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News

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Dear Wisconsin Children's Safety Advocates:

In September 2020, the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission issued a total of **6 recalls relating to products affecting children**. Attached is a summary of the releases identifying the product, the problem, and what should be done with the recalled product.

We have found that not all of the recalls are picked up by the news media as they occur. This monthly summary will give you the opportunity to review all of the children's product safety recalls for the past month. If you are interested in a complete text of the recall, click on the hyperlink at the end of the recall description. This will direct you to the recall notice located on the CPSC website.

- **Cycling Sports Group Recalls Front Racks for Cannondale Treadwell Bicycles Due to Fall Hazard ([20-179](#))**
- **Organic Aromas Recalls Wintergreen Essential Oil Due to Failure to Meet Child Resistant Packaging Requirements ([20-778](#))**
- **Medique Recalls 31 Different Over-the-Counter Drugs Due to Failure to Meet Child Resistant packaging Requirement ([20-780](#))**
- **Pedego Recalls Electric Bikes Due to Fall Hazard ([20-188](#))**
- **Specialized Bicycle Components Recalls SIRRUS Bicycles with Alloy Cranks Due to Fall and Injury Hazards ([20-190](#))**
- **The Vitamin Shoppe Recalls Vthrive Bioactive Multivitamins Due to Failure to Meet Child Resistant Packaging Requirement ([20-782](#))**

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If you have any questions or want to file a complaint regarding an unsafe product, contact:

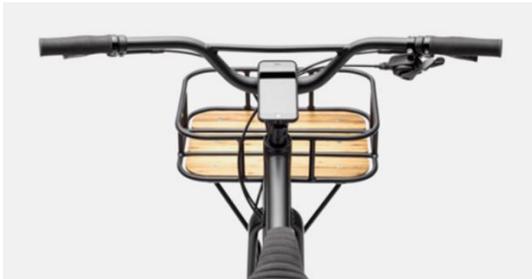
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Release Number: (#20-179) Cycling Sports Group Inc., of Wilton, Conn., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 1,975 front racks with bamboo trays. This recall involves the Front Rack with a Bamboo Tray for Cycling Sports Group Cannondale Treadwell bicycles. The rack has a black metal frame and a bamboo tray. "ISO11243:2016 YUENI MAX 10KG" is printed on the bamboo tray.

Problem: The recalled front racks on the bicycles can detach and cause the bicycle's front wheel to abruptly stop, posing a fall hazard.

What to do: Consumers should immediately stop riding the bicycle until the front rack is removed, and contact their local authorized Cannondale dealer or Cycling Sports Group to arrange for a free repair. Consumers can contact local authorized Cannondale dealer, or Cycling Sports Group at 800-245-3872 (800-BIKE USA) from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. ET, by email to ridersupport@cannondale.com, or at www.cannondale.com and click on "Recalls and Notices" for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2020/Cycling-Sports-Group-Recalls-Front-Racks-for-Cannondale-Treadwell-Bicycles-Due-to-Fall-Hazard#>

Release Number: (#20-778) Organic Aromas LLC, of Boise, Idaho, is announcing the voluntary recall of about 300 Organic Aromas wintergreen essential oils. This recall involves Organic Aromas Wintergreen Essential Oil in amber glass bottles with white or black caps. The product is packaged in 10mL, 30mL, and 50mL sizes. The firm name "Organic Aromas," the firm's logo, and "Wintergreen Pure Essential Oil," along with the volume amounts are printed on the white label. A 2mL size that was sold as part of a set of sample sizes of assorted oils and called the "Discovery Collection," is also subject to this recall. "WNTRGRN" is printed on a green label on the cap with the firm's logo on the side of the package.

Problem: The product contains the substance methyl salicylate which must be in child resistant packaging as required by the Poison Prevention Packaging Act (PPPA). The packaging of the product is not child resistant, posing a risk of poisoning if the contents are swallowed by young children.

What to do: Consumers should immediately store the product in a safe location out of reach of children and contact Organic Aromas for store credit of the original purchase price or a replacement with any other essential oil of choice in the same size as the original purchase. Organic Aromas is contacting all known purchasers directly. Consumers can contact Organic Aromas at 800-369-5764 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, email at info@organicaromas.com, or online at www.organicaromas.com and click on "Recall" at the bottom of the page for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2020/Organic-Aromas-Recalls-Wintergreen-Essential-Oil-Due-to-Failure-to-Meet-Child-Resistant-Packaging-Requirements-Risk-of-Poisoning-Recall-Alert#>

Release Number: (#20-778) Medique, of Fort Myers, Fla., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 143,300 Medique Over-the-Counter drugs from the product lines: Medi-First, Medi-First Plus, Medique, Dover, Otis Clapp, and Ecolab. The recall involves 31 different over-the-counter drugs purchased on or after June 1, 2018, that are unexpired from the following brands: Medi-First, Medi-First Plus, Medique, Dover, Otis Clapp, and Ecolab. They include aspirin-containing products, acetaminophen-containing products, ibuprofen-containing products, lidocaine-containing products, diphenhydramine, loperamide, and naproxen products. The expiration date for tablets and creams can be found on either the top or side panels of the container carton in the format [YEAR/MO]. For products in spray bottles, the expiration date in the same format is located on the front of the bottle. The expiration date is found on the bottom for the spray cans.

Problem: The over-the-counter products contain regulated substances which must be in child resistant packaging when being used in the household as required by the Poison Prevention Packaging Act (PPPA). The packaging of the products is not child resistant, posing a risk of poisoning if the contents are swallowed by young children.

What to do: Consumers should immediately store the recalled products in a safe location out of reach of children and contact Medique for information on how to dispose of the product and receive a full refund. Consumers can contact Medique at 800-680-2474 from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. ET, Monday through Friday, or online at www.mediqueproducts.com and click on "Recall Notice" at the bottom of the page for more information including registration access.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2020/Medique-Recalls-31-Different-Over-the-Counter-Drugs-Due-to-Failure-to-Meet-Child-Resistant-Packaging-Requirement-Risk-of-Poisoning-Sold-Exclusively-on-Amazon-com-Recall-Alert#>

Release Number: (#20-188) Pedego Inc., of Fountain Valley, Calif., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 11,600 electric bicycles. This recall involves six models of Pedego electric bikes. Models include the Interceptor (Including Platinum Edition), City Commuter (Including Mid Drive Edition and Black Edition), Boomerang Plus, Ridge Rider, Trail Tracker (Including Gorilla Edition) and Stretch (Including Dual Drive Edition). The model name is printed on the chain guard or chain stay of the bike. The bikes were sold in various colors. Pedego is printed on the bike frame.

Problem: An improperly manufactured electrical cable can cause the bicycle to accelerate unexpectedly, posing a fall hazard to the user.

What to do: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled bicycles and contact a local Pedego dealer to arrange for a free repair. Consumers can contact Pedego toll-free at 888-871-7115 from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. ET Sunday through Saturday, or online at www.pedegobikerecall.expertinquiry.com and click on FAQ for more information. Local Pedego dealer contact info can be found at:

www.pedegoelectricbikes.com/dealers.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2020/Pedego-Recalls-Electric-Bikes-Due-to-Fall-Hazard#>

Release Number: (#20-190) Specialized Bicycle Components Inc., of Morgan Hill, Calif., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 36,000 SIRRUS, SIRRUS X and SIRRUS Sport bicycles with alloy cranks. This recall involves the 2019-2020 model year SIRRUS, SIRRUS X and SIRRUS Sport bicycles. The bicycles were sold in 27 different colors. Consumers can determine if their bicycle is part of the recall if “SIRRUS” or “SIRRUS X” is written on the top tube of the bicycle and the model name (e.g. “3.0”) is written on the seat stay of the bicycle. The recalled model details can be found online.

Problem: The crank arm can disengage and cause the bicycle’s rider to lose control, posing fall and injury hazards.

What to do: Consumers should stop using the recalled bicycles immediately and contact their nearest authorized Specialized retailer for a free repair. Consumers can contact Specialized Bicycle Components at 800-722-4423 from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. PT Monday through Friday, email ridercare@specialized.com or online at www.specialized.com and click on ‘Safety Notices’ for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2020/Specialized-Bicycle-Components-Recalls-SIRRUS-Bicycles-with-Alloy-Cranks-Due-to-Fall-and-Injury-Hazards#>

Release Number: (#20-782) The Vitamin Shoppe, of Secaucus, N.J., is announcing the voluntary recall of about 8,200 Vthrive Bioactive women’s one-daily multi vitamins. This recall involves The Vitamin Shoppe’s Vthrive Bioactive Women’s One-Daily Multi vitamins. The 60-count capsules were sold in an amber bottle with a gray top. Vthrive and Bioactive Women’s One-Daily Multi are printed on a blue label on the bottle. Item number VS-6104 can be found on the back of the bottle and lot number 006218, 006454, 006495 or 006779 on the bottle’s underside. Only the 60-count bottles are included in this recall.

Problem: The multivitamins’ packaging is not child resistant as required by the Poison Prevention Packaging Act. The capsules inside the bottle contain iron, which can cause serious injury or death to young children if multiple tablets are ingested at once.

What to do: Consumers should immediately store the product in a safe location out of reach of children. Contact The Vitamin Shoppe for instructions on how to dispose of the product and receive a full refund or merchandise credit. The Vitamin Shoppe is notifying all known purchasers directly. Consumers can contact The Vitamin Shoppe toll-free at 866-293-3367 from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. ET Monday through Sunday, email at Bioactiverecall@vitaminshoppe.com, or online at www.vitaminshoppe.com and click on Product Recall Alert or www.vitaminshoppe.com/u/contact-us for more information.



<https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2020/The-Vitamin-Shoppe-Recalls-Vthrive-Bioactive-Multivitamins-Due-to-Failure-to-Meet-Child-Resistant-Packaging-Requirement-Risk-of-Poisoning-Recall-Alert#>