

20th February 2013

FIELD SAFETY NOTICE

Oxoid Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing Disc NOR10 (Norfloxacin), CT0434B, Lot 1192177

Customers are to be advised of the following:

A technical investigation has indicated that cartridges of this lot of Oxoid Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing Disc NOR10 (Norfloxacin), may contain individual discs that are not impregnated with antibiotic.

Continued use of this lot could result in false indication of resistance to Norfloxacin.

Customers should review results reported using this lot and 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 or 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 faithfully,

loh Booth

Colin Booth Global Director, Quality Assurance and Regulatory Affairs, Microbiology Products

Microbiology

Oxoid Ltd. Wade Road Basingstoke Hants RG24 8PW UK +44 (0) 1256 841144 tel +44 (0) 1256 814626 fax www.thermofisher.com www.oxoid.com

Registered office: Solaar House, 19 Mercers Row, Cambridge, CB5 8BZ, UK. Registered in England No. 3291857