## **Centre for Food Safety**

### Consumer Liaison Group Newsletter

#### Food Safety Day 2021

The Food Safety Day is an annual signature event organised by the Centre for Food Safety (CFS). The theme for 2021 is "Read and check, be like Inspector CFS!". Susceptible populations, including infants, young children, pregnant women, the elderly and people with weakened immunity, should be particularly cautious about high-risk foods due to changes in their immune systems. High-risk foods generally refer to raw or undercooked foods. There are various kinds of high-risk foods, such as sashimi, salad vegetables. containing raw or undercooked ingredients, such as sunny-side-up eggs and congees served with undercooked minced beef, also pose food safety risks.

In this event, the CFS will share with susceptible populations, their family members and caregivers how to be vigilant about and avoid high-risk foods in their daily diet through social media, videos and games, etc. Please keep an eye on our social media for more updates on the event.



# The Launch of the CFS Foodsafe Movie Channel

To raise the public's awareness of food safety, the CFS launched a new online video campaign called the "Foodsafe Movie Channel" on 7 January 2021. The CFS' mascots, On and Mui, will go through important food safety messages with the public in this series through the remaking of classic scenes in popular Hong Kong movies. Through a few well-known favourites, you can gain practical food safety knowledge in a fun and enjoyable way, and practise safer food handling and well-informed food choices as a result.

The "Foodsafe Movie Channel" is now available on the CFS' <u>YouTube</u> channel and co-streamed on the CFS' <u>Facebook</u> and <u>Instagram</u> pages. New movies will be uploaded from time to time. Please follow us and enjoy the movie series.







#### Recruitment of the 7thterm Consumer Liaison Group Members

Thank you for your participation in the Consumer Liaison Group (CLG). The 6th-term CLG will soon complete its term of service. You are cordially invited to be a member of the 7th-term CLG. Please complete and return the attached membership form. It is also available for download from our website:

We would also like to have your views on the CLG by filling out the attached questionnaire so that we can do a better job.

http://www.cfs.gov.hk/clg

Once again, we are grateful for your continued support and contribution to the safety of food in Hong Kong. For enquiries, please contact Mr AU YEUNG at 2381 6275. Please return the completed membership form to us on or before 30 June 2021 (Wed) by fax (2893 3547), email (clg@fehd.gov.hk) or post (4/F, Food and Environmental Hygiene Department Nam Cheong Offices and Vehicle Depot, 87 Yen Chow Street West, Kowloon (Consumer Liaison Group)). Thank you!





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