



Dutchess County Government

Recall Alert

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RECALL ALERT: FDA UPDATES LIST OF PEANUT BUTTER PRODUCT RECALLS

Dutchess County Department of Health has been advised of the following recall. Please provide broad distribute of this information to your viewers/readers/listeners. Thank you.

Who: Peanut Corporation of America

What: A listing of food items that use peanut butter and peanut paste products that have been recalled by Peanut Corporation of America. Products were recalled due to possible contamination of *Salmonella*.

Where: Salmonella cases have been reported in 43 states and Canada from September 8, 2008 to today. The cases are believed to have been connected with peanut butter and peanut paste distributed by the Peanut Corporation of America (PCA). PCA does not distribute directly to the consumer. However, PCA does distribute to corporations that use their peanut butter and peanut spread in the manufacturing of their products.

What to do:

- Do not eat products that have been recalled and throw them away in a manner that prevents others from eating them
- Postpone eating other peanut butter containing products (such as cookies, crackers, cereal, candy and ice cream) until more information becomes available about which brands may be affected
- Persons who think they may have become ill from eating peanut butter are advised to consult their health care providers.

Additional Links: <http://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/peanutbutterrecall/index.cfm>

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