DHEC Update (June 2, 2015): Greenwood County STEC Investigation

The S.C. Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC) was notified on May 29, 2015 of a possible case of Shiga toxin-producing E. coli (STEC) infection in Greenwood County and is currently investigating.

DHEC is working with health care and community-based partners to investigate possible STEC cases and their potential sources.

DHEC's investigation is focused on the close contacts of confirmed and suspect STEC cases. No information suggests a risk to the broader community at this time.

If you have additional questions or concerns about this investigation, please call 1-800-868-0404.