

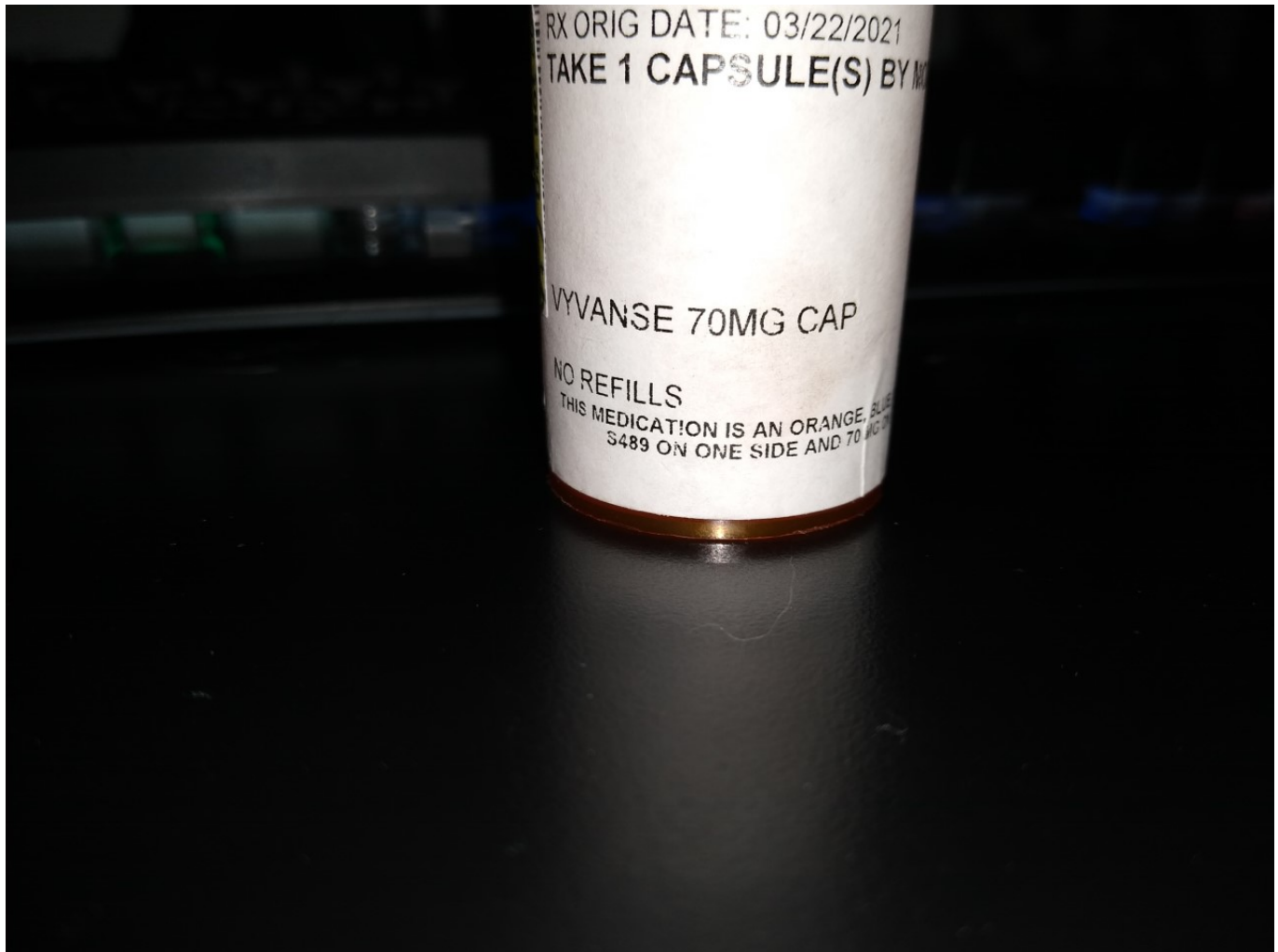
Fwd: Concerns about this month's Vyvanse prescriptions**Schmidt, Maxie D <mschmidt34@gatech.edu>**

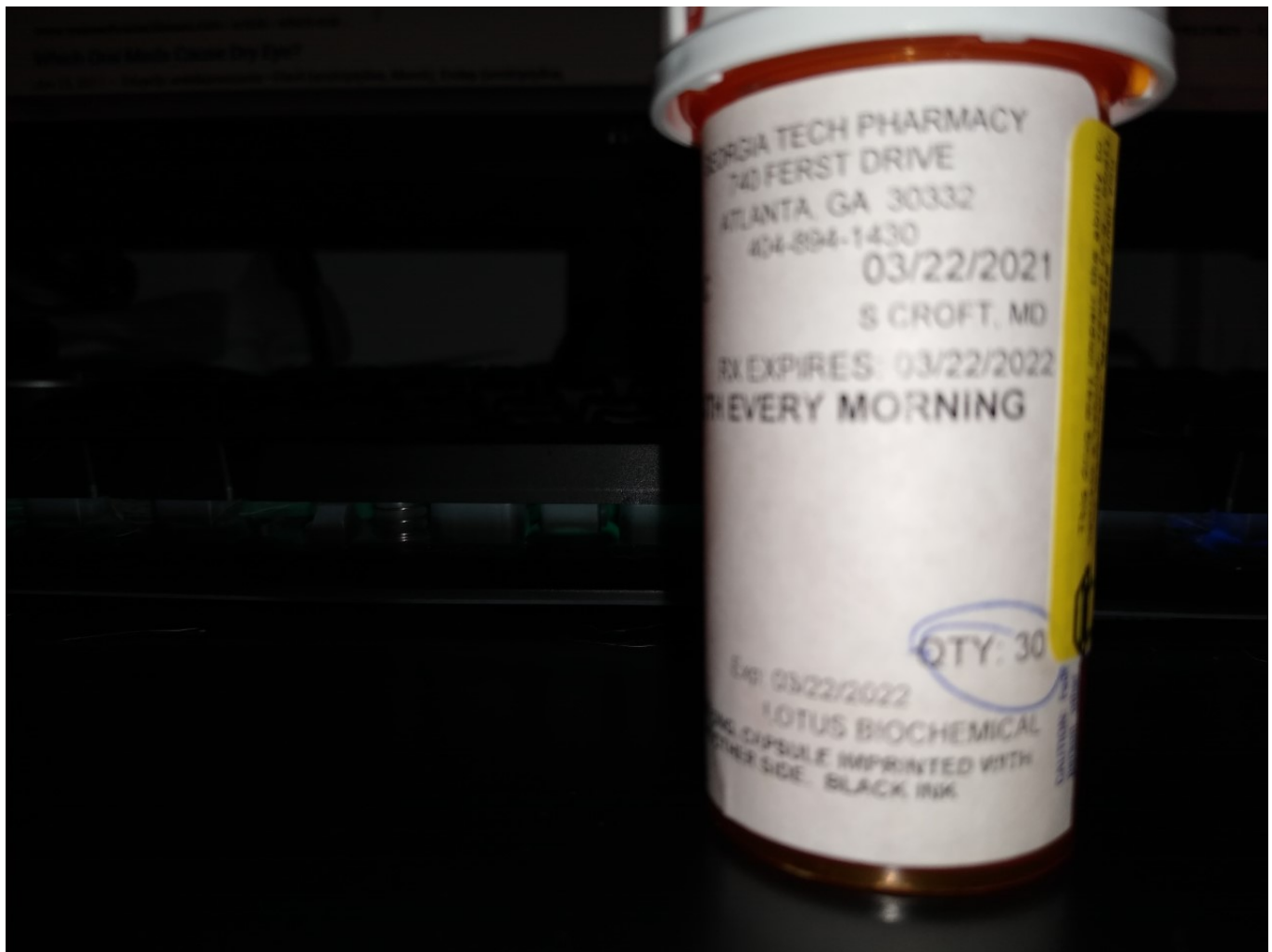
Mon 3/29/2021 4:15 PM

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Maxie





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From: Schmidt, Maxie D <mschmidt34@gatech.edu>
Sent: Sunday, March 28, 2021 4:40:46 PM
To: Mellor, Alyssa J <alyssa.mellor@health.gatech.edu>
Subject: Re: Concerns about this month's Vyvanse prescription

Alyssa,

I am actually very concerned about the off-shore branded meds that I have discovered in my locked box this weekend. The Vyvanse this month (and for a while) has caused me very severe and abnormal side-effects that are interfering with my life and ability to function as a grad student at GA Tech. Therefore, I am requesting that all of my meds so far filled at the Stamps pharmacy on campus be re-written and approved for an early refill so I can fill them at a more reliable Walgreens source (except for the Abilify, which is \$2000 a month for generic, and I cannot afford there).

If Dr. Croft ends up being an asshole to me about this request getting approved on Monday so I can get reliable meds in my system over an absurd and overbearing university policy on the controlled substances, then I will need to have another MD write and approve these prescriptions for me. My off-campus GP physician has for a long time offered to write these prescriptions for me in the event of another bad experience with a psychiatrist.

Please convey my sentiment to Dr. Croft ASAP in the morning tomorrow. It is an urgent situation! You do not have to use my precise verbal gesturing at him unless you feel it is appropriate too.

Thank you. Sincerely,

Maxie

From: Schmidt, Maxie D <mschmidt34@gatech.edu>
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Subject: Re: Concerns about this month's Vyvanse prescription

Sorry. One more time.

My suggestion is that minimally you all have a skilled chemist at the FDA run an analysis on these capsule samples to figure out what is actually contained in them! I am, however, not a MD nor a chemist, IMHO.

In the meantime, I do not think it is safe for me to take these until a good cause can be found for the side effects, and an appropriate replacement is issued. This is going to interfere with my assignment due Monday afternoon. Please get back to me ASAP about this. My ADD is intense for school work this month.

Maxie

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Also, I have termed the phenomenon to which my mind is currently attuned on this daily substance a "Vyvansula", as in, a "Vyvansula" bit me again. This happens roughly every other month for the last 4-6 months. This month's batch is particularly disorienting.

I have asked Nina before at the pharmacy what it means when a Vyvanse makes me dizzy, and in particular, what could have actually gotten slipped into it. She responded dehydration and to eat more regularly after examining the pills by visual inspection.

I am really convinced and concerned about the veracity of the labelled capsules. It is definitely NOT Vyvanse. WTF!?!

Maxie

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P.S., the reason I took two was to see if perhaps the wrong dosage had been assigned and test to see if conditions improve. They did not (as confirmed).

Maxie

From: Schmidt, Maxie D
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Subject: Concerns about this month's Vyvanse prescription

Alyssa,

I have some concerns about "mind fuck" type symptoms that arise when I take this month's batch of 70mg Vyvanse filled at the Stamps Pharmacy this last Monday (images below). This drug is non-generic (still) and only manufactured by Shire Phramecuticals in the US. The manufacturer listed on my pill bottle is LOTUS BIOCHEMICAL. I am concerned that the pharmacy stocked a non-US manufactured capsule. Can we please make sure this doesn't happen again!?! The quantity was also not initialed by the pharmacist (as usual), but instead circled.

Every day I take this, I get very mentally clouded and unable to function. I can barely work on my assignments and research under these conditions. I am actually going to go so far as to admit that I have taken two in ~1.5 days and only had worse mental clouding (e.g., mind fuck) symptoms. I would like to ask you to have Dr. Croft give me approval to exchange those that remain on the prescription for a new round that have been manufactured by the legitimate US-based pharmaceutical company. Can we arrange to have that happen this week, please?

Maxie