Build Your Own
Farm Food Safety Plan

Who Should Attend
This program is an interactive one-day workshop targeted to fresh fruit and/or vegetable farms who are interested in developing, or refining, a farm food safety plan. Most intermediate and large produce buyers now require some documented evidence of a functional food safety program from their suppliers and many other smaller and local buyers are adopting similar requirements. Many of them specifically require a third-party audit that includes requirements for a written food safety plan.

It’s recommended, but not required, that you attend a Produce Safety Alliance Grower Training course and a Beyond Basic Produce Food Safety workshop prior to attending a Build Your Own Farm Food Safety Plan workshop.

What to Expect
The hardest part about developing a farm food safety plan is knowing where to start. In many cases, you’ll want your food safety plan tailored to meet the requirements of one or more third-party audit standards. We’ll start by covering all of the various third-party audit options and their respective food safety plan requirements and templates. Much of the class will be spent on a computer (limited number of loaner laptops available by prearrangement) working through the development of your own farm food safety plan.

Benefits of Attending
After completing this workshop, you’ll have a better idea of the different third-party audit options, particularly their food safety plan requirements. You’ll also leave with your own framework for a food safety plan tailored to your unique operation and tailored to meet the requirements of your buyers or future buyers.

April 9, 2020 8:00am – 5:00pm
UF/IFAS Extension Jefferson County
2729 W Washington Highway • Monticello, FL 32344

Cost to Attend: $35 (includes snacks and lunch)
Please register at: https://buildyourown040920.eventbrite.com
For questions, please email sarahmccoy@ufl.edu or call 863-956-8632

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REGISTRATION FORM

Registration is also available online at: https://buildyourown040920.eventbrite.com

UF/IFAS Extension Jefferson County – April 9, 2020
Name: ____________________________________________
Company: ____________________________________________
Address: ____________________________________________
Email: ____________________________________________
Phone: ____________________________________________
Special meal requirements (vegetarian, etc.)?: ________________________________

Course registration of $35 per participant is requested by April 3rd, 2020. Registration will be confirmed upon receipt of registration materials.

Important: Make checks payable to “University of Florida”

Mail check and registration to:

University of Florida
ATTN: Sarah McCoy
700 Experiment Station Road
Lake Alfred, FL 33850

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