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Health Alerts

The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) has announced recalls of the following products. Consumers should stop using recalled products unless otherwise instructed. For a complete list of recalled products, visit www.cpsc.gov.

Medicated oil

Hazard: The product contains two poisonous substances, methyl salicylate and camphor.

Description: The Arrow Brand Medicated Oil & Embrocation, also labeled as “Aceite Medicinal La Flecha,” claims to treat gas, coughs and colds, headache, colic, aches, pain and influenza.

Sold at: Specialty stores that serve Asian and Latino communities and on the Internet.

Remedy: Discard product. Consumers who have experienced abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, headache, visual changes, dizziness or mental confusion while using the product should contact a health care professional immediately.

Contact: Call 888-INFO-FDA.