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**DESCRIPTION**: GRANITE COUNTERTOPS **REPORTER**: M.CELESTE

In Health Today: A serious warning has come out reference granite countertops now popular in kitchens. The New York Times states that various exotic granites, especially those imported from Brasil and Namibia, emit dangerous levels of radon, a radioactive gas than can contribute to the development of lung cancer. Although authorities have assured consumers that the amount of radioactive substances in a countertop is minimal and not a health hazard, they do recommend a test to detect radon gas. For more information, visit our webpage at yahootelemundo.com and click on "Al Rojo Vivo."

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The annual report on water quality on America's beaches has just been released, and it is not reassuring. The report reveals that during 2007 there were a total of 20,000 closures and advisories on beaches, bays, and large lakes. For the fifth year in a row, California had the most contaminated beaches, with the highest levels of fecal material. Beach contamination is not only an ecological problem, but it could seriously impact your health.

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DESCRIPTION: CLIMATE CHANGE REPORT REPORTER: VANESSA HAUC

Today in Green Alert we have a new report prepared by 16 US intelligence agencies that declares that global warming is a threat to national security because it could destabilize entire nations and provoke humanitarian crisis.

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DESCRIPTION: DIABETES WARNING MOMS REPORTER :VANESSA HAUC

Diabetic women who plan on becoming pregnant need to pay attention to a new Center for Disease Control study. Women who are diagnosed with diabetes before becoming pregnant are 3 to 4 times more likely to have a baby with congenital defects, including heart, brain, and kidney malformations, cleft palates, and problem with their extremities.