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Produce Safety Educators Monthly Meeting
August 15, 2016
2PM EDT
Instructions

• All participants are muted.

• There will be time for questions and answers throughout the meeting. Only those connected online will be able to participate.
  – To ask a question or make a comment, please ‘raise your hand’ using the small button on the right hand panel
  – We may not get around to all comments/questions, BUT you may leave additional comments in the comment box to be compiled after the session

• This session will be recorded and notes will be shared via the listserv after the call.
PSA Updates

• PSA curriculum finalized and at printer

• PSA Trainings to Launch - Sept. 2016
  – Working to reschedule trainings with collaborators who had courses that were cancelled in 2015 & 2016
  – More information about dates and locations coming via the PSA general listserv and on the website
  – Priority to work with Extension collaborators and industry partners
  – Trying to locate trainings regionally to minimize travel
  – Coordinating with Regional Centers as much as possible

• Buttoning up many details, more information coming
PSA Training Types

1. PSA Grower Training Course
2. PSA Train-the-Trainer Course
3. PSA Integrated Training Course

*All PSA training courses must have at least one PSA Lead Trainer and all others providing training must have attended the PSA Train-the-Trainer Course (PSA Trainers)
PSA Grower Training Course

- Designed to be delivered in one day, or at least 7 hours teaching time
- Can be delivered in a multi-day training*
- Includes seven modules:
  1. Introduction to Produce Safety
  2. Worker Health, Hygiene, and Training
  3. Soil Amendments
  4. Wildlife, Domesticated Animals, and Land Use
  5. Agricultural Water (Part I: Production Water; Part II: Postharvest Water)
  6. Postharvest Handling and Sanitation
  7. How to Develop a Farm Food Safety Plan

- Register courses through AFDO
PSA Train-the-Trainer Course

- **PSA Train-the-Trainer Course**
  - Designed to be delivered in two days (8-5, 8-3)
  - Includes review of seven Grower Training Course modules, as well as extra modules specific to trainers:
    - Principles of adult education
    - Multi-day training options and developing training partnerships
    - How to register PSA Grower Training Courses
    - How to become a PSA Lead Trainer
  - Training manuals and teaching notes same as manual for growers, plus extra sections in back specific to trainers
  - Register courses through PSA
PSA Integrated Training Course

- **PSA Integrated Training Course**
  - Combines a Grower Training Course (Day 1) with a Train-the-Trainer Course (Day 2)
  - Both days 8 am - 5 pm
  - Why host an integrated course?
    - Not enough trainers to fill a whole training
    - Trainers do not have experience working with growers, opportunity to listen to grower questions
  - Want to avoid ‘fish bowl’ effect
  - Separate certificates for PSA Grower Training Course participants versus Train-the-Trainer Course participants
  - Register courses through PSA
PSA Trainers

1. Attend a PSA Train-the-Trainer Course
   – Fill out online application
   – No one turned away based on application, but limitations to attendance and seat availability depending on training course and host
   – Must attend full 2 day course

2. Will receive a link to participate in Supplemental Application AFTER attending TTT Course, if trainer wants to become a PSA Lead Trainer

• PSA Trainers can:
  – Participate in PSA Grower Training Courses under a PSA Lead Trainer (physically present through entire course)
PSA Lead Trainers

1. Must first attend a PSA Train-the-Trainer Course

2. Fill out PSA Supplemental Application
   - Will be sent via e-mail link to supplemental application after Train-the-Trainer Course
   - Additional fee for PSA Lead Trainer Supplemental Application
   - Includes 4 short answer questions related to the four trainer competency areas
   - Application will be evaluated by panel of 3 - PSA Lead Trainer Review Committee Members against a rubric
   - Applicant will be notified of decision

• PSA Lead Trainers can:
  – Host training courses solo, or with a team as long as all trainers have attended the TTT Course
PSA Curriculum Materials & Costs

• Currently at printer
• Will be available for purchase through the Cornell Bookstore
• Shrink wrapped, tabbed, 3 hole punched
• Responsible for purchasing binders on own (1.5”-2” will fit materials)
• Certificate payment will go directly to AFDO, not PSA

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PSA Train-the-Trainer Update Webinar

• Tuesday, September 6, 2016 at 2PM EDT
• ONLY for those who attended PSA Train-the-Trainer Courses in:
  – Harrisburg, PA – 2015
  – Kalamazoo, MI – 2015
• Required to receive AFDO certificate
• Updates to final curriculum content, changes from supplemental to final regulation
• Will be available in a recorded version as an option for those who cannot attend the live webinar
• More information to come to those individuals via e-mail
Questions?
FDA Job Opportunities

• FDA Consumer Safety Officer, GS-0696-13
• Closes: Wednesday 8/24/2016
• Duties: As a produce program expert within a region, provides extensive advisory, liaison, and consultative services for produce safety programs to the regulated community, State, Federal, Foreign, Tribal, and third-party regulators (i.e., auditors), extension services, and Agency management

Visit website for more information:
https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/447155500
Next Meeting

- Established partnerships for supporting in-state produce safety
- Monday, September 19, 2016: 2 PM EDT
- The Food Safety Modernization Act's Produce Rule is impacting fresh fruit and vegetable growers in a variety of ways. While many growers will be exempt from FSMA compliance, there is a continued increase in market demand for growers to have a food safety plan in place. Both states (MA and MD) have established state recognized certification programs that include food safety that help to reduce risks on-farm and increase markets for local production. This webinar will share approaches that Massachusetts and Maryland have taken to establish a collaborative partnership to provide technical support, food safety education and regulatory guidance to growers. The session will open with a brief discussion of these local collaborations and be followed by time for questions by the webinar participants.

- Speakers:
  - Massachusetts: Amanda Kinchla, UMass Extension Specialist; Michael Botelho, Massachusetts Department of Agriculture, Commonwealth Quality Program Coordinator
  - Maryland: Christopher Walsh, UMD Professor; Justine Beaulieu, UMD GAP Educator; Deanna Baldwin: Maryland Dept of Agriculture
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