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Abstract: The present review documents the incidences and recovery of *Salmonella* spp. isolated, identified and characterized from carcass meat and egg wash of poultry. *Salmonella* spp. were identified as the predominant pathogens in the chicken samples in the various relevant and documented investigations carried out by various researchers from time to time in India and abroad. The virulent genes present in the pathogenic bacteria are the mainly responsible factors eliciting the enteric infections in hosts after consumption of the contaminated/infected meat.

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