

食物事故報表 Food Incident Post



Heading	<p>The US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) - A notice regarding a recall of Organic Light Halves and Pieces California Shelled Walnuts in the US by Gibson Farms Inc. due to potential <i>Escherichia coli</i> O157:H7 contamination and linking to a multistate outbreak.</p>
The incident	<p>The US FDA issued a notice regarding a recall of Organic Light Halves and Pieces California Shelled Walnuts in the US by Gibson Farms Inc. due to potential <i>Escherichia coli</i> O157:H7 contamination and linking to a multistate outbreak.</p> <p>Recalled product:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Gibson Farms recalled Organic Light Halves and Pieces shelled walnuts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sold in bulk boxes in Net Wt. 25 lbs quantities and can be identified by lot 3325-043 & 3341-501 with expiration dates 5/21/25 & 6/7/25. <p>Details of product being recalled are listed in the website of the FDA.</p>
Source	<p>Website of the FDA https://www.fda.gov/safety/recalls-market-withdrawals-safety-alerts/gibson-farms-voluntarily-recalls-organic-light-halves-and-pieces-shelled-walnuts-because-possible</p> <p>https://www.fda.gov/food/outbreaks-foodborne-illness/outbreak-investigation-e-coli-o157h7-bulk-organic-walnuts-april-2024</p>
Position of CFS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information on product distribution outside the US is not available from the website of the FDA. The Centre for Food Safety (CFS) is investigating whether the affected product has been imported to Hong Kong and is contacting the relevant authority for further information. Preliminary investigation did not identify local sale or import of the affected product.

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- Acquisition of the product through online purchase or international travel cannot be excluded.
- Consumers should discard the product and not consume it.
- CFS will remain vigilant and monitor for any new development and take appropriate actions when necessary.
- Investigation by CFS is ongoing.
- People contract *E. coli*, which is a gastro-intestinal infection, through consumption of contaminated water or undercooked and contaminated foods. Intestinal bleeding and serious complications such as haemolytic uraemic syndrome (HUS) may also develop in some people. Moreover, due to poor personal hygiene, person-to-person transmission of this pathogen is possible through oral-faecal route. *E. coli* cannot survive under high temperature and can be killed by thorough cooking.

Additional information

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