


# Abbott Recalls Similac Powder Formula Due To Pathogen Contaminate

**Recall Date:** 17 February 2022

**Description:** With the knowledge of the FDA, Abbott is initiating a voluntary recall of powder formulas, including Similac, Alimentum and EleCare manufactured in Sturgis, Michigan due to the possibility of contamination with *Cronobacter sakazakii* or *Salmonella*. For a complete list of affected products and their production codes please visit the [FDA website](#).

The following products were sold at The Exchange:

Product Description	UPC	Product Images	Product Codes	Use By Date
Similac Pro-Sensitive Powder Infant Formula	070074660820		First two digits 22 through 37 and contains K8, SH, or Z2	
	070074680910			
Similac Pro-Advance Infant Formula	070074680897			
	070074660806			
Similac Advance Powder Infant Formula	070074533605			
	070074680859			
Similac Sensitive For Fussiness & Gas, Baby Formula	070074508177			
	070074680835			
Similac Alimentum Powder Infant Formula	070074647128			
Similac Organic Infant Formula	070074508221			
Similac for Spit Up	070074537306			

**Hazard:** *Cronobacter sakazakii* is commonly found in the environment and a variety of areas in the home. It can cause fever, poor feeding, excessive crying or low energy as well as other serious symptoms. It's important to follow the instructions for proper preparation, handling and storage of powder formulas.

**Remedy:** Consumers who have the products that are being recalled should stop using these products and dispose of them appropriately. No action is needed for previously consumed product. If you have questions about feeding your child, contact your healthcare professional.

**Incidents/Injuries:** To date, there have been four consumer complaints related to *Cronobacter sakazakii* or *Salmonella* in infants who had consumed powder infant formula manufactured in in Sturgis, Michigan.

**Sold at:** Worldwide Exchanges, shopmyexchange.com and other retailers.

**Consumer Contact:** Consumers with questions regarding this recall can contact the Abbott Media: Vicky Assardo, (224) 668-1505; Jonathon Hamilton, (224) 667-8646; Ellen Wichman, (224) 667-8522; Spanish-speaking media in U.S.: John Koval, (224) 668-5355; Spanish-speaking media outside the U.S.: Jorge Solorzano, +52 55-3333-7604; Abbott Financial: Laura Dauer, (224) 667-2299

**Manufacturer:** Abbott

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