

# Tesco recalls Tesco 16 Spicy Chorizo Slices because of contamination with *Listeria monocytogenes*

Tesco has recalled its 16 Spicy Chorizo Slices 80g because the product contains *Listeria monocytogenes*.

## Product details

### Tesco 16 Spicy Chorizo Slices

Pack size 80g

Use by 19 December 2020

## Risk statement

The product listed is contaminated with *Listeria monocytogenes*.

Symptoms caused by this organism can be similar to flu and include high temperature, muscle ache or pain, chills, feeling or being sick and diarrhoea.

Some people are more vulnerable to listeria infections, including those over 65 years of age, pregnant women and their unborn babies, babies less than one month old and people with weakened immune systems.

## Action taken by the company

Tesco is recalling the above product. Product recall notices will be issued to explain to customers why the product is being recalled and tell them what to do if they have bought the product.

Please see attached notice.

[Customer notice: Tesco 16 Spicy Chorizo Slices 80g](#)

## Our advice to consumers

If you have bought the above product do not eat it. Instead, return it to the store from where it was bought for a full refund.

## About product recalls and withdrawals

If there is a problem with a food product that means it should not be sold, then it might be 'withdrawn' (taken off the shelves) or 'recalled' (when customers are asked to return the product). The FSA issues Product Withdrawal Information Notices and Product Recall Information Notices

to let consumers and local authorities know about problems associated with food. In some cases, a 'Food Alert for Action' is issued. This provides local authorities with details of specific action to be taken on behalf of consumers.

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