

WIC Situation Update Special Edition 02/18/2022

Formula recall and FDA advisory

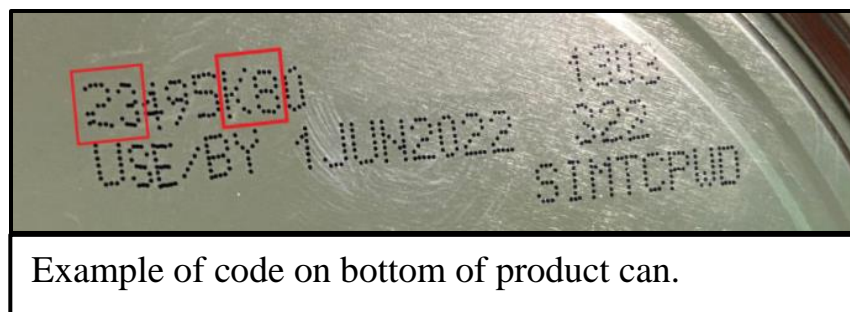
The FDA issued an advisory alert to consumers to avoid purchasing or using certain powdered infant formula products. This is an ongoing investigation. Abbott has issued a recall notice for these products. Idaho WIC has confirmed product on shelves. Oregon is part of the same distribution channel, therefore we believe these formulas may have been distributed in Oregon.

Affected products include:

- **All** 12.6 oz Total Comfort powder
- **All** 12.5 oz Similac for Spit Up powder
- **All** EleCare powder – infant and junior
- **All** Alimentum powder
- **Some** 12.5 oz Similac Sensitive powder
- **Some** 12.4 oz Similac Advance powder

Participants should check the code printed on the product packaging near the expiration date. The code for affected products includes the following identifiers:

- The first two digits of the code on the can are 22 through 37, **and**
- A code on the container contains K8, SH, or Z2, **and**
- An expiration date of 04/01/2022 or later.



Please check any sample product your clinic may have on hand. Products that do *not* have the above information are not affected. Participants should continue to use products not covered in this advisory.

Abbott has provided the following tools to assist consumers in determining if a product is included in the recall: <https://tinyurl.com/formula-check> or call 1-800-986-8540