

2021 Retail Food Protection Seminar September 13th-16th, 2021

Monday, September 13 th General Session		
	1:00pm - 5:00pm (EDT)	
1:00 - 1:15 PM	Greetings from FDA's Office of State Cooperative Programs	
1:15 - 1:25 PM	AFDO Opening Remarks	
1:25 - 1:55 PM	Bending the Curve on Foodborne Illness in FDA's New Era of Smarter Food Safety	
1:55 - 2:00 PM	BREAK	
2:00 - 2:45 PM	Working Together in the New Era -The Retail Food Safety Regulatory Association Collaborative	
2:45 - 2:50 PM	BREAK	
2:50 - 3:40 PM	Funding Model Regulatory Agencies of the Future: The FDA Retail Flexible Funding Model	
3:40 - 3:45 PM	BREAK	
3:45 - 4:15 PM	Modernizing Regulatory Programs with Comprehensive Strategic Improvement Plans	
4:15 - 5:00 PM	FDA's National Retail Food Team Updates	
5:00 PM	ADJOURN	

Tuesday, September 14th General Session			
	1:00pm - 5:00pm (EDT)		
1:00 - 1:25 PM	Leveraging Environmental Health Data to Inform Food Safety Initiatives		
1:25 - 2:00 PM	FBI Lessons Learned		
2:00 - 2:05 PM	BREAK		
2:05 - 2:50 PM	CFP Panel Discussion		
2:50 - 2:55 PM	BREAK		
2:55 - 3:35 PM	The Challenges of Challenge Studies		
3:35 - 3:40 PM	BREAK		
3:40 - 4:20 PM	Reflecting on Risk Factors for Safer Markets in the Future: Results of the FDA 2015-2016 Deli Study		
4:20 – 4:25PM	BREAK		
4:25 - 5:00 PM	Focusing on Risk Factors: Studies from Regulatory Partners		
5:00 PM	ADJOURN		



Wednesday, September 15th Breakout Sessions

Northeast 12pm – 4pm (EDT)		
12:00 - 12:20PM EDT	Welcome/Opening Remarks	
12:20PM - 1:20PM EDT	Pad Thai, Oh My! Salmonellosis Outbreak at a Maine College, 2021	
1:20PM - 1:30PM EDT	BREAK	
1:30PM - 2:30PM EDT	Ghost/Virtual Kitchens at Retail	
2:30PM - 2:45PM EDT	BREAK	
2:45 PM - 3:55PM EDT	 What's New in the Northeast? Creation of a Wild Mushroom Forager Certification My Dinner with Andre the Dog 	
3:55PM - 4:00PM EDT	Closing Remarks	

Southeast 12pm – 4pm (EDT)		
12:00PM – 12:10PM EDT	Welcome/Opening Remarks	
12:10PM – 1:00PM EDT	Cannabis and Cannabis-Derived Products, Including Cannabidiol (CBD) at Retail	
1:00PM – 1:55PM EDT	The Future of EH	
1:55PM – 2:00PM EDT	BREAK (Acknowledgement of Retail Program Standards Achievements)	
2:05PM – 3:05PM EDT	Insights to Food Code Adoption (Panel discussion)	
3:10PM – 3:55PM EDT	Strategies that Elevate the Food Safety IQ/Active Managerial Control of Operators	
3:55PM – 4:00PM EDT	Closing Remarks	



Central 8am – 12pm (CST) 9am – 1pm (EDT)			
9:00AM – 9:20AM EDT	Welcome/Opening Remarks		
9:20AM – 10:20AM EDT	COVID-19 Sharing Session and Panel Discussion: Lessons Learned and Impact		
10:20AM – 10:30AM EDT	BREAK		
10:30AM – 11:30AM EDT	Cell-Cultured Products		
11:30AM – 11:40AM EDT	BREAK		
11:40AM – 12:20PM EDT	Brunch/Coffee Break with your Central Cohorts		
12:20PM – 12:55PM EDT	FDA Standardized Officers' Food Code Question & Answer Session		
12:55PM – 1:00PM EDT	Closing Remarks		

Southwest 1pm – 5pm (CST) 12pm – 4pm (MDT)		
1:00PM - 1:10PM CST	Opening Remarks	
1:10PM – 1:20PM CST	Program Standards Recognition	
1:20PM – 1:50 PM CST	A Virtual Shift in Regulatory Reality	
1:50PM – 2:00PM CST	BREAK	
2:00PM - 2:40PM CST	I Ain't Afraid of No Ghost– Kitchen	
2:40PM - 3:30PM CST	Regulatory Challenges with Food Freedom and Cottage Food	
3:30PM - 3:40PM CST	BREAK	
3:40PM – 4:55PM CST	State Reports	
4:55PM – 5:00PM CST	Closing Remarks	



Pacific 1pm – 5pm (PST)		
1:00PM – 1:15PM PST	Welcome & FDA OSCP Retail Update	
1:15PM – 1:30PM PST	Retail Program Standards Recognition	
1:30PM – 2:15PM PST	Panel: State/Local Experiences with Food Freedom Bills	
2:15PM - 3:00PM PST	Washington State Experience with 2017 FDA Model Code Adoption	
3:00PM – 3:15PM PST	BREAK – Please enjoy the rolling video presentation of fellow Pacific Region program standards jurisdictions who received recognition since June 2020.	
3:15PM – 4:00PM PST	Panel: Risk-Based Inspections/Std 3 Experiences	
4:00PM – 4:45PM PST	Panel: Virtual Assessments, Lessons Learned. Where do we go from here?	
4:45 PM PST	Closeout	



Thursday, September 16th Retail Flexible Funding Model Workshops 1:00pm – 5:00pm EDT		
1:00 PM EDT	 Creating a Comprehensive Strategic Improvement Plan Review the purpose of the Voluntary National Retail Food Regulatory Program Standards 	
	 (VNRFRPS) and how they connect to the basic steps of a strategic planning process Define a Comprehensive Strategic Improvement Plan (CSIP) and explore the benefits of work planning in a retail food protection program Evaluate Retail Flexible Funding Model (RFFM) criteria for CSIPs Evaluate a written CSIP example scenario 	
2:00PM EDT	Creating a Project Implementation Plan	
	 Review the differences between a Comprehensive Strategic Improvement Plan (CSIP) and a Project Implementation Plan (PIP) Examine the requirements for a PIP under the Retail Flexible Funding Model (RFFM) Identify the basic elements of a PIP Evaluate examples of written PIP example scenario templates 	
3:00PM EDT	Submitting a Grant Application	
	Learn how to navigate the grant submission portal and submit an application	
4:00PM EDT	Optional Resources to assist with navigating the RFFM	
	 Review the optional templates available for jurisdictions to use for outlining a Comprehensive Strategic Improvement Plan (CSIP) and Project Implementation Plan (PIP) Discuss utility of the current Self-Assessment Verification Audit Gap Analysis tool compared to these other optional templates RFFM plan generator demonstration 	