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Dear healthcare professional,

Recall of Two Intrauterine Contraceptive Devices(IUCDs)

Mona Lisa CuT 380A and NT Cu380

We would like to bring to your attention that the Department of Health (DH) alerted the public on 29 Jul 2011 concerning a recall of all batches of intrauterine contraceptive devices (IUCDs), Mona Lisa CuT 380A and Mona Lisa NT Cu380 (please see attached photos), supplied by CNW Far East Limited (CNWFE), following discovery of mislabeling and wrong packaging involving the two models.

The discovery was made by the DH's Chai Wan Maternal and Child Health Centre (MCHC) when they served a family planning client on 28 Jul 2011. On opening a CuT 380A package, staff discovered that an NT Cu380 device was found instead. CuT 380A has a life span of 10 years while NT Cu 380 has only five years.

DH has contacted the local supplier for information and investigation is in progress. The findings so far revealed that the entire production chain for Mona Lisa IUCD takes place in Belgium.

While DH will be monitoring the recall, you are advised to stop using the products immediately in case if you happen to have the affected items in hand. CNWFE has set up a hotline, 2388 2933 to answer related enquiries.



Thank you for your attention.

Yours faithfully,

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for Director of Health