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Dear Customer:

RE: Lot Number Format Sandoglobulin® NF Liquid and Alburex®

Further to a request from Canadian Blood Services (CBS), this letter will provide you with some additional information re. the 11 digit lot number (including a hyphen) used on CSL Behring's products Sandoglobulin® NF Liquid and Alburex®.

The first five digits represent the material or product number, the last five digits the batch number. The two 5-digit blocks are separated by a hyphen.

Example: Lot 43097-00003

43097-xxxxx is the material number (e.g. Alburex® 5% 250 ml)

xxxxx-00003 is the batch number

If an electronic inventory management system is used which is limited to 10 digits, we recommend entering the material and batch numbers without the hyphen. The traceability of the product can always be ensured using this process; the two five digit blocks are unique and sufficient to identify a particular batch of product, the hyphen does not add any information. You can use the lot number without the hyphen to run e.g. inventory or activity reports for Sandoglobulin® NF Liquid or Alburex® if you have entered it in this format into your electronic inventory management system.

We recommend using the complete lot number including the hyphen for communication with your customers to avoid any misunderstandings.

We trust you will find this information useful. Should you have any further question please do not hesitate to call our Customer Service toll-free at 1-866-773-7721.

Sincerely,



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