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Heading	The U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)—Recall of certain products containing frozen vegetables in U.S. due to possible contamination with <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> .
The incident	The FDA issued notices regarding recalls of certain products containing frozen vegetables by different companies because the products may be contaminated with <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> . These included
	 (1) C&W Early Harvest Petite Peas and C&W Petite Peas by Pinnacle Foods Inc. (2) Sweet Pea Pasta Salad by Dutch Treat Foods, Inc. (3) Frozen Green Peas and Frozen Mixed Vegetables by National Frozen Foods Corporation
Source	Details of products being recalled are listed in the FDA website. FDA website
Source	(1) http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls
	/ucm508001.htm
	(2) http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls
	/ucm507885.htm
	(3) http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls /ucm507535.htm
Position of CFS	 Information on product distribution outside the U.S. is not available from the FDA website. 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.

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- 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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