

Welcome to the new AFD0 Cannabis Committee

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Cannabis Committee Agenda

- Overview of US/Canadian Cannabis Status
- Cannabis Products – Issues/Concerns
- Need for Model Guidelines/Best Practices
- Recruit Members for Cannabis Committee
- Promote Cannabis sessions at conference

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Traditional Food Safety Roles

- Food Processing
- Milk Production and Processing
- Cottage Food
- Custom Meat
- Animal Feed



Marijuana Roles

- Pesticides
 - Registration
 - Inspection
 - Lab Analysis
- Sanitary Processing of Edibles
- Other smaller functions



An Overview

EDIBLES PROCESSING



Grow Room



Extraction



Flowers or Buds



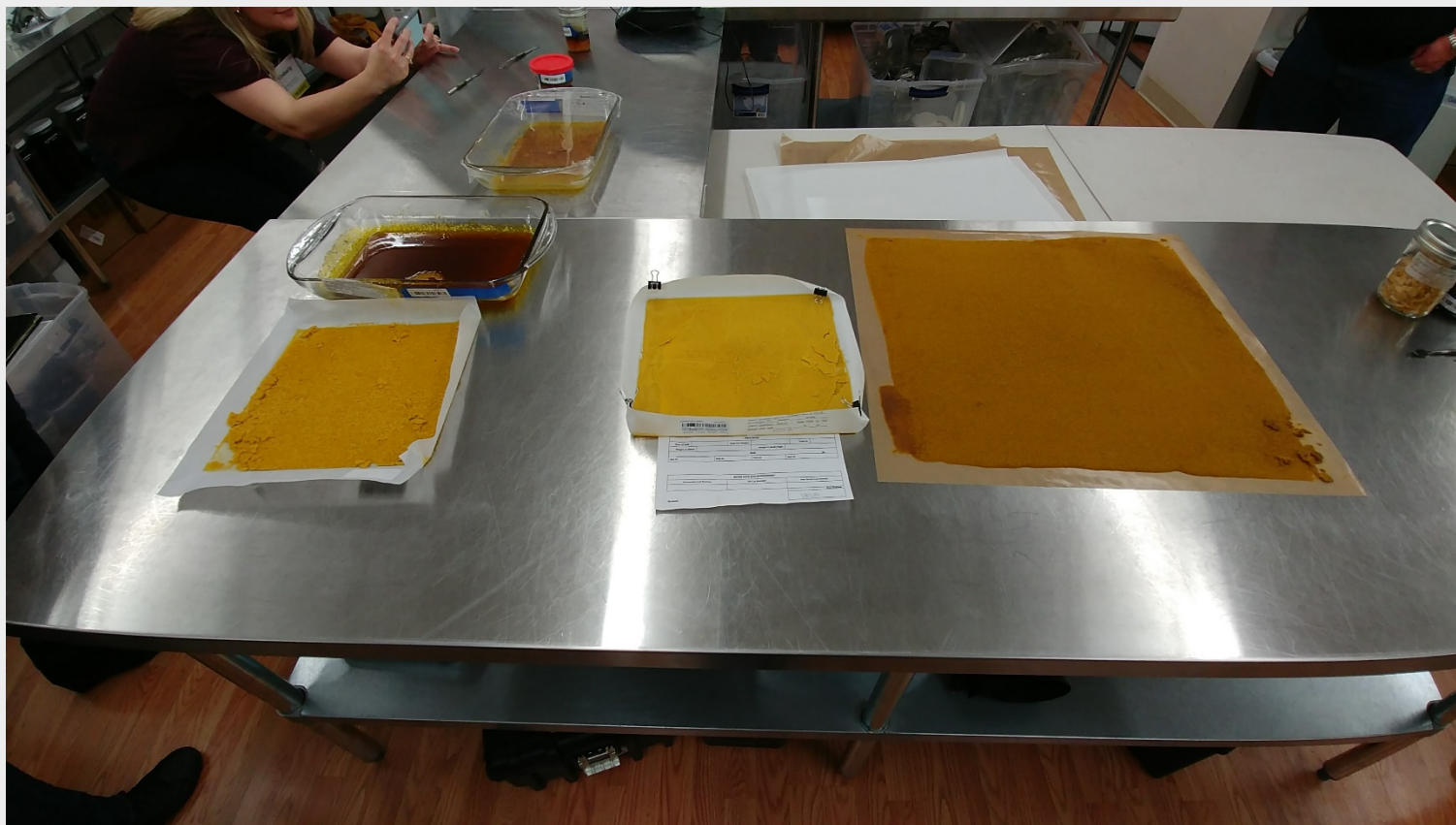
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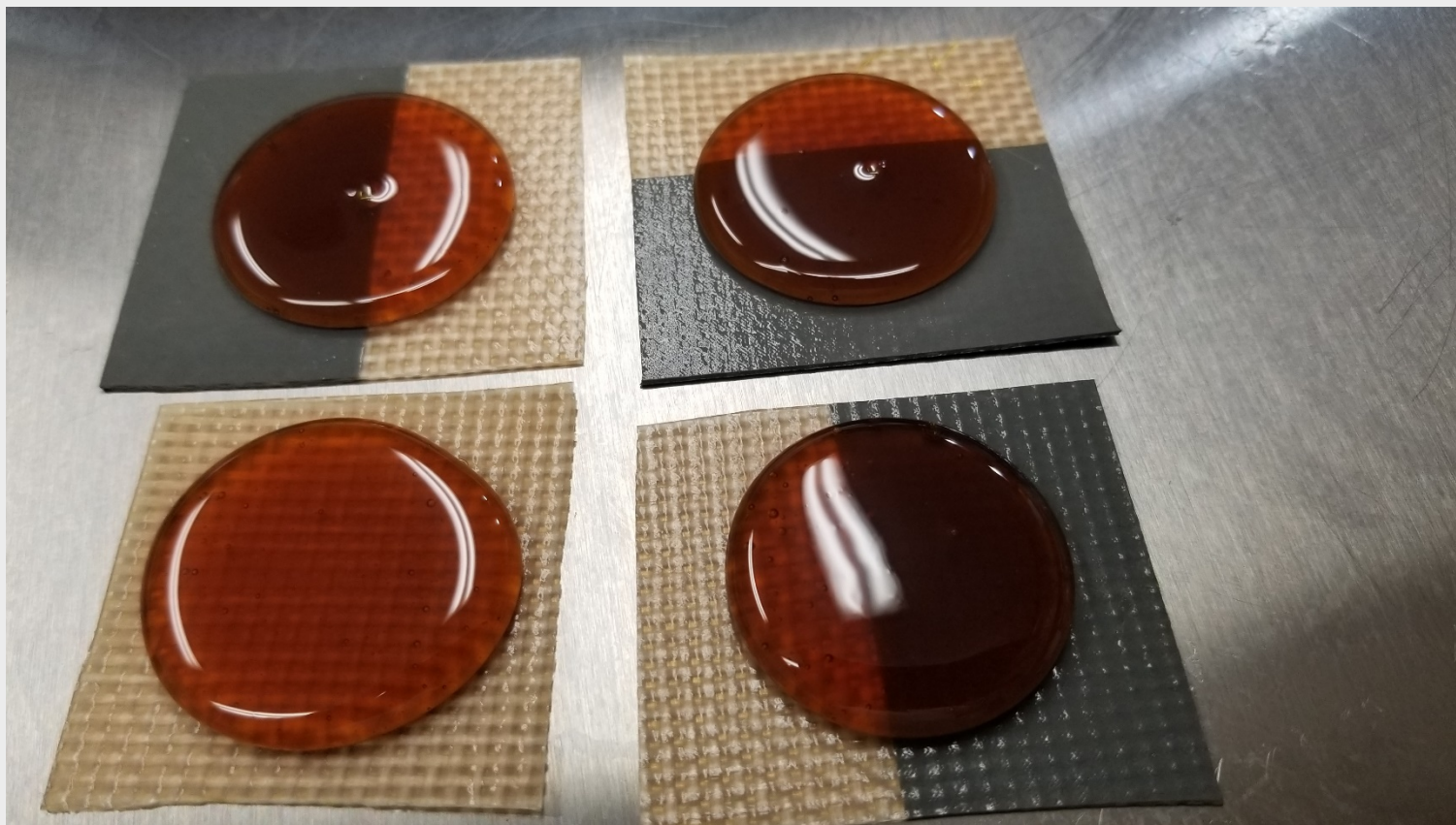
Trim



Distillation



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Pre-measured Cannabis Oil



Making Candy



Cherry Hard Candy



Blue Raspberry Jelly Candy



Packaging



Retail Display

Mr. Moxey's
THC: \$24
CBD: \$36



WSDA Experience

OPERATIONALIZING INSPECTIONS

History



Early

- Relationship
- Cooperation

Contract

- Cumbersome enforcement
- Limited outreach and education

Own

- Rules, licenses, fees
- Enforcement and outreach

Allowed Products



- Baked goods
- Candy
- Shelf-stable drinks (not acidified for safety)
- Vinegars and oils (no plant pieces)
- Dry mixes (tea)
- Honey and syrups



Products Not Allowed



- Temperature control for safety
- Acidified for safety
- Canning or pasteurizing
- Dairy products
- Traditional food products (not containing THC)



Scope of Inspections



- Traditional food safety inspections
- Not extraction, distillation, etc.
- Limited complexity because of low hazard products
- Basic Good Manufacturing Practices (GMP)
- Labeling review for ingredients only

Regulatory Challenges



- Negotiations with employee unions
- Addressing employee safety concerns
- Proper allergen disclosures
- Expecting industry input in expanding the scope of allowed products
- Let's look at our southern neighboring state's products.....






Lux Almond Butter
Small: \$24
Large: \$36





\$32

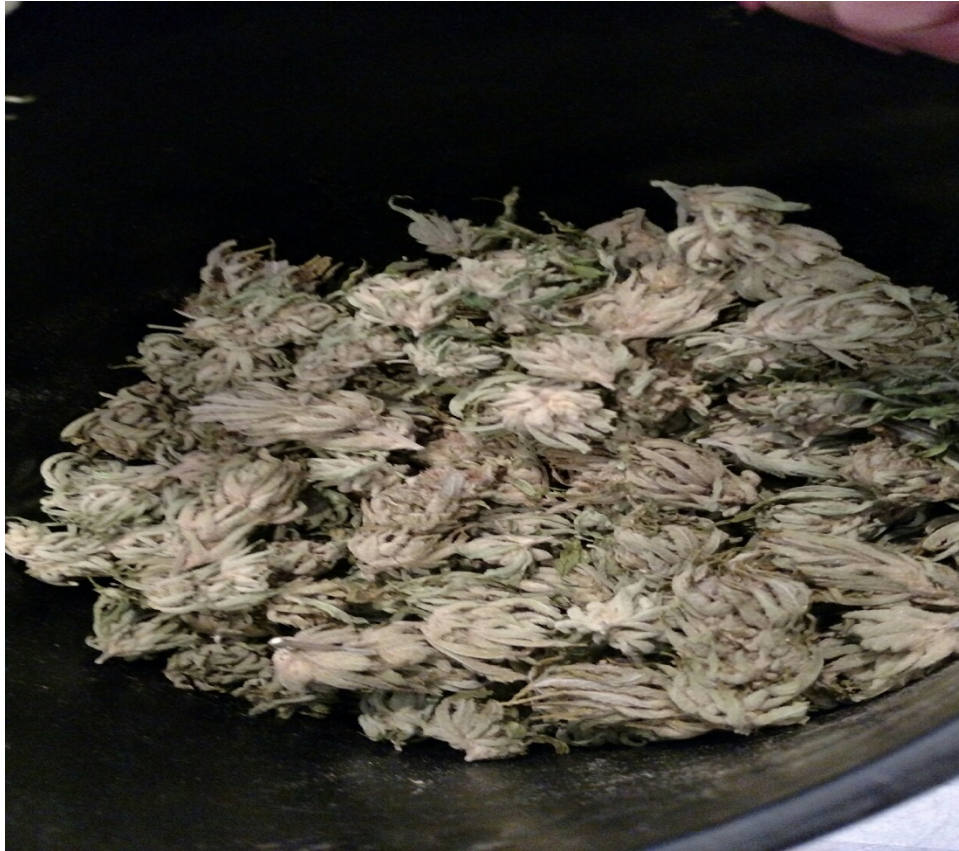
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Oregon allows bud sales from bulk displays



Washington State
requires all
products to be
tamper proof
packaged

Indoor vs outdoor – WSDA Organic- like program



AFDO Cannabis Committee

- AFDO Board Charge for 2018 -2019
 1. Develop a list of State Marijuana Regulatory Agencies

AFDO Cannabis Committee

- AFDO Board Charges for 2018 -2019
- Industry is looking for assistance with Best Practices, GMPS, Model Guidance on:
 - Cultivation
 - Manufacturing
 - Laboratory
 - retail

Discussion/Questions?

