Notice of Recall – Washington State

Washington State is conducting a recall due to reports of oyster-associated illnesses. A causative agent has not be identified at this time.

An initial recall to include oysters harvested from Port Orchard Passage from 12/23/2019 through 12/27/2019 was initiated yesterday. This recall was expanded this morning to include all shellfish harvested from 12/19/2019 to 1/8/2020 from the implicated portion of the Port Orchard Passage growing area, from the Agate Pass Bridge south to a line from Point Bolin east to Bainbridge Island. Additionally, all shellfish harvested from any growing area and wet stored by Suquamish Seafood (WA-1221-SS) from 12/19/2019 through 1/9/2020 has been recalled.

At this time, only one company, Suquamish Seafood (WA-1221-SS) is identified in this recall. They are in the process of contacting their customers. We know that some product was shipped through the dealers below and to the following states/countries:

- Marinelli Shellfish (WA-1004-SS)
- Chelsea Farms (WA-0676-SS)
- Mikuni (WA-1702-SS)
- New York – direct to Grand Central Oyster Bar
- Taiwan/China – via Laser Thinking

You will be updated with additional information and details of distribution as that information becomes available. Receiving states will be notified separately.