

Latest issue of E-News (3/4/2024):

## (1) Careful Planning for Food Delivery Services

At festive seasons, many people would order food delivery services for parties at offices and homes for the sake of flexibility and convenience. However, to safeguard our health, we must be careful and pay special attention to food safety measures when arranging these services.

Please click into the webpage for related food safety advice: <a href="https://www.cfs.gov.hk/english/whatsnew/whatsnew/sfst/wha

## (2) Beware of the Inherent Risks of Raw Oysters

Oysters for raw consumption are a high-risk food as there is no heat treatment to kill pathogens before eating. Besides those sold alive, raw oysters available in the local market are often pre-shucked in either frozen or chilled forms. If not handled properly, it can lead to bacterial contamination and deterioration of the shellfish.

Pregnant women, infants and young children, the elderly and people with weakened immunity should avoid consuming raw or undercooked oysters.

Please click into the webpage for details:

https://www.cfs.gov.hk/english/multimedia/multimedia pub/files/Understanding the Food Safety Risks of Oyster e.pdf

## (3) Food Safety Bullentin (96th Issue)/ Food Safety Express (96th Issue)

The Food Safety Bulletin (for Consumers) and Food Safety Express (for Food Trade) had been published. You are most welcome to read the publication at: <a href="https://www.cfs.gov.hk/english/multimedia/multime

## (4) Roving Exhibitions on Food Safety

The roving exhibitions will be held in April 2024 at Causeway Bay Market, Smithfield

Market, Smithfield Market, Tsuen Wan Government Offices, Sai Wan Ho Market. Panels cover topics on Prevention of Cross-contamination, Take Notice of Eating Scallops, Trans Fats, Food Safety Advice for Pregnant Women; Enhance Food Traceability, Strengthen Food Safety, Control of Food Temperature; Genetically Modified Food

Please click into the webpage for details:

https://www.cfs.gov.hk/english/whatsnew/whatsnew act/whatsnew act roving exhibition 2024.html

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