

Abbott Formula Recall

The formula recall is for the following Similac powdered formulas:

Total Comfort, Similac Spit-Up, Similac Sensitive, and Similac Advanced.

FDA Consumer Warning

The FDA has released an alert for consumers to avoid buying or using certain Abbott **powdered** infant formulas. Abbott has voluntarily recalled **SOME** powdered formula including:

- Similac
- Alimentum
- EleCare

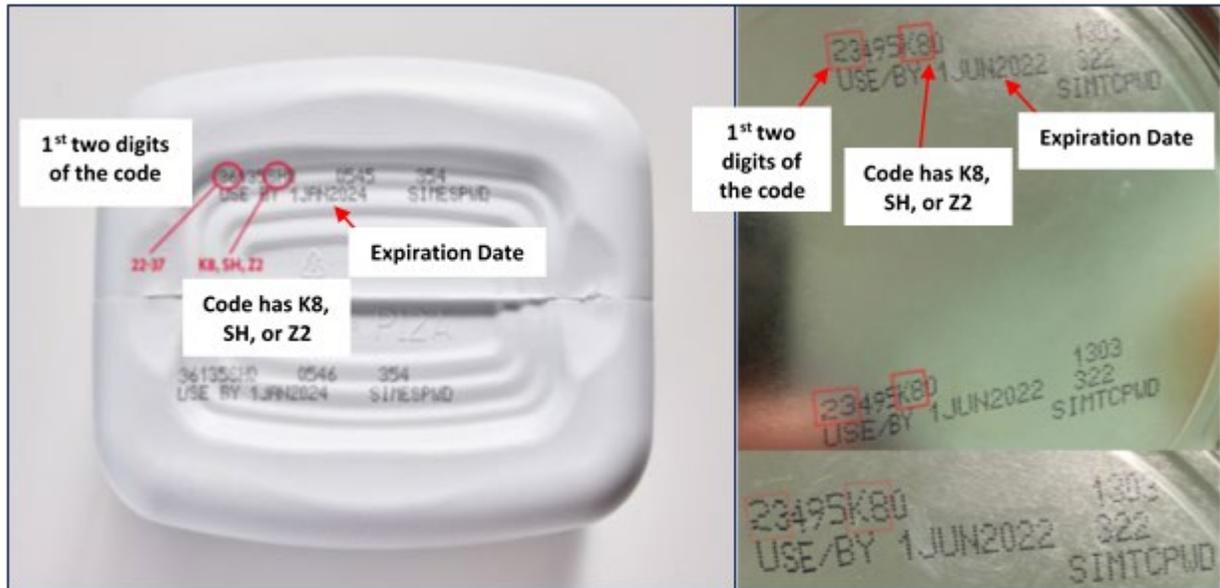
How To Check Your Formula

To check your formula follow the steps below and refer to the product pictures.

Not all Abbott formula products are being recalled. The FDA is advising consumers not to use **Similac, Alimentum or EleCare** powdered infant formulas if:

1. The first two digits of the code are **22 through 37 and**
2. The code on the container contains **K8, SH, or Z2, and**
3. The expiration date is **4-1-2022 (APR 2022) or later.**

Product Pictures



Products that do not contain the information listed above are not included in this recall.

This warning **does not include liquid formula** products or **any metabolic deficiency nutrition formulas**. Consumers should continue to use all product not covered by this recall.

Information About Your Louisiana WIC Benefits and the Recall

Louisiana WIC participants that have a product included in the recall, should follow the steps below:

1. Check Your Similac Powdered Formula; SOME Similac Products are Recalled

- Follow the “How To Check Your Formula” steps on pg. 1 of this handout.
- Visit the website, similacrecall.com, and use the “[check lot number](#)” tool (see below) to determine if a formula product is a part of the recall.
- You can also call Similac customer service at 1-800-986-8540.

CHECK LOT NUMBER

Please find the Lot Number on your product. Enter this information in the form fields below and hit Search.

LOT NUMBER*

Enter the first 7 characters of the lot number in the lot search field starting with 22 through 27. Example: 1234567890

SEARCH

HOW TO LOCATE YOUR LOT NUMBER

The Lot Number should be located on the bottom of the container:



2. Do Not Use Any Recalled Formula

If you have formula that has been recalled do not use it for infant feeding.

3. Safely Store Recalled Formula

Store any recalled product until you are able to return and replace the formula. See the steps below on options for replacing recalled formula.

How to Replace Recalled Formula

Louisiana WIC participants have the same rights as all other consumers under this recall, and may follow any of the steps below to replace recalled product.

1. Return to Vendor

Consumers may return recalled product to the vendor (store) where it was purchased. WIC authorized vendors must treat all customers the same with regard to the recall exchange process and possible substitutes (which may include, but are not limited to, the same product, a substitute product, store credit, or a cash refund). As a part of the recall exchange process, WIC authorized vendors are not required to, nor does LA WIC recommend that they, determine whether a product was purchased using WIC benefits.

2. Return to Abbott.

Follow directions from Abbott, provided via www.similacrecall.com or 1-800-986-8540 for returning recalled product.

3. Return to Clinic.

Participants may return recalled product to the clinic. The clinic may then reissue EBT benefits to allow WIC participants to purchase a similar product to the recalled product.

Visit LouisianaWIC.org/about/benefits for the latest information about the recall and WIC benefits.