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UPDATE: Temporary Importation Products– Sterile Water, Dextrose 70% and Glucose 50%

Dear Valued Customer:

This letter is a follow-up to Baxter’s communications regarding product that is temporarily authorized for importation to the U.S. by FDA as part of mitigation efforts following the impact of Hurricane Helene on our North Cove facility (“Temporary Importation Products”). We are providing additional details on Sterile Water, Dextrose 70% and Glucose 50% Temporary Importation Products. For a temporary period, Baxter will offer the Products listed in Table 1 below in replacement of Sterile Water and Dextrose 70% manufactured in North Cove. Additional details include:

- Your current allocation for Sterile Water (North Cove) will be transferred to Sterile Water (JB0304) Temporary Importation Product listed in Table 1 below.
- Your allocation for Dextrose 70% (North Cove) will be determined by your group described below:
 - **Group A:** Facilities that compound Parenteral Nutrition (PN) for a large number of pediatric patients, determined by frequent purchases of pediatric Infuvite, i.e. four or more times in a given 12-month period*. Group A customers will receive Dextrose 70% USP (JB0297) Temporary Importation Product at 75% of their Dextrose 70% (North Cove) historic usage.
 - **Group B:** Facilities that purchase pediatric Infuvite fewer than four times in a given 12-month period*. Group B customers will receive Glucose 50% (FKB0257B) Temporary Importation Product at 100% of their Dextrose 70% (North Cove) allocation. Group B customers are receiving a higher allocation due to the difference in concentration.

All Temporary Importation Products will be available through direct Baxter purchases only. If you are unclear about your corresponding group, please reach out to your Baxter representative. **These changes will go into effect on November 21st.** At that time, any remaining backorders on Sterile Water (North Cove) and Dextrose 70% (North Cove) will be canceled.

*Between October 2023 and September 2024

Table 1 | Temporary Importation Products

Customer	Product Name	Size	Product Code	Bags per Carton	NDC	Allocation
All	Sterile Water for Injection USP	1,000 mL	JB0304	12	0338-9782-01	90%
Group A	70% Dextrose Injection USP	3,000 mL	JB0297	4	0338-9789-01	75%
Group B	50% Glucose Injection	3,000 mL	FKB0257B	4	0338-9787-01	100%

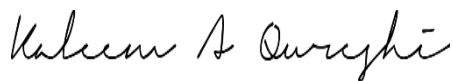
To better understand how 50% Glucose is different from 70% Dextrose, please refer to the following important resources.

- **Product code set up sheets**, including **Important Prescribing Information** accompanying this letter
- Information on updating **ExactaMix and Abacus** for 50% Glucose, and **additional clinical resources** can be found [HERE](#)

- Regular updates on our **North Cove recovery efforts** are available [HERE](#).
- For medical information, support or questions not addressed by the information above, please contact MedInfo@Baxter.com or call 1-800-933-0303

We understand the importance of supply continuity and the impact this has on your ability to care for your patients, and therefore are committed to transparently and proactively communicating any changes in supply with you.

Sincerely,



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