Bridging the GAPs: Approaches for Treating Irrigation Water On-Farm

April 21, 2020  8:30am – 4:00pm
UF/IFAS Gulf Coast Research and Education Center
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Fruit and vegetable growers are continually assessing their operations to determine where they can limit risk and increase productivity. As a result, many have expressed interest in learning more about how on-farm preharvest water treatment systems work and how they may fit within their current setup. Come for a day-long course with extension specialists across the Southeast to learn about different approaches to treating water on-farm; how to implement these systems to meet requirements of the Produce Safety Rule; and how to verify that the system is operating as intended.

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Cost to Attend: $50
Please register at: https://bridgingthegapso42120.eventbrite.com

Cost includes the training materials, lunch, and refreshments. Seats are limited to 30. For questions, email Sarah McCoy at sarahmccoy@ufl.edu.
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Please note: NO substitutions, transfers, or refunds will be issued within one week of the training start date. NO minors are permitted to attend. NO animals allowed, except those defined as service animals under the ADA.

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