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#### **Heading**

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Food Safety and Inspection service (FSIS)— Recall of certain products containing sunflower seeds/kernels in US due to possible contamination with *Listeria monocytogenes*.

### The incident

The FDA and FSIS issued notices regarding recalls of certain products containing sunflower seeds/ kernels by different companies because the products may be contaminated with *Listeria monocytogenes*. These included

- (1) Oriental Salad with Sesame Ginger Dressing and ready-to-eat Salad with Chicken Products by Papa John's Salad and Produce, Inc.
- (2) Six trail Mix Products by Hy-Vee, Inc.

Details of products being recalled are listed in the FDA and FSIS websites.

#### Source

#### FDA website

- (1) http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ ucm502537.htm
- (2) http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ ucm502543.htm

#### FSIS website

(3) <a href="http://www.fsis.usda.gov/wps/portal/fsis/topics/recalls-and-publi-c-health-alerts/recall-case-archive/">http://www.fsis.usda.gov/wps/portal/fsis/topics/recalls-and-publi-c-health-alerts/recall-case-archive/</a>
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## Position of CFS

- Information on product distribution outside the US is not available from the FDA or FSIS websites. CFS is investigating whether the affected batches have been imported to Hong Kong and is contacting the U.S. authority for further information.
- Acquisition of the products through online purchase or international travel cannot be excluded.
- Consumers should discard the products and not consume them.
- CFS will remain vigilant and monitor for any new development and take appropriate actions when necessary.
- Investigation by CFS is ongoing.
- Listeriosis is usually caused by eating food contaminated with Listeria which can be easily destroyed by cooking but can survive and multiply at refrigerator temperatures. Severe complications may occur, such as septicaemia, meningitis or even death in newborns, elderly and those with weaker immune systems; and miscarriages during pregnancy.

## Additional information

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