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Dear Doctor,

Further advice on Pharmaceutical products produced by Europharm Lab Co Ltd

Further to my letter of 6 March, I write to inform you that the Department of Health (DH) has ordered a recall on PURINOL manufactured by Europharm Lab Co Ltd.

Investigation carried out by DH showed culture of batches of PURINOL manufactured by Europharm Lab Co Ltd positive for a fungus called Rhizopus microsporus. We are performing risk analysis on the situation and the Europharm has suspended manufacture and distribution of all other products.

Our hotline at 21251122 will operate from 9am to 10 pm on weekdays. EuroPharm has set up a hotline (2665 3788) for enquiries.

Yours sincerely,

(Dr Monica Wong)

For Director of Health