

healthcare facility or the Pharmacy and Poisons Board through the following channels:

- <https://pv.pharmacyboardkenya.org/users/mpublic>
- USSD code at \*271#
- Email [pv@ppb.go.ke](mailto:pv@ppb.go.ke) or [pms@ppb.go.ke](mailto:pms@ppb.go.ke)
- Telephone No. 0795743049
- Mobile application: mPvERS both Android and iOS

For any further enquiries and feedback on the product recall, contact the post-marketing surveillance unit at the Pharmacy and Poisons Board via email at [pms@ppb.go.ke](mailto:pms@ppb.go.ke)