

HEALTH NEWS

Hopkins, Carlisle Drug do not carry brand Medicine recall does not effect local stores

WASHINGTON (AP) - Bottles of a prescription allergy and cold medicine syrup called Promethazine VC Plain that contain a thick, white lotion instead of the normal clear, orange-yellow syrup should not be ingested, the Food and Drug Administration warned. David Zachary, Hopkins Drug in Carlisle, said the store does not carry the brand. The store does offer a similar product, however it is from a different company. Rasty Lawrence, Carlisle Drug, said the same as Zachary. His store does carry an alternative product, but from a different distributor. The local stores have carry a brand from Harve International. The company is not involved in the recall. The agency said Friday that the white lotion may be lindane, a medicine for parasitic

Lack of physical therapists in Kentucky makes vocation a very safe profession

By Mike Bashley, Associated Press Writer. LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) - Diane Slaughter doesn't worry about making career moves. A physical therapist at the University of Kentucky's Sports Medicine Center, she can go virtually anywhere in the United States and still work in her profession. "Because of the availability of jobs, I have the flexibility to move," said Mrs. Slaughter, whose husband, Phil, is also a physical therapist. "That's a real big advantage." It also points to a growing shortage of physical therapists. While there were an estimated 61,000 physical therapists in 1987, the Bureau of Labor Statistics projects an 87 percent increase in jobs, or another 53,000, will be available by the year 2000, ranking behind paralegal personnel and medical assistants as the fastest growing occupation. There are about 3,800 new physical therapists each year, but figured with an annual loss of 1,451 through attrition, the annual net gain will be just 2,349, according to the American Physical Therapy Association in Alexandria, Va. And the organization calculates that there will be an annual deficit of 1,351 physical therapists each year. But there is no shortage on the number of applicants for the state's physical therapy programs. "We get 200 applications each year," said Mrs. Urbsch, director of the Division of Physical Therapy at the University of Louisville's physical therapy program. "That's all of them, and that number is reduced to 90 with the interview process." She said some of the qualities looked for in applicants are compassion, intelligence, problem-solving ability and maturity.

Staff vacancies cited Battle against AIDS is slowed

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) - The battle against AIDS in Kentucky has been slowed this year by staff vacancies at a time when the number of AIDS cases has increased from 121 to 166, state and local health officials say. "Right now, I think we are doing the best we can, but I think we could do more," said Dr. Michael Moser, who as state epidemiologist oversees the state's attempts to control communicable diseases, including AIDS. The state has not filled seven of eight jobs for AIDS educators and counselors even though \$47,415 from the U.S. Centers for Disease Control was made available May 1 to pay their salaries, officials say. In addition, the state has not recruited the coordinator of the state's AIDS program, a state-funded position that has been vacant since May. Two federally funded clerical jobs also remain open. And the staff of the state's AIDS program in Frankfort has been shrunk from three at the start of the year to one. With more employees, Moser said, state and local health departments would be able to lead more people for the virus, counsel more Kentuckians about how to protect themselves from contracting the fatal disease, and staff the AIDS hotline instead of using an answering machine. Training local health workers to counsel and speak about AIDS also has lagged, he said. State officials said hiring for federally funded jobs throughout state government has been slowed for more than a year by a dispute over state personnel rules concerning the hiring of workers paid with federal money. But the

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