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FIELD SAFETY NOTICE

Oxoid Yersinia Selective Supplement, SR0109E

Lots 1074714 and 1094775

Customers are to be advised of the following:

A technical investigation has confirmed that Oxoid Yersinia Selective Supplement, SR0109E, Lot 1074714 and 1094775, when used in conjunction with CM0653 (Yersinia selective agar base), may not support the growth of *Yersinia pseudotuberculosis*.

Continued use of this lot could result in a failure to identify and report the presence of *Yersinia pseudotuberculosis*.

The growth of *Yersinia enterocolitica* is not affected by this issue and should be recovered and identified using these lots.

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 694238.

Yours faithfully,

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