

14<sup>th</sup> December 2011

**URGENT FIELD SAFETY NOTICE**

**Oxoid Diagnostic Discs FOX10 Cefoxitin DD0026B**

**Lot: 1072465**

Customers are advised of the following:

A technical investigation has confirmed that Oxoid Diagnostic Discs FOX10 Cefoxitin code DD0026B lot 1072465 displays unacceptable variability within the batch that could affect the accuracy of the test.

Continued use of this lot could result in false indications of resistance to cefoxitin.

Customers who have used this lot should consider retesting and/or seek appropriate expert advice.

Accordingly, in keeping with our Quality Policy, we request that you destroy any remaining inventory of the lot listed above and contact Customer Services of your local Oxoid supplier who will issue a replacement.

This notice needs to be passed on to all who need to be aware within your organisation.

The Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency (MHRA) have been informed of this Field Safety Corrective Action.

If you experience any problems complying with this notice or you require any further information, please contact our Technical Support Department via our main switchboard on +44 (0)1256 841144.

Yours Sincerely,



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