

March 1, 2022

**RE: Potassium Chloride for Injection Concentrate USP (2 mEq K<sup>+</sup>/mL) Pharmacy Bulk Package**

Dear Valued B. Braun Customer,

As part of B. Braun's commitment to our customers, we would like to inform you about changes that will be occurring with **Potassium Chloride for Injection Concentrate USP (2 mEq K<sup>+</sup>/mL) Pharmacy Bulk Package, 250 mL GLASS, S9402-11**. We will be enhancing our Clinical Nutrition portfolio by changing the Pharmacy Bulk Package container of Potassium Chloride for Injection Concentrate USP from glass to an EXCEL<sup>®</sup> container. Potassium Chloride for Injection Concentrate USP in glass will be discontinued and no longer available once the inventory has been depleted. Potassium Chloride for Injection Concentrate USP in EXCEL (**P9402**) will be replacing it.

Current Product Code	Product Description	Case Quantity	NDC	Estimated Depletion Date
S9402-11	Potassium Chloride for Injection Concentrate USP 2 mEq K <sup>+</sup> /mL, 250 mL GLASS	12	0264-1940-20	May 2022
Replacement Product Code	Product Description	Case Quantity	NDC	Estimated Availability
P9402	Potassium Chloride for Injection Concentrate USP 2 mEq K <sup>+</sup> /mL, 250 mL EXCEL <sup>®</sup>	24	0264-1944-20	May 2022

**What is the same?**

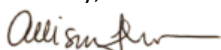
- The concentration, 2 mEq K<sup>+</sup>/mL, to be administered by intravenous infusion only after dilution in a larger volume of fluid.
- For use in a pharmacy admixture service and restricted to the preparation of admixtures for intravenous infusion.
- The container is not made with natural rubber latex, PVC or DEHP.
- Available in the same size (250 mL).

**What is changing?**

- The container system is changing from a glass bottle to an EXCEL container.
  - The container is overwrapped to provide protection from the physical environment and to provide an additional moisture barrier when necessary.
  - Vented compounding sets or transfer devices are no longer required.
- Specific gravity is changing from 1.089 to 1.086.
- Units per case are changing from 12 glass bottles to 24 bags per case.
- The closure system has two ports; the one for the suitable transfer device or compounding set has a tamper-evident plastic protector and the other is a non-accessible blocked port. The plastic protector maintains set port sterility and should only be removed in a suitable environment such as a laminar flow hood (or an equivalent clean air compounding area).
- Risks for damaged glass during shipment and use are no longer a worry.

Please refer to full Prescribing Information. For more information or questions, please contact your local sales representative or Medical Affairs at 1-800-854-6851 or email [medinfo.us@bbraunusa.com](mailto:medinfo.us@bbraunusa.com).

Sincerely,



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