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FSPCA Webinar:
Current Status and Next Steps
April 21, 2016
INTRODUCTION AND INSTRUCTIONS

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Introduction

• Background
  - FDA recognized the need to assist the regulated industry to comply with FSMA
  - FSPCA public/ private partnership to achieve this goal
## FSMA Rules and FSPCA Involvement

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STEERING COMMITTEE UPDATE

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Timeline

Phase I – Organize FSPCA

Phase II – Develop Curriculum

Phase III – Pilot Phase

Phase IV – Implementation

HUMAN FOOD CURRICULUM UPDATE

Katherine M.J. Swanson, Ph.D.
FSPCA Project Manager, Curriculum Development
FSPCA Preventive Controls for Human Food

- Version 1.2 released
- Changes address:
  - Technical amendments and corrections published by FDA
  - Editorial corrections
- Errata sheets for earlier versions on website
Benefits of FSPCA Preventive Controls Course

• The *FSPCA Preventive Controls for Human Food* course is the “standardized curriculum” recognized by FDA

• Lead Instructors have access to:
  - “Instructor Notes” to assist with delivery and interpretation
  - Exercise guides and instructions to reinforce key learning objectives
  - Simplified model foods for exercises that are consistent with regulatory requirements
  - Access to all current resources and information that the Alliance provides
Human Food Blended Course Under Development

Two parts

Part 1
• Online covering material in Participant Manual
• Self paced with learning checks

Part 2
• One day face-to-face, Lead Instructor led
• Review material
• Exercises to reinforce learning using model foods
• Interaction with others is important for learning
Teaching Models Available

- Simple models with format consistent with curriculum
- Objective: Practice and reinforce concepts taught
- Currently available
  - Peanut butter
  - Cold pressed energy bar
  - Broccoli, carrot, pecan salad
  - Black pepper
  - Frozen ready-to-cook entrée
- Under review
  - Sliced tomatoes
  - Leafy greens salad
  - Pepper jack cheese
  - Other frozen foods
Lead Instructor Training Transition

• Phasing out 3-day Combo Course
  ▪ Participant + Lead Instructor Training
• Implementing 2-day Lead Instructor Training
• Benefits
  ▪ Enhanced learning of concepts in Participant Course
    ◦ Blended or face-to-face
  ▪ Emphasize how to teach “tricky” concepts in Lead Instructor course
Next Steps for Human Food Curriculum

• Develop and deploy Blended Course
• Add new exercise model foods
• Support:
  ▪ Lead Instructor training
  ▪ Animal Food curriculum development
  ▪ Translation activities
ANIMAL FOODS SUBCOMMITTEE (AFSC) UPDATE

Sonya M. Lambkin
Consumer Safety Officer, Division of Compliance, Center for Veterinary Medicine (CVM), U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)
Animal Food Training Curriculum

- Preventive Controls and Lead Instructor courses have been created specifically for Animal Food

- The Animal Food courses have similar formats and learning materials as the Human Food courses, but with major content changes to reflect the animal food industry
Animal Food Training Curriculum

• Current Preventive Controls course outline:
  ▪ **Chapter 1**: Introduction and Regulatory Overview
  ▪ **Chapter 2**: Animal Food Safety Plan and Preliminary Steps
  ▪ **Chapter 3**: Current Good Manufacturing Practice
  ▪ **Chapter 4**: Animal Food Hazards
  ▪ **Chapter 5**: Hazard Evaluation and Preventive Control Determination
  ▪ **Chapter 6**: Preventive Controls Management Components
  ▪ **Chapter 6**: Supply-chain Applied Controls
  ▪ **Chapter 7**: Process Controls
  ▪ **Chapter 8**: Sanitation Controls
  ▪ **Chapter 10**: Recall Plan
Animal Food Training Curriculum Status

• Preventive Controls course
  ▪ Drafts of the PowerPoint slides and training manual are completed for the upcoming pilot session

• Lead Instructor course
  ▪ Course materials are under development
  ▪ Will utilize Preventive Controls slides, but highlight key learning points
Animal Food Training Schedule

• Overall timeline pushed back since last webinar

• Curriculum pilots scheduled:
  - April 24-26, 2016: Preventive Controls course
  - May 16-19, 2016: Combination Preventive Controls and Lead Instructor course

• Both courses will be finalized in mid-June 2016
Animal Food Schedule Continued

• Combination courses are tentatively scheduled for July and August 2016
  ▪ Invitation only to pilot participants and approved Animal Food Lead Instructors

• Preventive Controls courses are currently being scheduled starting summer 2016

• Starting fall 2016, separate Lead Instructor courses will be offered
Animal Food Training

• Once courses are available, go to the FSPCA website for a link to course offerings

• Application to become a Lead Instructor is available on the FSPCA website
  ▪ Applications are now being reviewed for Animal Food
  ▪ Human food and animal food applications are reviewed separately but follow the same process
IMPLEMENTATION SUBCOMMITTEE UPDATE

Gerald Wojtala
Executive Director, International Food Protection Training Institute (IFPTI)
FSPCA Metrics

- 4,593 Human Food course certificates issued (290 international)
- 269 FSPCA Preventive Controls for Human Food courses conducted
- 265 upcoming courses scheduled
Lead Instructors

- 596 Lead Instructors
- 369 Candidates
- 200 not approved
- 23 Lead Instructor courses completed
- 9 courses currently scheduled
- 51 international Lead Instructors
Upcoming Lead Instructor Courses

- 23 conducted to date
- Apr 26-28  Battle Creek, MI
- May 3-5    FMI – Crystal City, VA
- May 24-26  Salisbury, NC
- May 17-19  FMI – Crystal City, VA
- June 1-3   Fredericksburg, VA
- June 7-9   IFSH – Bedford Park, IL
- June 14-16 Omaha, NE
- July 29-30 IAFP – St. Louis, MO
FSPCA Bookstore

- Participant Manuals
- Workbooks
- Instructor Bundles
- Model Food Plans (5 pack)
- Coming soon: Spanish, Japanese, Chinese versions

Advertising Your Course

New guidance for Lead Instructors

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Check your Lead Instructor Portal frequently
INTERNATIONAL SUBCOMMITTEE

Kathy Gombas
Senior Advisor
FDA, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition
FSPCA International Subcommittee

- **LAUNCHED:** July 2015
- **CHARGE:**
  - Implement Outreach Strategy for Preventive Controls and Foreign Supplier Verification Program Rules
  - Develop and disseminate outreach, education, and technical materials
  - Establish training and technical assistance networks
  - Collaborate with Produce Safety Alliance on outreach efforts
- **IN A MANNER THAT IS:**
  - Consistent with domestic efforts, and
  - Considers cultural, political, religious, economic, technological, and language differences and needs
FSPCA International Subcommittee Structure

Core Outreach Team
Co-Chairs: Kathy Gombas & Kelly McCormick

Training Content Working Group
POC: Jason Wan

Educational Review Team - Spanish
Educational Review Team - Japanese
Educational Review Team - French
Educational Review Team - Mandarin
Educational Review Team - TBD

Trainer Network Working Group
POCs: Kim Koch, Juan Silva, and Mike McWhorter

Technical Assistance Working Group
POC: Marcos Sanchez
Trainer Network WG Charge

- Develop and execute a plan to employ the educational materials in capacity strengthening efforts and make them available to the international community, taking into consideration varied cultural, political, language, and technological needs and capacities.
- Responsible for coordinating with existing FSPCA domestic efforts
Trainer Network Concept

- Identify “Hubs” as points of contact for matters related to training and technical assistance with Preventive Control and related FSMA regulations.
- Consider existing centers, organizations, or groups that already provide food safety training to the industry
- Provide information on training and other relevant info to their industry/clients
- Provide FSPCA Preventive Controls Courses
- Assist with translation, interpretation, etc.
Training Content WG is charged with developing educational materials for an international audience that address the final rules and articulate the changes industry will need to make as a result of the rules’ implementation, in a manner sensitive to varied cultural, political, trade, language, and technological needs and capacities.
Educational Review Team Objectives

• Establish selection criteria for Review Team Members to review translated materials
• Determine process and timeline for reviewing the translated materials
• Develop guidelines for review of translated materials
  ▪ Review translated materials for vocabulary and language consistency
  ▪ Review translated materials for cultural adaptability and sensitivity
Status of FSPCA PCHF Translations

• Spanish
  ▪ In-progress: Manual V1.2, due to complete by end of April

• Chinese
  ▪ In-progress: Manual V1.2 translation – due TBD

• Japanese
  ▪ In-progress: Manual V1.2 translation, projected by Jun-Jul
Technical Assistance WG Charge

• Design and implement a plan to establish a international technical assistance network of experts
• Collaborate with existing domestic FSPCA Technical Assistance Network
• Address frequently asked questions and staff a communications platform (leveraging domestic FSPCA TAN resources and IT platform)
FSPCA TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE UPDATE

Mark Carter
FSPCA Manager of Food Safety,
Institute for Food Safety and Health
Agenda

• TAN Update
• Permanent Technical Assistance Network Portal
  ▪ Timeline
• Outreach
  ▪ TAN YouTube
  ▪ TAN Conference
• Website Update
FSPCA – Food Safety Experts

• Food Safety Experts
  ▪ 35 Invited in late November
  ▪ 18 Attended December 11 Webinar
  ▪ 10 registered as FSE’s

• Follow Up recruitment in April – plans for Webinar 2

• Goal is to increase FSE participation
  ▪ Continued outreach and recruitment
FSE Recruitment Plan

• Follow Up with Initial Invitees – April 2016
• Identify Wave 2 FSE’s - April 2016
  ▪ Expertise
  ▪ Location
• Goal of 25 registered FSE’s By Permanent TAN Launch in early May
Permanent Technical Assistance Portal

- Web Community and Technical Assistance
- Supports Industry, Food Safety Experts, Lead Instructors
- Project Initiated – February 24th
- Beta Product – April 12
- User Acceptance Testing – April 26
- Launch – May 11-13
WELCOME!
A place where you can easily find solutions and ask questions.

FEATURED

ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING
ALLERGEN CONTROLS
GOOD MANUFACTURING PRACTICES
HAZARD ANALYSIS
REGULATORY/RULES INTERPRETATION
PREVENTATIVE CONTROLS
PROCESSING
PROCESS VALIDATION
RECALL PLAN

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TRENDING ARTICLES

- How will the existing GFSI certification...
- How can I become a Food Safety Pr...
- Are the limits on who can be trained?
- Can I be an instructor for both anima...
Food Safety Preventive Controls Alliance Technical Assistance Network

The Food Safety Preventive Controls Alliance manages a Technical Assistance Network to provide technical support to industry to facilitate... Show more

Uploads (public)

2016 12 11 10 08 FSPCA Technical Assistance Network Food Safety Expert Introduction
2 weeks ago • 19 views
Food Safety Preventive Controls Alliance - Technical Assistance Network - This video is the webinar introducing the TAN that was done on 12-18-16 by Robert Braddock and Kathy.

Created playlists (public)

Cleaning and Sanitation  FSVP  Food Safety Videos

Subscriptions

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Outreach

• TAN Conference / Meeting
• 3rd quarter of 2016
• FSPCA, FDA - (FSE’s and SME’s)
• Technical exchange to
  ▪ Discuss TAN operation
  ▪ Share best practices
  ▪ Gain feedback to date
  ▪ Plan next steps
FSPCA Website Format Conversion

• Basic Architecture complete for both IFSH and FSPCA sites
• IFSH site development in process (started mid January)
• 3 main areas of work, Links, Images, Database (Portal) in process to support changeover to Drupal
• All scheduled for completion 2nd – 3rd week of May
Coming Up Next

Q & A
Q&A

• **Reminder:** Ask questions by typing into the Q&A box.
  1. Click on the Q&A icon
  2. To pose a question, begin typing in the Q&A box that is provided on the screen and click “send”
  3. Your question will be sent to the host of the webinar and the host will read it aloud

• *We will do our best to answer as many questions as time allows but we may not be able to address every question*
THANK YOU!

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Illinois Institute of Technology
Questions

If you have any questions, please contact the FSPCA at fspca@iit.edu or visit the FSPCA website at http://www.iit.edu/ifsh/alliance for resources on preventive controls, lead instructor application, and details of other FSPCA activities.