

Dear E-news recipients,

News on the Centre for Food Safety (CFS) online:

## (1) Roving Exhibitions on Food Safety in 2025

The CFS holds a series of exhibitions across the territory every year. Panels covering different topics such as food safety and nutrition are shown to enhance public knowledge on how to make safe and suitable food choices.

Five roving exhibitions will be held in Kowloon City Market, Sha Tin Market, Po On Street Market, Cheung Sha Wan Government Offices and Ap Lei Chau Market in October 2025.

Please click into the webpage for details:

https://www.cfs.gov.hk/english/whatsnew/whatsnew\_act/whatsnew\_act\_roving\_exhibition 2025.html

## (2) Food Safety Focus (230th Issue, Sep 2025)

The latest issue of Food Safety Focus is now available. The topics include:

- Prepackaged Cold Cuts to be Eaten Cold or Cooked?
- Making Street Food Safer: Survey Insights and Practical Tips
- Simple Steps to Avoid Tampered Prepackaged Food
- Enhancement in the Control of Prepackaged Jelly Confectionery Containing Konjac

Please click into the webpage for details:

https://www.cfs.gov.hk/english/multimedia/multimedia pub/multimedia pub fsf.html

## (3) Monthly Report on Results of Compliance Test (Aug 2025)

The Food and Drugs (Composition and Labelling) Regulations (the Regulations) require all applicable prepackaged foods to list out the ingredients, the content of energy plus seven core nutrients, namely, carbohydrates, protein, total fat, saturated fat, trans fat, sodium and sugars (commonly known as "1 + 7"), and regulate any associated nutrition claims. The ingredients to be listed include, among others, any of the substances specified in section 2(4E) of Schedule 3 to the Regulations which are known to cause allergy in some individuals, if present.

Please click into the webpage for details:

https://www.cfs.gov.hk/english/whatsnew/whatsnew\_act/NL\_Compliance\_Test\_Results\_A UG\_2025.html

## (4) FEHD strives to ensure food safety of school lunch boxes

To ensure food safety and hygiene awareness among schools and licensed food factories supplying school lunch boxes, and to cater for the new school year, the Centre for Food Safety and the Environmental Hygiene Branch of the Food and Environmental Hygiene Department stepped up inspections of licensed food factories supplying school lunch boxes in various districts of Hong Kong and collected food samples for testing. Since July, the CFS has collected 84 lunch box samples from those licensed food factories for microbiological examinations. Test results of all samples were satisfactory.

You are most welcome to read the information at: <a href="https://www.cfs.gov.hk/english/press/20250919">https://www.cfs.gov.hk/english/press/20250919</a> 11844.html

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