

## C.O. Truxton – Recall of phenobarbital

- On April 21, 2017 the <u>FDA announced</u> that C.O. Truxton voluntarily recalled one lot of <u>phenobarbital</u>
   15 mg tablets to the consumer/user level due to a confirmed customer complaint that a bottle labeled as phenobarbital 15 mg was found to contain phenobarbital 30 mg tablets.
- Per C.O Truxton, the recalled phenobarbital tablets are labeled for human use, but used primarily for veterinary care. These phenobarbital tablets were distributed nationwide directly to veterinarians and healthcare providers.

Product Description	NDC #	Lot # (Expiration date)
Phenobarbital 15 mg tablets, 1000 count bottle	0463-6160-10	70952A (11/2017)

- The 15 mg tablets can be identified with "West-ward 445" debossed on one side and blank on the reverse side. The 30 mg tablets can be identified with "West-ward 450" debossed on one side and scored on the reverse side.
- Phenobarbital tablets are indicated for use as a sedative or anticonvulsant.
- Mislabeled product could expose the consumer or their pet(s) to potential overdosing that can cause severe intoxication which may lead to cardiogenic shock, renal failure, coma or death. To date, C.O. Truxton has not received any reports of adverse events related to this recall.
- C.O. Truxton is notifying all customers on record who purchased the affected product via U.S. mail
  which includes a recall letter, recall response form and is arranging for full credit returns and
  replacements of all recalled product. Consumers/distributors/retailers that have recalled product
  should stop using the product and return their product to their place of purchase.
- For any questions regarding this recall, contact C.O. Truxton at **1-856-933-2333**.
- Consumers should contact their healthcare provider if they have experienced any problems that might be related to taking the recalled phenobarbital tablets.



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