

Advisory

From: Johnny Diloné, 602-506-6611
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Re: Salmonella outbreak linked to raw tomatoes

Tomatoes: Caution Urged

Arizona is part of a multi-state outbreak of Salmonella that may be linked to eating uncooked tomatoes.

Federal, state and local authorities are currently investigating the outbreak. So far, three individuals in Maricopa County have been sick with a strain of Salmonella St. Paul. One person in Arizona has been hospitalized; no deaths have been reported.

Please see Links below for updates on this investigation, information on Salmonella, as well as for ADHS and CDC recommendations until the source of this outbreak is determined:

<http://www.azdhs.gov/news/2008-all/Tomatoes060308.htm>

<http://www.cdc.gov/salmonella/saintpaul/>