



## Baxter – Recall of sodium chloride irrigation

- On November 19, 2019, [Baxter announced](#) a consumer-level recall of one lot of [sodium chloride irrigation](#) due to the potential presence of leaks.
- The recalled lots were distributed between 7/9/2019 to 9/30/2019.

Product Description	NDC#	Lot# (Expiration Date)
0.9% sodium chloride irrigation, 5000 mL arthromatic plastic container	0338-0047-29	Y309971 (6/30/2021); Y309971A (6/30/2021);

- Sodium chloride irrigation is indicated for use as an arthroscopic irrigating fluid with endoscopic instruments during arthroscopic procedures requiring distension and irrigation of the knee, shoulder, elbow, or other bone joints.
- Use of a recalled solution bag with a leak may allow for delay or interruption of surgical procedure, or microbial contamination. If not detected, the use of a solution bag with a leak could lead to contamination of the surgical field. Per Baxter, there have been no reports of adverse events associated with the recalled product.
- Patients should contact their physician or healthcare provider if they have experienced any problems that may be related to using the recalled sodium chloride irrigation.
- Anyone with an existing inventory of the recalled product should stop distribution and quarantine the product immediately.
- Contact Baxter at **1-800-437-5176** for further information regarding this recall.



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