

2026 FOOD SAFETY TRAINING SCHEDULE



Dates/locations are subject to change.

FSNS reserves the right to cancel/postpone classes if there is not a minimum of 10 participants at least 7 days prior to the class date.

Virtual classes are live, instructor led through Teams.

BRCGS Food - Sites Training and/or Internal Auditing

A HACCP or PCQI course is a prerequisite for this course. Course Fee: \$825 (BRC Issue 9 only - 2 day course) \$1,075 (BRC Issue 9 & Internal Auditing - 3 day course) \$400 (Internal Auditing - 1 day course)

April 6-7 - Virtual
April 8 - Internal Auditing - Virtual
October 7-8 - Virtual
October 9 - Internal Auding - Virtual

Advanced HACCP/Preventive Controls

A HACCP or PCQI course is a prerequisite for this course.

Course Fee: \$925

April 15-16 - Virtual October 28-29 - Virtual

Microbiology and Food Safety 101 Course

Course Fee: \$399

Feb - TBD - Virtual
April - TBD - Atlanta, GA
May - TBD - Virtual
July 16 - Chicago, IL
September - TBD - Virtual
October - TBD - Greeley, CO

Microbiology and Food Safety 202 Course

Basic food micro class or experience is prerequisite for this course Course Fee: \$499

Feb - TBD - Virtual
April - TBD - Atlanta, GA
May - TBD - VIrtual
July 17 - Chicago, IL
September - TBD - Virtual
October - TBD - Greeley, CO

FSPCA Preventive Controls for Animal Food (PCQI)

Course Fee: \$850

May 13-15 - Virtual

Preventive Maintenance Course Fee: \$595

June - TBD - Virtual August - TBD - Virtual

FSSC 22000 Course Fee: \$825

A HACCP or PCQI course is a prerequisite for this course TBD - contact sarah.waters@certifiedgroup.com if interested

HACCP Training Course in SPANISH

Course Fee: \$825

TBD - contact sarah.waters@certifiedgroup.com if interested

Sanitary Design Course Fee: \$595

January - TBD - Virtual May - TBD - Virtual November - TBD - Virtual

Best Practice Series

Virtual sessions 11am-1pm Central Time

Course Fee: \$50/person/session or \$325/person for all 7 sessions

GMPs - Mar & Sep - Virtual

Allergen Management - Mar & Sep - Virtual

Pest Management - Mar & Sep - Virtual

Foreign Material Prevention - Mar & Sep - Virtual

Recalls - Apr & Oct - Virtual

Root Cause Analysis - Apr & Oct - Virtual

Regulatory Responses - Apr & Oct - Virtual

FSPCA Preventive Controls for Human Food (PCQI) V 2.0

Course Fee: \$850 January 5-7 - Virtual
May 21-23 - Virtual
July 20-22 - Virtual
October 21-23 - Virtual

HACCP Training Course Course Fee: \$825

Basic - January 14-15 - Virtual Basic - March 16-17 - Virtual June 15-16 - Virtual September 3-4 - Virtual November 10-11 - Virtual

Sanitation: Management of Cleaning & Disinfecting

Course Fee: \$825 4 days, 4 hours each day February 3-4 - Virtual April 2-3 - Virtual July 9-10 - Virtual

Sanitation Short Course Course Fee: \$399

8-hour course - 2 days, 4 hour days August 20 - Virtual

Implementing SQF Systems Ed 10*and/or Internal Auditing Training Course

A HACCP or PCQI course is a prerequisite for this course Course Fee: \$825 (SQF only - 2 day course) \$1,075 (SQF and Internal Auditing - 3 day course) \$400 (Internal Auditing - 1 day course)

March 2-3 - Virtual

March 4 - Internal Auditing - Virtual

March 23-24 - Virtual

March 25 - Internal Auditing - Virtual

April 22-23 - Virtual

April 24 - Internal Auditing - Virtual

May 5-6 - Virtual

May 7 - Internal Auditing - Virtual

More information is available at www.FSNS.com/education

Questions or information for private (onsite or virtual) classes, contact: sarah.waters@certifiedgroup.com

2026 FOOD SAFETY EDUCATION COURSES

BRCGS Food - Issue 9 Sites Training

This two-day course is part of the BRCGS Professional Recognition Programme and designed to enable participants to gain a full understanding of the general principles of the current BRC Standard and how to comply with the requirements. Attendees will also gain an understanding of what to expect during the process of certification and actions needed prior to, during and after the audit.

FSPCA Preventive Controls for Animal Food

Preventive Controls for Animal Food regulation is intended to ensure safe manufacturing/processing, packing and holding of food products for animal consumption in the United States. The regulation requires that certain activities must be completed by a 'preventive controls qualified individual'. This course, developed by FSPCA, is the 'standardized curriculum' recognized by the FDA.

FSPCA Preventive Controls for Human Food

Preventive Controls for Human Food regulation is intended to ensure safe manufacturing/processing, packing, and holding of food products for human consumption in the United States. The regulation requires that certain activities must be completed by a 'preventive controls qualified individual'. This course, developed by FSPCA, is the 'standardized curriculum' recognized by the FDA.

FSSC 22000

FSSC 22000 is a Food Safety Management System (FSMS) Certification program that is recognized by the Global Food Safety Initiative (GFSI). In this course, participants will learn how to meet the requirement of the FSSC 22000 scheme.

HACCP Training Course

The HACCP course is designed to educate individuals in HACCP systems development, implementation, and management. The course is ideal for Plant HACCP Team Members, Plant Management Teams, Corporate Executives, and anyone whose job function will impact the facility HACCP Plan.

Advanced HACCP/Preventive Controls Training Course

To help HACCP/FSPCA-knowledgeable food production management individuals improve their food safety systems. This course cover in depth information regarding hazard analysis, risk assessment decision making, and robust verification and validation to support USDA and FDA food safety systems.

Internal Auditing Course

Internal Auditing is a one-day course that teaches attendees how to conduct internal audits within their facility to meet GFSI audit requirements. A comprehensive audit system is fundamental to a company's food safety and product quality program, provides confirmation that systems and procedures are operating effectively, and identifies areas that require improvement.

Microbiology and Food Safety 101 Course

This course will provide the fundamentals of food microbiology and an understanding of how microorganisms behave, how to control them, and raise awareness of the importance of process control, hygiene, and sanitation in the food processing environment.

Microbiology and Food Safety 202 Course

Advanced food safety microbiology. focus on the key pathogens that affect human health, detection of each within the laboratory, various methods used to test, techniques for confirmation such as cultural and molecular, and overview of the various serologies of each genus. Discount when you sign up for Micro 101 and 202 at the same time.

Preventive Maintenance

This course covers the requirements of the BRC and SQF, USDA and FDA regulators, and provides essential understanding of the management of microbiological, chemical, and physical hazard risks that can present on a process floor and in the maintenance shop.

Sanitation: Management of Cleaning & Disinfecting in Food Environments

This course outlines the requirements for FDA and USDA regulations regarding cleaning and sanitizing. It addresses the science of cleaning and sanitation, how to prevent biofilm formation, and how to maintain sanitary conditions before and during operations, and things that should be emphasized in the management of sanitation procedures.

Sanitation Short Course

Targets front-line sanitors, janitors and FSQA techs performing pre-op inspections. Focus is on cleaning and sanitizing chemicals, safety, sanitation methods and pre-op technique.

Sanitary Design

This interactive class will present the 10 Principles for Equipment Sanitary Design and the 11 Principles of Facility Sanitary Design. Participants will have a clear understanding of potential microbiological/allergen hazards, regulatory requirements and the benefits of sanitary design.

SQF Training Course

This course can prepare you to become a SQF Practitioner and to implement the requirements of SQF Food Safety Code, v10.