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**DATE:** February 12, 2015  
**TO:** All Local Health Departments  
Attr: Chief Food Inspection Officer  
**FROM:**   
Laurie Kidwell, RRT Supervisor  
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**SUBJECT:** Sunfood - RECALL [Food]

**AFFECTED PRODUCT:** Organic Sacha Inchi Powder

**SUMMARY:** Unclassified Recall; This product is being recalled because it has the potential to be contaminated with Staphylococcus enterotoxin.

This product is packaged in 8oz white poly bags with lot number 141027 Expiration date 9/30/2016 and UPC Code 803813-28444 1.

Organic Sacha Inchi Powder was distributed nationwide in retail stores and through mail orders.

**SUGGESTED ACTION:** Recommend notification of affected parties via phone, fax, or e-mail. Consumers who have purchased the affected lot of Organic Sacha Inchi Powder are urged to return it to the place of purchase for a refund. Consumers with questions may contact Sunfood at 1-800-RAWFOOD 8am - 5pm PDT. Furthermore, if any recalled products are found, notify this office at 317-233-8475.

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### 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.

*Sunfood Voluntarily Recalls Organic Sacha Inchi Powder Because of Possible Health Risk*

**Contact:**  
Consumer:  
800-RAWFOOD

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** — February 11, 2015 — El Cajon, CA — **Sunfood of El Cajon, CA** is recalling **Organic Sacha Inchi Powder**, because it has the potential to be contaminated with *Staphylococcus enterotoxin*. The presence of *Staphylococcus enterotoxins* may be injurious to health and may result in staphylococcal food poisoning. Nausea, vomiting, retching, abdominal cramping, and prostration may occur. In more severe cases there may be headache, muscle cramping, and transient changes in blood pressure and pulse.



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No illnesses have been reported to date in connection with this problem.

The potential for contamination was noted after routine testing was done and revealed the possibility of Staphylococcus enterotoxin in the above noted lot number.

Sunfood has ceased the production and distribution of the product as FDA and Sunfood continue their investigation as to what caused the problem.

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