



DATE: April 10, 2014
TO: All Local Health Departments
Attn: Chief Food Inspection Officer
FROM: Laurie Kidwell, RRT Supervisor
Food Protection Program
SUBJECT: *Laurie Kidwell*
Swanson Health Products – RECALL [Drug]

**AFFECTED
PRODUCT:** Swanson Premium Brand Full Spectrum Cilantro (Coriander)

SUMMARY: Unclassified Recall; This recall is being initiated because it has the potential to be contaminated with Salmonella.

The lot numbers of Swanson Premium Brand Full Spectrum Cilantro (Coriander) included in this recall are 203921 and 204888, with a manufacturing date of 11/2013. The lot number and manufacturing date can be found on the label near the UPC code. The product was sold between November 21, 2013, and January 31, 2014.

The product was shipped directly to online or mail-order consumers nationwide.

**SUGGESTED
ACTION:** For consumer inquiry only. Consumers or media with questions should contact Swanson Health Products Customer Care at (800) 451-9304 (Monday–Friday, 8:00 am–5:00 pm CDT).

Recall -- Firm Press Release

FDA posts press releases and other notices of recalls and market withdrawals from the firms involved as a service to consumers, the media, and other interested parties. FDA does not endorse either the product or the company.

Swanson Health Products Recalls Full Spectrum Cilantro

Contact:
Consumer:
(800) 451-9304

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE - April 4, 2014 - Swanson Health Products is voluntarily recalling Swanson Premium Brand Full Spectrum Cilantro (Coriander), item number SW1112, because it has the potential to be contaminated with *Salmonella*.

Salmonella is an organism that can cause serious and sometimes fatal infections in young children, frail or elderly people, and others with weakened immune systems. Healthy persons infected with *salmonella* often experience fever, diarrhea (which may be bloody), nausea, vomiting and abdominal pain. In rare circumstances, infection with *salmonella* can result in the organism entering the bloodstream and producing more severe illnesses such as arterial infections (i.e., infected aneurysms), endocarditis and arthritis.


The product was sold by several different methods. It was either sold at the Swanson Health Products retail store, 109 Broadway N., Fargo, North Dakota, shipped directly to online or mail-order consumers, or held for pick up by the consumer at Swanson Health Products headquarters. The product was sold between November 21, 2013, and January 31, 2014.

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Swanson Health Products became aware of the potential contamination after being notified by its supplier, UST Corporation, Layton, Utah. UST Corp. had earlier learned of the potential contamination from its supplier. No illnesses have been reported to date in connection with this voluntary recall. The raw material, as well as the finished products capsules, have been tested and found to contain no trace of *Salmonella*.

Consumers in possession of this voluntarily recalled product may return it to Swanson Health Products headquarters in Fargo, North Dakota. Consumers or media with questions should contact Swanson Health Products Customer Care at (800) 451-9304 (Monday–Friday, 8:00 am–5:00 pm CDT).

About Swanson Health Products

Headquartered in Fargo, ND, Swanson Health Products is a leading natural health retailer, offering high quality vitamins, supplements and natural health products to consumers online and via direct mail. The company operates out of a modern, Good Manufacturing Practices certified facility, where orders are fulfilled and shipped out to customers around the world. All products sold are backed by a 100% satisfaction money-back guarantee with free return shipping, delivering an unmatched customer service experience. For more information, please visit swansonvitamins.com .

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• DO NOT USE IF SEAL IS BROKEN • STORE IN A COOL, DRY PLACE
 • KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

SUGGESTED USE:

As a dietary supplement, take one capsule two times per day with water.

Supplement Facts

Serving Size 1 Capsule

	Amount Per Serving	% Daily Value
Cilantro (Coriandrum sativum) (aerial part)	425 mg	*

*Daily Value not established.

Other ingredients: Gelatin, microcrystalline cellulose (plant fiber), may contain one or both of the following: magnesium stearate, silica.

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